

### † **Calendar of Events at Rockland:**

Thursday	Sept 11	Bible Study - 10:00 am ; Choir Rehearsal - 7:30 pm
Friday	Sept 12	Rockland Prayer Breakfast – 7:30 am Fellowship Hall
Sunday	Sept 14	Outreach Committee Mtg – Immediately after service
Sunday	Sept 14	SPRC – Joint Rockland - St. James Meeting, 12:45 pm, Rockland Overflow Room
Sunday	Sept 21	Admin Council Mtg -- 12:30 pm, Meeting Room

### † **Guest Preacher** - Please welcome Donna Benson as our guest preacher today.

Donna is a Lay Servant from Saint James. In addition to her role as Lay Servant, she teaches and co-ordinates Sunday school, serves on SPRC and Church Council and is part of a team that organizes the Camp Hope program.

### † **Pastor Katie will be on vacation** August 28-September 7. Lynne Humphries-Russ will be the emergency contact clergy. Lynne's home phone number is (443) 920-3356 and her cell phone number is (410) 952-2792.

### † **Ice Cream Social** – *I Scream, You Scream, We All Scream for Ice Cream!* Hosted by the Nurture Committee of St. James on Sunday, Sept. 7 at 6:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Treat yourself to ice cream, brownies, hot fudge and all the fixin's. Everyone is invited.

### † **SPRC Meeting – Joint Rockland - Saint James SPRC meeting** on September 14, 12:45 pm in the Rockland Overflow Room to decide on the pastoral compensation package for 2015. The SPRCs will agree on compensation package, then it must be presented to the Council at each church, and finally, voted on at the Charge Conference on Oct. 15.

### † **Please mark your calendars for these events at Rockland:**

- ❖ **Spruce Up God's House Day** – Saturday, Sept. 20<sup>th</sup>, 10 a.m.
- ❖ **Fall Festival & Yard Sale** – Saturday, October 18<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 a.m.
- ❖ **Spaghetti Dinner** – Saturday, November 8<sup>th</sup>, 5:00 p.m.
- ❖ **Pot Luck Dinner & Ornament Exchange** – Sun., Dec. 7<sup>th</sup>, noon

### † **Holy Communion** - The Worship Committee has decided to celebrate Holy Communion one Sunday per month this summer. Holy Communion will be celebrated at the altar railing on the following date: **September 14**. In September, the committee will discuss how often to have Holy Communion during the fall. If you have feedback for the committee, please contact Pastor Katie or Susie Twigg, Worship Chair.

### † **Pray** for those in need: Faith Baker and family, Paul & Ruth Cook, Cliff Hughes III, The Oliver Family, Lydia & Jim Roth, Russell Shaver (friend of Lydia R)

### † **Pray** for our Shut-ins: Shirley Bossom, Dorothy Boswell, Virginia Knight, Gladys Latimer, Jack LeBon, Phil McShane, Helen Meiser, Leslea & Marvin Musser, Sue Stein, Thelma Stirn, Erma Wissinger

### † **Pray** for our College Students: Kathryn Twigg Arrildt, Jordan Crouse, Rachel Dobrovolsky, Casey Gamber, Brandon Ingram, Cara Massey, Kimberly Reske, W. Riley Twigg Russell, Matt Scobell, & Kiersten Sweeney



## Rockland United Methodist

*Is a Community that:*

*Communicates God's Word,*

*Invites Commitment,*

*Cares for others and*

*Celebrates God's love through witness and service...*

*September 7, 2014*

*“Inspired by God”*



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