

Worship Service
August 7, 2022 – 10:00 AM
(Streamed online www.redrocksefc.org)

Prelude – Donna Dunkle
Worship – Johanna Liu and team
Communion Observance
The Lord's Prayer and Elder Prayer – Paul Miller
Children dismissed to CE
(Nursery is provided for children 3 years and younger)

Message: "Giving Expectantly" Luke 6:30-35
Pastor Matt Strid

Next Sunday: "Giving Intentionally" 1 Corinthians 16:2
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Love God. Love People.
Preach the Word. Reach the World!

This Week

Sunday (today) **11:30am:** Lorna Columbia's last Sunday with us
Wednesday **6:30pm – 8:30pm:** Brook Student Ministry
Saturday **7:30am:** Men's Bible Study
 9:00am – 11:00am: Women's Brunch
Sunday (next) **8:45am – 9:30am:** Sunday School
 11:30am: Missions Team Meeting after service

Bible Study Groups

Men's Bible Study meets on Saturday mornings at RRF beginning at 7:30am. Studying Hebrews led by Pastor Matt Strid.

The Brook Student Ministry

6th-12th Grade –every other Wednesday Night 6:30-8:30pm

PRAYER CONNECTION

PRAISE!

- **Bob Schueneman** - has had no more episodes of difficulty breathing. His cardiologist said to hold off on the stress test. He had another office visit scheduled with his cardiologist on August 3.
- **Arlene Sagee** - I had another x-ray on Monday and my pelvis is healing. I was told I could put full weight on my left foot. That is such a blessing and is due in part to all you wonderful prayer partners. Pray for continued healing and full recovery.

LET'S PRAY!

- **Currat Family** - Continue to pray for the family as they get used to their new normal without their 6-year-old Simon.
- **Lorna Columbia** - This Sunday, August 7th, is Lorna's last day with us as she will be moving to be closer to family. Please be in prayer for Lorna. This will be a hard move as she has lived 30 years in the same house, and grew up here in the area.
- **Elaine Hedlund** - My sister, Carolyn, had four biopsies 2 weeks ago. She is still waiting to hear the results. She is afraid she might need chemotherapy and doesn't want to go through that.
- **Joe Boso** - is asking for healing for his knee. He had a cortisone shot last week but the pain is back. Pray also his dizziness would go away. He can get around but has to be very careful he doesn't fall. Pray for his friend **Rodney Snodgrass** who went to the doctor for stomach pain. They found he has a tumor the size of a baseball in his stomach. They haven't decided yet but it sounds like they will try surgery. Rodney's wife is recovering from cancer.
- **Debbie Beldring** – Thank you for praying for our neighbor, **Pat**. She is doing much better. The doctors were speaking death to her saying she only had a couple days to live. Donna and I went over to speak life and pray with her. She has ovarian cancer and has been going through lots of chemo. Her spirits are lifted and she's better. Pray for full healing and cancer free.
- **M.E. Armbruster** – Pray for my friend Jennie who went through her last chemo treatment on Thursday. Pray for her complete healing and wisdom for her medical team. She is also battling depression and discouragement. Pray for God's continuing guidance and protection for me and protection over vehicles. I had to put a new water pump in my car last week. Pray for more jobs as I begin traversing back to the middle of the country August 21st. I am now in Massachusetts.
- **Bill and Kathy Miller** - An update on **Jason and Audrey**. Jason was moved to Craig hospital. Pray for his continued recovery.

General Health - Ellie Barr, Joe Boso, Bev Burns, Gary Isaacson, Leonard and Barbara Jenkins, Terry Reindl, Pat Sprouse, Dale Fester.

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HELP NEEDED!

Pilgrim Church's food bank is desperately low on supplies and having more and more requests for help from their neighbors. Please bring in non-perishable food items. They need boxed milk along with canned meats-pasta-pb and j and anything you are willing to share. We will do this the month of August or longer. Thank you in advance!

WOMEN'S BRUNCH



Next Saturday is the Second Saturday of the month, Aug 13th, and it's time for our next Women's Gathering. Join us for a time of fellowship, fun and food. So, mark your calendars for: Saturday, August 13th, 9:00am-11:00am. Here at RRF

RECEPTION FOR LORNA COLUMBIA

Join us **TODAY** after service to say good bye to Lorna. She will be moving to Paonia which is about 1.5 hours South East of Grand Junction.



