

THIS WEEK AT RCUMC

MONDAY (3/20): Bible Study 7 pm, Lola Callaghan's home

TUESDAY (3/21): In Stitches 10 am – 12 pm, Narthex

WEDNESDAY (3/22): Kidz Klub 3:30 – 5 pm

THURSDAY (3/23): Lenten Bible Study with Pastor Daniel 10 am, Narthex

Entering the Passion of Jesus: Holy Week for Beginners



You Are Encouraged to Order Tulips, Daffodils or Lilies to Grace our Easter Altar



Easter Flowers

Cost is \$16 per plant. Please indicate choice of flower in the memo area of your check, or on your offering envelope. If you would like your flower in memory or in honor of someone, please indicate that also, or contact the church office (832-9441) with the information. **Please order your flowers by Palm Sunday, April 2nd.**

**THIS INFORMATION
IS NOT AVAILABLE
ON THE WEBSITE**

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS ARE AVAILABLE IN THE CHURCH OFFICE

and are due no later than **Monday, April 3rd**, along with a current transcript (through the first semester of 2022-2023). For some scholarships, recipients must be full confirmed members of RCUMC, and/or active in the life of the church.

APPLICATIONS CAN BE EMAILED UPON REQUEST.

RCUMC RUMMAGE SALE:

Thursday, April 27th • 9 am – 5 pm & Friday, April 28th • 9 am – 3 pm

Clean, gently used items will be accepted beginning the week of April 17th. Items can be dropped off at church during office hours and put in Fellowship Hall.

Items after hours can be put in back entrance area. Please no electronics, televisions or books. Contact Lola Callaghan (832-2432) if you can help in any way.

Osceola County Commission on Aging hosts Annual Baked Potato Sale

Potatoes are \$9 each and need to be pre-ordered by calling 231-734-5559

Potatoes will be available to pick up Wednesday, April 5th from 11 am – 1 pm

in RCUMC parking lot. See the poster on the narthex bulletin board for list of toppings.

The United Methodist Church of Reed City

March 19, 2023 • 9:30 am

Fourth Sunday in Lent

“Equip-Encourage-Empower”



Gathering Music

Sally Andrews, organist

Greeting and Announcements

* Prayer of Confession

O God of miracles and mighty deeds,
we acknowledge your healing and comforting presence in our lives.

**We confess that we have been drawn in by materialism
and driven by consumerism.**

Open our hearts to a new way of being.

Send your anointing and grant us fresh insight for spiritual breakthroughs.

**Shine the light of your truth into our relationships
and grant us victory over every secret and shame.**

We thank you in advance for healings and renewals in our lives.

In the name of Jesus, we pray. Amen.

* Hymn No. 578

God of Love and God of Power

Hebrew Scripture Reading

1 Samuel 16:1-13

Vicki Saladin

Hymn No. 407

Close to You

Children's Moment

Gospel Reading

John 12:20-26

Vicki Saladin

Sermon

“Learning to See the Way God Sees”

Pastor Daniel Hofmann

Musical Reflection

“Lenten Medley”

Tisa Thompson-Betz

Prayer

* Benediction

* Closing Hymn No. 182

Word of God, Come Down to Earth

Sending Music

Hymn numbers above 2000 are found in The Faith We Sing.

Your tithes and offerings will be collected at the sanctuary doors following worship.

***They may also be mailed in or dropped off at the church,
and are also accepted through the “Donate” button on the church website.***