

January 22, 2023

Rock Spring Congregational United Church of Christ

*No matter who you are, or
Where you are on life's journey,
You are welcome here.*

Order of Worship

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

A Time of Greeting

Call to Worship

Megan Tetrick

Worship Through Music

The Sanctuary Choir & The Choristers

I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light – Thomerson

A Time for All Ages

Sending Song

Scripture

Matthew 4:12-23

Megan Tetrick

Sermon

Laura Martin

***Hymn**

Christ Be Our Light

Reception of New Members

Prayers of the People & The Lord's Prayer

***Hymn #452**

Here I Am, Lord

***Benediction**

Postlude

If you have a prayer request during the service, you may text it to 703-507-3740.

*Today's flowers are donated by Gail and John Howell, in memory of Hugh Appling, Olive Swinney,
Del and Carolyn Anderson, and other Rock Springers who have inspired us.*

Next Week's Scripture: Micah 6:1-8

Announcements

Today @ Rock Spring

10:00 a.m. – Worship & Sunday School

10:15 a.m. – Middler YoRS

11:15 a.m. – Intergenerational Crafting

11:30 a.m. – Choir “Boost” Rehearsal

3:00 p.m. – Rock Spring Recital Series

View the complete calendar of events [here](#).

Today, We Welcome New Members

Audrey Benson

Joanne Halley

Laila Leikvold

Judy Moore

Amy Newman

Intergenerational Crafting

Today, Sunday, January 22, 11:15 a.m.

Join the Handmade Ministry for an afternoon of crafting for all ages and abilities! Weave, knit, sew, bead, color, write cards, and more!

Rock Spring Recital Series: Jazz in January

Today Sunday, January 22, 3:00 p.m.

Want to jazz up your day? The Rock Spring Recital Series returns to the Sanctuary today with the **Yellow Door Concert Series’ Youth Ensemble**. Free will donation; masks required.

All Members of Rock Spring Congregational United Church of Christ are hereby called to the Annual Meeting of the Congregation, Sunday, January 29, 2023 at 11:15 a.m. in the Sanctuary or [via Zoom](#).

Agenda highlights include adopting a budget for FY 2023, acting upon nominations for boards & committees, and receiving a report on the Imagine Anew process. (Full agenda [here](#).) Childcare will be available.

YoRS Silent Auction

Sunday, February 5

This July, Rock Spring youth will be going on a mission trip to Albuquerque, NM with [Be the Neighbor](#), a UCC-affiliated missions organization. To help fund the trip, the team will be hosting a silent auction on February 5. Contact [Hannah Sachs](#) to donate an item, service, or experience to the auction!

A “New” Look at Psalms:

**Injustice and Liberation Then and Now
February 5, 12, 19 and 26, 11:10-11:50 AM
Hunter Room 205**

During the Black History month of February, we will take a look at a few Psalms from the viewpoint of selected African American, Latino and Indigenous writers and theologians. No experience with Psalms or the Bible necessary as we explore what these pieces of poetry may feel like and represent in liberation theology. Pop in for one or more sessions! We will integrate some art and music each week. Facilitated by Gail Burnaford.

2023 Altar Flower Donations

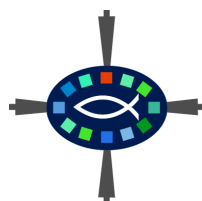
Donating Sanctuary flowers is a great way to honor a loved one, mark a special occasion, or simply add to the beauty of the Sanctuary. Find details or sign up [here](#).

New Library Books

Stop by the library after worship or weekdays from 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. to check out the [ten new titles](#) recently added to the collection.

Nursery Subs Needed

Rock Spring has an urgent need for Sunday morning nursery substitutes, paid or volunteer. Contact [Hannah](#) for information.



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