

✠ **Calendar of Events at Rockland:**

Thursdays

Bible Study - 10:00 am ; Choir Rehearsal - 7:30 pm

✠ **Reminder** - Next Sunday is All Saints' Day. On this day, we remember all the saints who have gone before us. We will have a special remembrance for loved ones who have died by lighting candles.

✠ **A Legacy, Life Planning, and End of Year Conversation** - Sunday, October 25 from 12:15 - 1: 15 p.m. at St. Paul's United Methodist Church in Sykesville. Valuable information will be provided on Advance Medical Directives, Wills, Powers of Attorney, and Planned Giving. For more information, and to RSVP, please call Colleen at [410-795-0714](tel:410-795-0714) by October 22. A light lunch will be provided before the workshop.

✠ **Saint James Holiday Bazaar** – Saturday, November 7th, 8:00 am - 1:00 pm. Come join us for some early Holiday shopping. There will be various vendors, a bake table, a flea market, and concessions.

✠ **Rockland Spaghetti Dinner** – Saturday, November 14th, 5:00 – 8:00 pm. This is a wonderful opportunity to get out and have a nice meal with family and friends. All you can eat salad, pasta, bread, drinks, and a sweet treat for \$10.

✠ **Annual Pack-A-Purse/Backpack Drive** – Rockland's Thursday Bible Study is taking donations of new or gently used purses, backpacks and **new travel size** personal hygiene items such as: toothbrushes, toothpaste, mouthwash, comb, brush, compact mirror, tissues, hand sanitizer, deodorant, soap, lotion, powder, shampoo, conditioner, shaving items, body spray, nail care, cosmetics, facial cleanser, lip balm, socks, gloves, hats, etc. The Bible Study will fill the purses/backpacks on Thursday, **December 10**. The purses/backpacks are for teen girls and boys in foster homes, group homes, and homeless shelters. Please leave your donations on the **back table** in the **Overflow Room**. Thank you for your help!

✠ **Food Drive** - Rockland is hosting an ongoing food drive for the Maryland Food Bank. Please place non-perishable items in the box in the overflow room.

✠ **Pray for those in need:** Paul & Ruth Cook, The Family of Iris Goehring, Doris Hirth, Shirley Massey, The Oliver Family, Lydia & Jim Roth, Glenda Teachey, Dorothea White

✠ **Pray for our Shut-ins:** 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, Faith Baker, Jordan Crouse, Rachel Dobrovolsky, Brandon Ingram, Cara Massey, Kimberly Reske, W. Riley Twigg Russell, Matt Scobell, Dawn Smith, & Kiersten Sweeney



Rockland United Methodist Church

*Is a Community that:
Communicates God's Word,
Invites Commitment,
Cares for others and
Celebrates God's love through witness and service*

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"Being Great"



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