

PRAYER LIST

For global and national concerns: For an end to oppression, violence, and terrorism and for peace throughout the world, especially for the Middle East Region and Ukraine; the victims and families of victims of mass shootings, for all the students and workers at the Marafiki AIDS Orphanage in Kenya; for all refugees; for those suffering storms or wildfires, also the victims and their families in Turkey and Syria after the devastating earthquakes. Communities dealing with train derailments and resulting environment damaging spills.

For our companion Synods in Honduras, Papua New Guinea, and Latvia.

For those who serve our nation: Doctors, nurses, paramedics and hospital staffs, teachers, soldiers and workers Christian Engle, Frank Langston, Shane McGowan, Dalton Ramey, Austin Robb, Travis Robb, Davin Schultz and Allie Vanous; for those in the military and all our veterans; and for police and government officials working for peace and safety in our nation.

For Strength and Healing:

Rev. Roseanne Anderson	Lisa Graham	Dave Needham
Myrna Bailey	Molly Grant	Pamela's daughter
Robin Bartles	Rev. Joan Herbon	Paul (asked no last)
Tom Beck	Terry Howell	Stacey Otterbein
Melanie Blanchard	Jeannie Kops	Dave Skiver
Sheryl Burke	Joyce Lincoln	Lois Slade
Jill Cleveland	Norma Ludlow	Geneva Slade
Marlene Collins	Lindsey Mahawon	Suzanne Sponsler
Phil Duryea	Maureen (asked no last)	Ron Sweinhagen
Jamie Flynn	Lucas McCoy	Hanna Sygnecki
Kelly Flynn	Aurea McNamara	Ferne Tanner
Mary Foulke	Lee Ann Minton	Butch Tanner
Dave & Patti Gier	Larry "Ted" Minton	Shawn Ule
Mikayla Goodwin	Sue Minton	Lynn & Bill Zoller

For those grieving: especially the families of Philipp Byers, Louise Heath, Carson Needham, and Mary Lou Weber.

For those seeking guidance and discernment:

Especially for the ministry of King's Kupboard Food Pantry and those we serve, for our Bishop Craig Satterlee and Presiding Bishop Elizabeth Eaton, and for their staffs, for missionaries Shan and Lindsey Mahawon, and for those who don't yet know Christ.

Prayer Partners:

Rev. Sean William at St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Hillsdale
Rev. Chrisy Bright at Trinity Lutheran Church in Barton City



TLC HAPPENINGS
March 12, 2023

PRAYER FOR CALL PROCESS: Loving God, be with us and guide us during this time of discernment. Fill our leaders with your wisdom. Keep us mindful of the work you would have us do. Lead us and guide us O Lord to be about the work of your kingdom even as the search for a new pastor continues. Bless all who have taken on extra responsibility, and fill them with a sense of your love and presence. Merciful God,
Amen

MIDWEEK LENTEN SERVICES: Amy Otterbein has agreed to lead our Midweek Services through Lent. It will be a musical service similar to what we did in Advent.

SYNOD ASSEMBLY: Synod Assembly is May 7 to 9 in Mt Pleasant this year. We need two delegates for the assembly. The church pays motel and registration fees. It is great opportunity to participate in the operation of our synod. If you are interested please let Terry or anyone on council know as soon as possible.

KING'S KUPBOARD VOLUNTEERS : We have several of our afternoon volunteers who are going to be out of town for most of May and June so we really need help. Also our insurance requires that at least one volunteer be a member of the church any time we are open.

EASTER FLOWER ORDERS: The insert is in the bulletin for orders. Blossom Shop has kept the prices the same as last year. Orders deadline is March 26th.

EASTER EGG HUNT: We will do a Community Easter Egg Hunt on Saturday April 8th so we will need candy and people to stuff eggs. Also volunteers to help the day of the Egg Hunt. The candy needs to be individually wrapped and small enough for the eggs. Remember some are allergic to chocolate and/or nuts.

THIS WEEK AT TRINITY

SUNDAY March 12	Third Sunday in Lent 9:30 am: Service with Holy Communion Pastor Martha Reid
MONDAY March 13	9:00-10:30 am: KK Stocking 3:30-5:20 pm: King's Kupboard Open
TUESDAY March 14	9:00-10:30 am: KK Stocking 10:00-11:30am: Bible Study
WEDNESDAY March 15	3:30-5:20 pm: King's Kupboard Open 6:30pm Midweek Service
THURSDAY March 16	9:00-10:30 am: KK Stocking 12:00pm: Finance Meeting
FRIDAY March 17	9:30-11:00 am: Walmart donation sorting 3:30-5:20 pm: King's Kupboard Open
SUNDAY March 19	Fourth Sunday in Lent 9:30 am: Service with Holy Communion Pastor Martha Reid 11:00 am: Council
MONDAY March 20	9:00-10:30 am: KK Stocking 3:30-5:20 pm: King's Kupboard Open
TUESDAY March 21	9:00-10:30 am: KK Stocking 10:00-11:30am: Bible Study
WEDNESDAY March 22	9:30-11:00 am: Walmart donation sorting 3:30-5:20 pm: King's Kupboard Open 6:30pm Midweek Service
THURSDAY March 23	9:00-10:30 am: KK Stocking

PASTOR'S CORNER

In the event of pastoral needs please contact me, Chris McNamara, on my cell phone at 517-416-4713. I have several local pastors who I can put you in touch with.

Office Hours for Church Secretary: Monday, Tuesday and Thursday 9:00am to 2:00pm (except Tuesdays from 10:00 to 11:30 for Bible Study)

Office Hours for KK Coordinator: Monday, Tuesday and Thursday 9:00 am to 1:00pm Friday 10:00 am to 2:00 pm

March Birthdays: Pam Benzing (3/2), Becky Morrison (3/23), Connor Otterbein (3/16), Joe Painter (3/17), Eloise Ramey (3/26), Cathy Shively (3/7), Dave Skiver (3/18), Vicki Skiver (3/27), Tom Stockford-Shively (3/6), Terry Vear (3/17), Mel Williams(3/23)

Consider signing up for Simply Giving. Contact the church office if you are interested in automatic giving from your bank account.

Financial Stewardship

General Fund (01/31/2023) Y-T-D Budget	Actual
Pledged Income	\$ 7,000
Other Income	\$ 783*
Total Income	\$ 7,783*
Total Expenses	\$ 4,840
Net Income	\$ 2,943*

These figures do not include King's Kupboard.

*These figures reflect \$0.00 transferred from the Edward Jones account.

Building Fund: Jan.-Dec. 2023 Pledged: \$3,984 YTD Received 290
YTD Given Barnyard Boxes Animal Project & Ornaments: \$113.50
YTD Given for ELCA World Hunger: \$23
YTD Given for Marafiki Scholarship: \$62

Daily Bible Readings

Su Exodus 17:1-7	Psalms 95	Romans 5:1-11	John 4:5-42
M Psalm 81	Genesis 24:1-27		2 John 1-13
Tu Psalm 81	Genesis 29: 1-14		1 Corinthians 10:1-4
W Psalm 81	Jeremiah 2:4-13		John 7:14-31, 37-39
Th Psalm 23	1 Samuel 15:10-21		Ephesians 4:25-32
Fr Psalm 23	1 Samuel 15:22-31		Ephesians 5:1-9
S Psalm 23	1 Samuel 15:32-34		John 1:1-9

Fragrance: Some people in worship are allergic to perfumes. Please keep your fragrance use to a minimum at worship on Sunday.

Reminder: If you are the last to leave one of our buildings, please be sure the lights are off and all doors are closed and locked behind you.