

Sunday, February 11, 2024

Traditional Worship – 11:15 a.m.

PRELUDE	<i>Andante (Sonata No. 3)</i> Tom Alderman, Organist	Felix Mendelssohn
CHORAL INTROIT	<i>Praise to the Lord, the Almighty</i> Sanctuary Choir	arr. Mark Hayes
CALL TO WORSHIP		Dr. Tom Davis
* HYMN OF PRAISE #89	<i>Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee</i>	HYMN TO JOY
* THE APOSTLES' CREED #881		Dr. Tom Davis
* GLORIA PATRI		GREATOREX
SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM		James Horace Sheffield IV
* GREETING		
PASTORAL PRAYER/THE LORD'S PRAYER #895		Dr. Tom Davis
INVITATION TO COMMUNITY AND FAITH		
CALL TO OFFERING		Dr. Tom Davis
OFFERING OF OUR TITHES & GIFTS	<i>Elijah Rock!</i> Sanctuary Choir	arr. Jester Hairston
* HYMN OF GRATITUDE #462	<i>'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus (1,3)</i>	TRUST IN JESUS
SCRIPTURE	Luke 10:25-37	
SERMON	<i>Evermore</i>	Dr. Ben Mayfield
* HYMN OF INVITATION #451	<i>Be Thou My Vision</i>	SLANE
* BENEDICTION		Dr. Ben Mayfield
POSTLUDE	<i>Song of Thanksgiving</i> Tom Alderman	John Wilson

* Please stand as you are able.

The flowers on the altar today are given in celebration of the baptism of James Horace Sheffield IV.



**We're delighted you chose to worship at Roswell United Methodist Church.
Come worship with us again on Sundays at 9 and 11:15 a.m.!**



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Want to get connected to a small group, Sunday School class, and more?
Go to rumc.com/adults to find out what's available!

RUMC Pastoral Staff

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Jason Scott	Director of Discipleship

For this week's prayer card, go to rumc.com/prayer.



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This Week

The Artists of RUMC II, Charis Gallery's new exhibit in the Sanctuary building, opens today, featuring 39 works by 16 RUMC artists. Many of the works are available to purchase. The exhibit will be on display through Sunday, April 7.

Wednesday Night Suppers: Join us in the Fellowship Hall each Wednesday evening from 5-6:45 p.m. for great food and fellowship. Dine in or order ahead to go. For a menu and to order online, visit rumc.com/wednesday

Ash Wednesday: The Chapel will be open on Wednesday, February 14 from 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m. and 5-7 p.m. for imposition of ashes, Holy Communion, and a time of silent prayer.

Cookie Decorating: Families are invited to stop by the Trinity Cafe on Wednesday, February 14 between 5 and 6:30 p.m. for cookie decorating. Join us as we celebrate Valentine's Day and the beginning of Lent!

Connect and Learn

The RUMC Book Club extends an open invitation to its next meeting on Tuesday, February 20 at 10 a.m. in the Parlor, Chapel building. Come join the discussion of this month's selection, *Lightning Strike* by William Kent Krueger. Information: Cynthia Brann, cabyo921@yahoo.com

The Dementia Caregivers' Support Group, facilitated by the Dementia Spotlight Foundation, meets in person on the fourth Thursday of each month at 10 a.m. The next meeting is Thursday, February 22 in room B317, Chapel building; pre-registration is not required. CaraVita Home Care will provide care, at no cost, at RUMC for care receivers during the in-person meeting.

Lenten Prayer Service: Join us for a time of prayer on Mondays in the Chapel, February 26-March 25, noon-1 p.m. Our prayer team will be available to pray with you upon request.

Job Networking: Unemployed or know someone who is? Job Networking can help you be more than prepared for crucial next steps in your career. On Monday, February 26, workshops start at 1 p.m. and dinner is at 5:30 p.m. Workshops and other activities are from 7-8p.m. For registration and complete agenda, visit rumcjobnetworking.com

Financial Peace University: Curt Davis will be leading a Financial Peace University class on Sundays, February 25-April 28 from 4:30-6:30 p.m. in the Dining Room. Cost for the class is \$50 and will include all materials. For more information, contact Curt at cd@curtdavis.net

Women's and Men's Retreats are being offered this spring. Grow your faith and connect with like-minded individuals during a meaningful time of fellowship. To learn more and to register, visit rumc.com/adults

New Bible Studies: Whether you are a seasoned Bible study veteran or just getting started, we have great classes to strengthen your spiritual muscles and help you grow closer in your relationship to Jesus and others. Learn more and register at rumc.com/adults/bible-studies/

Adult Sunday School: Have you thought about joining a Sunday School class but don't know what class to attend? There are 19 different adult Sunday School classes that meet on Sunday morning. If you need help deciding on one or have questions, contact Jason Scott, Director of Discipleship at scottj@rumc.com or visit rumc.com/adults/

Ways to Serve

Scouting for Food: Every Sunday in February, members of Boy Scout Troops 431 & 432 and Cub Scout Pack 845 will be available outside of the Sanctuary building to collect your canned foods and deliver to the food pantry of North Fulton Community Charities. You can find a list of items needed at rumc.com/outreach/mission-local/

The Sunday Morning Volunteer Team can use your helping hands across our campus, from door hosts to ushers, camera operators and Sunday School teachers. Learn how you can serve in an area that interests you by contacting JoAn Hobbs: jhobbs@rumc.com or 770.261.1731

The prayer card is updated weekly at rumc.com/prayer. If you need prayer, please send us a request online or at pray@rumc.com

Operating Budget Update: The February budget is \$371,894.00; gifts through February 4 totaled \$52,862.88. February 2023 gifts totaled \$347,403.19.