

"Pointing people to life through Jesus Christ"

Sunday, January 19, 2025

"THE SANCTITY OF HUMAN LIFE"

Genesis 1:26-27; Psalm 139:11-16, Jer. 1:4-5 pp. 1, 521, 627

Pastor John Dyksen



Connect with us!

WELCOME ROCKPOINT!

We pray that you will have a meaningful encounter with God as we worship our Lord together! Please join us in Fellowship Hall for a time of coffee and bagels immediately following the service this morning. We extend a special welcome to anyone visiting with us today!

KIDS WORSHIP: Kids will enjoy our ministries designed for every age to learn more about Jesus! Pebbles Nursery is for children ages birth-2 and is located in **Room 101**. Preschool ROCK is available for preschool children ages 2-5 throughout the service in **Room 103**. Children in grades K-5 are welcome at Kid's ROCK located in our **Lower Level, Room B01**. They are dismissed after participating in morning worship. Safe and secure check in for ages 2-5th grade is located in our lobby. Guests are invited to attend! **SUNDAY SCHOOL** for children K-12 begins at 11:15am on Sunday mornings. **ROCK YOUTH GROUP**: Middle School 5-7pm, High School 7-9pm on Sunday evenings.

PRAYER AND PRAISE

We extend our sincere Christian sympathy to Keith and Faith Tanis and family on the passing away of **Jack Kuiphoff** on Monday, January 13. He was 100 years old, may God be the glory!

Marge Van Hook fell at home on Tuesday and was admitted to the hospital for observation.

Pray for complete healing for **Mary Winters** after recent knee replacement surgery.

Continue to pray for healing for Joanne Taylor's nephew, **Duane Struyk** after being struck by a car.

Pray for our **Cadets** as they participate in this year's annual Winter Derby held up in Sussex, NJ this Saturday, 1/25.

Pray for comfort, strength and healing for those with cancer: Michael Ays, Ruth Aupperlee, Tara Breur, Luann De Young, Faith Noah, Lorinda Leon, Deb Steyling, Lynn Stalter, and Marina.

Pray for our shut in members and for those with ongoing medical concerns, such as **Joanne de Bruyn, Marilyn Gardenier, Phyllis Schuurman, and Audrey Vogel.**

ROCKPOINT NEWS

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING: Join us TODAY @ 11:15am for our annual congregational meeting. **THE 2025 SPENDING PLAN BOOKLET** has been posted on Realm.

*SUNDAY SCHOOL will not meet today so that all may attend the Congregational Meeting. Activities and childcare for kids age 2 and up will be available – drop off and pick up in Basement Classroom.

Our **special offering** today is for New City Kids.

LADIES BIBLE STUDY: Join us on Thursday, January 30 at 7pm in the Fireside Room for a time of fellowship and faith. If you have any questions, please see Faith Tanis. All are welcome!

RECOGNITION LUNCHEON: Join us on **Sunday, February 9 at 11:30am** (following the service) for a luncheon recognizing Pastor Johnnie, Kait, Ellie and Johnnie as they prepare for their next calling. Sign up **today** in the Fellowship Hall.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: Volunteers are needed for <u>all</u> ages! (Sunday School, Pebbles, Little Rock, Pebbles Junction). If you are interested, please see Becky Denekamp, beckydenekamp@yahoo.com, 201-815-9934.

PEBBLES JUNCTION: Come for a fun morning at our stay and play group for kids ages 0-5 every 2nd & 4th Friday of the month from 9-10:30. **Next playgroup is this Friday, January 24**.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: The Fellowship Team needs a few people willing to pick up the bagels on Sunday mornings. This is a small but very helpful commitment! Please see Cindy Braunius for more information.

2024-25 COUNCIL MEMBERS

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WORSHIP SERVICE CANCELLATIONS: If our services must be canceled due to stormy weather, a notice will be posted on our website (www.therockpoint.org), Realm, and text. If you would like to be part of Rockpoint's text notifications, text the word PRAY to 833-511-0859.

NEW HOPE FOOD PANTRY is looking for food pantry donations of: Canned fruits and vegetables, pasta, cereal, peanut butter, feminine hygiene products (pads or pantyliners) and dish soap.

LIFE TEAM SCHEDULE

	Today, 1/19	Sunday, 1/26
SECURITY		
Lead	Jose Romero	Matt Soder
Assist	Jeff Ten Kate	Jerry Vogel
PEBBLES	Sharon, Angel, Kaylynn	Amanda, Brooklynne
LITTLE ROCK	Becky, Julia	Jeff P, Everett
KIDS ROCK	Allan, Sheri, Avery, Lilly,	Becky, Jessica L,
	Adam, Peter	Janna, Angel, Tim

†A **Special Offering** is collected the third Sunday of the month† **Today, January 19** – New City Kids **Sunday, February 2 (Cadet Sunday)** - Cadets

^{*}Feel free to reach out to your household elder/deacon with any questions, needs or concerns.