

October 27, 2024

Welcome!

9:30AM

Welcome and Announcements

Stewardship Moment

Call to Worship Skit on a Stick based on Psalm 139:7-12

*Opening Hymn “Come, Christians, Join to Sing” UMH No. 158

Children’s Moment Miss Wendy

*Praise Song “Healer” Praise Band

*Praise God Through Our Gifts, Tithes and Offerings Thank you for your generosity!
Donations are gratefully accepted at the offering plates in the church lobby, by mail,
dropped off at the church office or securely online at www.rushumc.com
Today we support Musa weNkosi Orphanage with a special offering

Offertory “To God Be the Glory” arr by Ham
Chaeun Lee and Judy Blachowicz, piano duet

*Doxology UMH No. 95

*Hymn “Open My Eyes, That I May See” UMH No. 454

Pastoral Prayer and The Lord’s Prayer

Gospel Luke 15:11-32 (NIV) Reader: Judy Blachowicz

Sermon Pastor Kyle Roehrig

The Great Thanksgiving

Giving the Bread and Cup

Music during Communion Chaeun Lee, piano

Prayer after Receiving Communion

*Praise Song “Open the Eyes of My Heart” Praise Band

Benediction

Yellow/Italicized Print on Screens Indicates All Say Together

* Indicates an invitation for you to stand, in body or in spirit.

Hearing Loop: working in the Sanctuary, set your hearing aids to “hearing loop mode”

The Mission of Rush UMC: “to live and share the love of Jesus”

Our Vision: “to be more like Jesus.”

Our missional priorities : “excellence in worship; ministries for children, youth,
adults and families and mission and outreach”

Prayer Requests

Health Concerns: Alison, Bob and Linda
Faugh, Mark Kellogg; Raymer Ottman, Ray
Smith, Mark Statskey, Patti Weaver
Geoff Ashburner, husband of Jane, nurse at
Zululand Hospice, diagnosed with melanoma
Pat Boyes and family, death of her niece,
Taryn Manning, 44yrs old on October 19
Dick and Cindy Wallace, Dick fell
Those in our congregation who are suffering
with loss, illness, or deteriorating health
Those affected by recent hurricanes

PromiseLand Childcare, Children and Staff
Heritage Christian Services Rush Day Hab
Musa weNkosi Orphanage in South Africa
Zululand Hospice in South Africa
Those serving in the Military: home or abroad
Family members and friends who are homebound or
in senior living facilities

Praises

George Gray’s brother, John, continuing his recovery
at home
Successful Turkey Dinner and PromiseLand Bake Sale
October/November Birthdays and Anniversaries

Trunk or Treat

Trunk or Treat will be held today, October 27, from 4-6pm.
We will continue to keep this an indoor event. However, if it
is a nice day and people want to have some outside trunks
decorated, you are welcome to do so, and we will park you
closer to the church entrance. Join us for a fun time serving
the children of the community and lots of fellowship! If you
can’t decorate a table, we can use help with the food stations,
games and crafts. Please let me know if you are interested in
helping. Thanks, Alethea Coulter, Children’s Ministry
Director, alethea.coulter@rushumc.org

December Super Sale

The next Super Sale is scheduled for Saturday, December 7,
9am-3pm with half-price sale from 1-3pm. We are accepting
donations from now until November 20. Please leave your
items indoors in the downstairs hallway near the sale room.
Drop off all clothing, shoes and linens in the St. Pauly Textile
shed located in the parking lot as we sort the shed daily. The
volunteer sign-up sheet for the sale will be in the lobby in
November. If you need any assistance with donations or
have questions, please contact Cindy Raymond 727-8774.

RHAFT Food Collection

Thank you for the donations to
RHAFT during October. The boxes
from the Turkey Dinner and all other
donations will be taken to RHAFT on
Saturday, November 2. Anyone
available Friday, November 1 in the
morning is invited to help load them
into Joyce and Raymond Smith’s van.
Check with Joyce or Barb in the
church office for the exact time.

Daylight Saving Time Ends

Remember to set your clocks back 1
hour on Sunday, November 3.

Turkey Dinner Debrief

A time to debrief the Turkey Dinner is
after the service on Sunday, November
3. If you have constructive suggestions
on how we can improve the dinner,
please come.

Hearing Loop

The Hearing Loop is working! Set
your hearing aids to “hearing loop
mode”. If you have questions, please
speak to Gary Prok.

Yellow Prayer Cards

Yellow Prayer Cards are in the pew
holders and on Eagle Island. These
are available for you to write prayers
concerns or praises on. They can be
given to the usher to be included in
the Pastoral Prayer or placed in the
offering plate on Eagle Island.

Giving to Rush UMC

Donations can be put on the offering plates in the church lobby
on Sundays, dropped off at the church office during weekday
business hours or mailed to the church. Giving envelopes are
available on Eagle Island. Checks and cash are welcome. Secure
online gifts may be made at <https://www.rushumc.com>.

Sunday Assistants

October 27		November 3	
Greeter:	Mackenzie Haynes	Greeter:	Mackenzie Haynes
Usher:	Paula Frank	Usher:	Paula Frank
Cookies:	Julie Sanderson	Cookies:	Barb Kingsley
	Sherry Haynes		Michele Cuatt
Cleanup:	Don Kingsley	Cleanup:	Don Kingsley

Stewardship General Fund Campaign

The General Fund Stewardship Campaign has begun! Small Groups to study the book "Enough" began last week. They are 8:30AM on Sundays and 7PM Tuesdays with Michelle Prok, and 1PM on Thursdays for lunch with Pastor Kyle. You can still come to any of the groups. Pledge cards will be mailed the week of November 11, pledge Sunday is November 17 and Celebration Sunday is November 24.

