

## 2022 RUC GIVING TREE

The Giving Tree is the local form of RUC's Alternative Giving program. The two local causes that benefit from the Giving Tree are described here: The first cause supports the residents of Community REACH's Housing Program. Community REACH provides permanent, supportive housing and case management services for formerly homeless men and women. Throughout the year we support the housing program by preparing meals for the residents of Rockland and Jefferson houses. Through your donations to the Giving Tree, we provide the residents with gift cards to support their personal needs throughout the year.



The second cause supports RUC's Pastoral Care of the Congregation. Throughout the year members of the congregation have personal needs that require assistance and there is no direct resource for the Pastors to draw upon. Your donations to the Giving Tree are converted into gift cards that the Pastors use as a resource for meeting the unexpected needs of our congregation.

### HOW THE GIVING TREE WORKS

Donations will be accepted between November 27 and December 18, 2022. When the campaign closes, Donna Perry-Lalley will deliver all gift cards to the RUC Pastors and to the Community REACH Housing Director to be presented to the residents of Rockland and Jefferson houses before the holidays.

### WAYS TO HELP/DONATE:

#### DONATE ELECTRONICALLY

You may give electronically by Credit or Debit card or, by PayPal, by clicking the PayPal logo below.



#### DONATE AT CHURCH

Select an ornament/gift tag off the tree, buy the gift card noted on the back and return the gift tag attached to the gift card to the Offering Basket in the Narthex of RUC between November 27, 2022 and December 18, 2022.

#### MAIL YOUR DONATION

Write a check to "Rockville United Church" and address the envelope to Rockville United Church, 355 Linthicum Ave., Rockville, MD 20851. Please note "Giving Tree" on the outside of the envelope and on the memo line of your check.

#### TO PRINT ENCLOSURES, CLICK HERE

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