CURRAT FAMILY FUND



Red Rock Fellowship will continue to accept donations for the Currat family. (Put on the memo line Currat Family or you may give online and click on 'Currats Fund.' We will send 100% of the monies raised to Nic and Lindsey directly to help cover their medical, burial and funeral costs for Simon.

SENIOR MINISTRY INVITES YOU!

Tuesday, August 16 to Chatfield Farms Botanic Gardens. Advanced online registration required! See Sue Rairdon or flyer on welcome desk.

"WITHOUT FAITH, IT IS IMPOSSIBLE TO PLEASE GOD"

As individuals and as a church body, there are so many things we need to trust the Lord with and walk by faith in (Everything Really). One great way to do that is to come together regularly and often to corporately pray with each other and for each other; for our families, our church, for the spreading of the Gospel, for our country and the world. **Come together at the church every 3rd through 5th Mondays of every month from 7:00-8:00 pm. Starting Monday August 15th.** This will **not** be a Bible study, this will be a time together to: trust God, talk to God, listen to God and worship God.

MISSIONS OF THE WEEK

CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR UKRAINE

We, at the EFCA, are grateful to see so many EFCA churches joining us in this effort. We are incredibly grateful for an overwhelming response to serve displaced Ukrainians in Europe. Our goal of \$3,000,000 will help Crisis Response and ReachGlobal provide holistic pathways for discipleship, leadership development and church planting in Ukraine and throughout Europe.



Here at RRF, you can give on line through redrocksefc.org and choose 'Ukraine Fund' or write a check to Red Rocks Fellowship with Ukraine Fund in the memo.

Daniel and Charlotte Busenbark **Cadence International** **Fort Mitchell, Alabama**

Even with all the travel and illness, God has been on the move in our ministry! We missed a few weeks of serving (because of Covid and Daniels appendectomy), but we have been back in the work for the past two weeks and



we are so grateful! We are planning our first retreat for the Benning House crew in September - we will be staying at the Cadence Victory Ranch in Columbus, SC near Fort Jackson. We would love your prayers as Daniel and I begin praying and preparing lessons for the group.

PWOC (Protestant Women of the Chapel) is going to start up soon and we would love your prayers for God to move in that community and for us as we minister to the female soldiers and spouses who attend.

We praise God that Daniel went to the emergency room for his abdominal pain that he would usually just push through. We praise God for a successful appendectomy - though he had some trouble initially with his oxygen levels post-surgery. He's still in a little bit of pain here and there, but improving daily.

Sermon Notes
Giving Expecting Nothing
Luke 6:30-35
August 7, 2022

Give without _____ (Luke 6:60-64;
Deuteronomy 7:6-8)

Giving is always a _____. (Luke 6:31;
19:8)

Giving is a _____ way to _____.
(Luke 6:35; Luke 15:23-24)

Elders

Matt Strid - Pastor

Jim Rairdon – Church Chairman

Paul Miller – Church Vice Chairman

Grant Dunkle – Congregational Representative

Harold Johnson – Congregational Representative

Leadership Team

Forney Wells – Chair

Kathy Miller – Finance

Matthew Dunnery – Facility

Sue Rairdon – Seniors

Robert Lodwick – Missions

Louise Walker - Hospitality

Cary Swanson – Recording Sec.

Lauren Danforth – Children

Jesse Miller – Youth

Jon Becker – Media

Johanna Philio Liu – Worship

Aleithia Toews – Women

Purpose of Red Rocks Fellowship

The purpose of this church shall be to work together for the unity, edification, discipline and encouragement of believers that they might grow in grace and holy conduct, and seek to win souls for Christ and to further His cause on the mission fields at home and abroad. Mark 16:15; Acts 2:42; Romans 12; Colossians 3:12-15; Ephesians 4:11-16. Constitution and By-Laws of Red Rocks Fellowship (an Evangelical Free Church)

Red Rocks Guest Wi-Fi password: Fellowship

July 2022 Stewardship Praise Report

Monthly Need:	\$ 39,702.67
Received MTD:	\$ 43,744.13
YTD Need:	\$280,912.57
Received YTD:	\$209,029.76

“For God is the one who provides seed for the farmer and then bread to eat. In the same way, he will provide and increase your resources and then produce a great harvest of generosity in you.”

2 Corinthians 9:10 (NLT)