Hand Chime Rehearsals

Rehearsals for Hand Chimes Choir begin on Sunday, November 3 following the service. All interested in learning about or playing hand chimes are invited to attend. If you have questions, please see Alethea Coulter. We will be playing during the service on December 15

Election Day Bake Sale

Election Day is Tuesday, November 5. It is our opportunity to brighten the day of many who come to vote, especially those who say they come for the baked goods, and to raise funds for Musa weNkosi. Their ministry reaches beyond the orphans.

Red Bird Mission Shoeboxes

We are putting together and collecting shoeboxes for Red Bird Mission this year. Plastic boxes and a list of the items to be included are in the church lobby. There are two different styles of boxes, adult and children. Cash or checks are also appreciated to help with the cost of shipment. Please do not wrap the boxes.

Activities & Meetings

Sunday, October 27: Musa weNkosi Orphanage Support;
8:30AM: "Enough" Small Group Study with Michelle Prok ;
9:30AM: Worship Service – In-Person and on YouTube and Facebook; Communion; **9:45AM:** One Room Sunday School Class for Children; **10:45AM:** Rush UMC Coffee Hour; Adult Class: "Resist Chaos by Anchoring Yourself in God's Truth"; **4PM:** Trunk or Treat
Monday, October 28: 6PM: Daisy Troop Meeting
Tuesday, October 29: 7PM: "Enough" Small Group Study with Michelle Prok
Wednesday, October 30: 9AM: Super Sale Preparation; 9AM: Gentle Yoga Class; 1PM: Piano Tuning; 6:30PM: Choir Rehearsal
Thursday, October 31: 8:30AM: Clergy Group; 9AM: November Newsletter Distribution; 1PM: "Enough" Small Group Study with Pastor Kyle
Saturday, November 2: 9AM: Safe Sanctuary Training via Zoom
Sunday, November 3: All Saints Sunday; Daylight Saving Time Ends; 8:30AM: "Enough" Small Group Study with Michelle Prok; 8:30AM: Choir Rehearsal; 9:30AM: Worship Service – In-Person and on YouTube and Facebook; 9:45AM: One Room Sunday School Class for Children; 10:45AM: Rush UMC Coffee Hour; 10:45AM: Adult Class: "Resist Chaos by Anchoring Yourself in God's Truth"; 10:45AM: Hand chimes Choir Rehearsal; 11AM: Turkey Dinner Debrief Time

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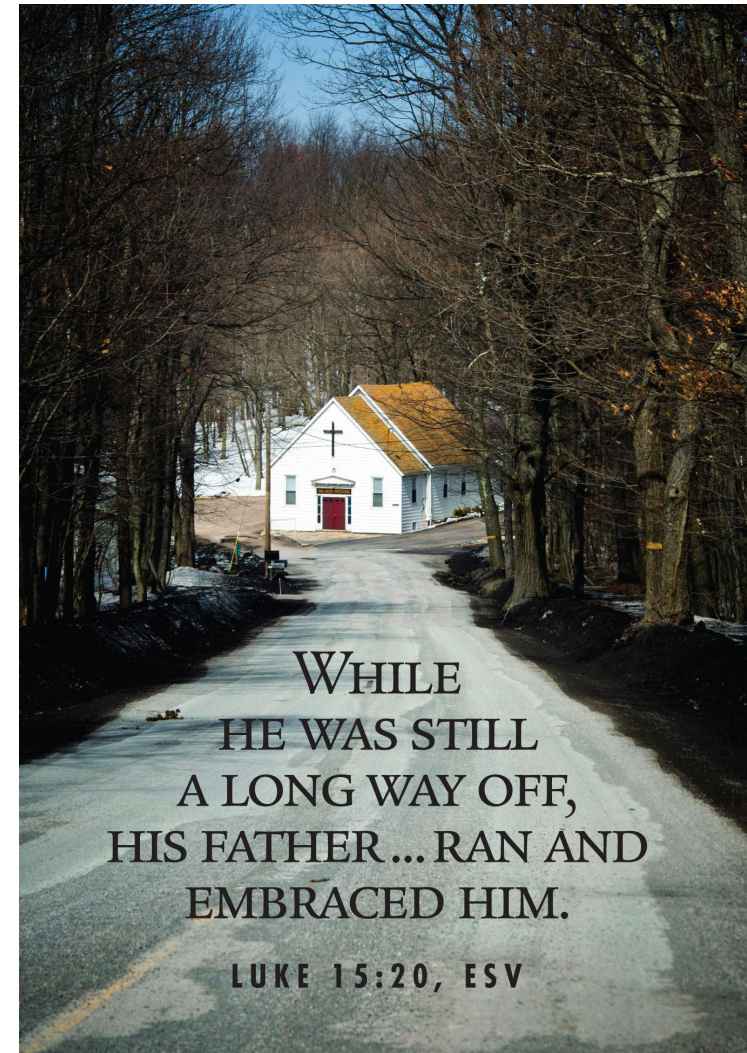
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Musa weNkosi Orphanage

Today, October 27, we are supporting Musa weNkosi Orphanage in South Africa with a special offering. Donations can be put in the offering plate on the kiosk, dropped off at or mailed to the church or sent securely electronically through the church website.

Newsletter/Upper Room/ Announcements

Additional Announcements, the Weekly Calendar and the current newsletter are on the website and through Rush Tidings. Copies of the current Newsletter and Upper Room are on the shelf in the vestibule. To receive Rush Tidings signup at: rumcnews@rushumc.org.



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Luke 15:11-32