

SUNDAY NEWS

JUNE 27, 2021

The Passing of the Offering Plate – With the corona virus and other types of health concerns and for the safety of everyone, we have decided to not pass the offering plate; those who have brought their offering can place it in the plate as they enter the sanctuary or as they exit.

Annual USO Drive – Today is the last day for donations for the USO located at Lambert Airport in St. Louis. This collection is a small way to give support and comfort to our service men and women. Thank you for your generosity!

Serving This Morning

Liturgist: Karen Tucker
Greeters: Kirk & Sallie Hancox
Ushers: Delores Musket, Jane Wilson
Sound System Tech: John Crane
(Hearing devices are available if needed. Please ask an usher for one.)

Usher Dismissal: An usher will dismiss you by row at the conclusion of the service. They will begin at the BACK and go FORWARD. Thank you for your understanding.

Name Tags – We encourage everyone to wear their name tags to help Rev. Nicholas get to know us better! If you have misplaced your name tag or need a new one please contact the church office. Thank you!

“These Days” Devotionals for July-August-September are available in the literature rack at the top of the grand staircase.

On Our List For Prayers

Health and Healing:

David Pehle	Jim Doehring	Helen Williams	Helen Schupp	Phyllis Olson
Margaret Kroeter	Hettie Becker	Donna Staten	Frank Fazzari	Jerry Kreft
Charlotte Ellison	Marcia Van Leer	Wayne Sherfield	Gerry Hoelscher	
Vickie Johanpeter (hip replacement surgery on June 24)			Darlene Farrell (sister of Charlotte Ellison)	
Brooke Ridgley (granddaughter of Carolyn George)	Jane Bade (friend of Mandy Frick & Annie Buehrle)			
Kevin Puls (son & brother of Melva Puls & Connie Thompson)				
Sharon Waldrop (friend of Jim & Judy Doehring)	Roger McDaniel (brother-in-law of Larry & Betty Clark)			
Mitch Angell (friend of Jerry & Charlotte Ellison)	Marilyn Webb (recovering from hip surgery)			
Tammy Wettling (friend of Charlotte Ellison)	Mike Matthews (friend of Carolyn George)			
Walter & Rita Ries (cousins of Helen Schupp)	Shirley Brand (friend of Gerry Hoelscher)			
Chuck Lomas (brother in law of Jerry Ellison)	Eric Heitman (nephew of Judy & Jim Doehring)			
Heather Gooch (great niece of Charlotte Ellison)	Josh & Tricia Pardee-Jacka (friends of Charlotte Ellison)			
Liz Klemme (daughter/sister of Armin, Norma & Phil Klemme)				
Cindy Roach (friend of Charlotte Ellison)	Glenda Foster (friend of Charlotte Ellison)			
Jean Epple (friend of Gerry Hoelscher)	Vanessa Dobsch (niece of Charlotte Ellison)			
Aubrey Reed (granddaughter of Charlotte & Jerry Ellison)				
Bill Greife (friend of Gary & Kathy Reed)	Mary Dobsch (sister of Charlotte Ellison)			
Norma Schroeder (friend of Gerry Hoelscher)	Glenneta Vogelsang (mother of Sharon Stausing)			
Janie Knutson (wife of Matthew Knutson)	Greg Forbis (nephew of Bruce Templer)			
Doris Feth (mother of Phyliss Fink)				
Jane Berghorn – on hospice care (wife & mother of Ken Berghorn & Lori Helms)				

Sympathy Is Extended to:

Amanda, Johnnie & Steven LaValle, Adrienne Koester & families on the death of their daughter, granddaughter & niece Bella LaValle, who died on June 18th. Funeral service was on June 24th by Rev. Nicholas at Midlawn Funeral Home with burial in Midlawn Cemetery.

Church Family Undergoing Cancer Treatment:

Bob Soetebier	Gail Haynes (daughter of Marilyn Viehland)
Adam Petry (cousin of Jeff & Alysha Petry)	Ronald Dobsch (nephew of Charlotte Ellison)
Sarah Reed (daughter-in-law of Charlotte & Jerry Ellison)	
Jim Grafrath (grandpa of Brooklyn & Hunter Grafrath)	Eric (13 year old)
Cynthia Johnson (friend of Karen Stafford)	Kim Gallagher (friend of Chris & Dawn Robinson)
Trish Kennedy (friend of Charlotte Ellison)	Alice Pratt (friend of Karen Stafford)
Allen Coffman (friend of David & Shawn Pehle)	Marissa Schollenberger (friend of Tom & Gayle Williams)
Donna Eime (friend of Jim & Judy Doehring)	Ron Bragg (friend of Jill Thompson)
Al Marquart (father-in-law of Brad Parker)	

Members in Long-Term Care Facilities:

Betty Lueker (Union Care Center, Union) Shirley Fraser (Sunset Healthcare Ctr., Union)
Betty Freise (Sunset Healthcare Ctr., room 401) Mary Walker (New Haven Care Center, New Haven)
Jim Metcalf (Victorian Place, Union)
Wally & June Helgenberg (Solstice Senior Living, Fenton, MO)

Various Concerns:

Prayer for our country and those actively serving: Caleb Church in Missouri (grandson of June & Wally Helgenberg);
David Paland (grandson of June & Wally Helgenberg); Trevor Grannemann (grandson of Mark & Evelyn Klenke)

Christian Education/Faith Quest/Youth News

Vacation Bible School in June – This morning is the last day of VBS. We hope all participants and volunteers had a great time!

Just A Reminder – There will be NO Chapel Time in July and August. Activity packets are available in the upper commons for children to take and use during worship services. We are looking forward to returning to Faith Quest in the fall!

Church Calendar – June 27, 2021 to July 4, 2021

Today -	5th Sunday after Pentecost 9:00 a.m. Worship 9:00-11:00 a.m. Vacation Bible School (fellowship hall)
Wed., June 30 -	10:00 a.m. July newsletter assembled (fellowship hall) 12:00 noon Loops of Love (lower commons)
Thurs., July 1 -	8:00 a.m.-12:00 noon Quilting Circle
Next Sun., July 4 -	6th Sunday after Pentecost/Communion 9:00 a.m. Worship

Mon., June 28 – Final articles for the July “Spirit of Zion” newsletter are due in the church office on Monday, June 28th. The newsletter will be assembled on Wednesday, June 30th at 10 a.m. in the fellowship hall.

Greeter Sign Up Sheet – A sign up sheet is posted on the lower commons bulletin board for greeters for the month of August. If you are interested please sign up for one or more Sundays! Thank you!

Needed: Video Camera Techs – A team of volunteers is needed to record worship services. Training will be provided. If you are interested please contact the church office. Thank you!

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Organist: Brenda Herring
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