Welcome
5th Sunday of Easter
May 2, 2021
10:30 a.m. Worship & Holy Communion

UNION LUTHERAN CHURCH
Christ Centered - Mission Driven - Traditionally-Grounded - Congregationally Focused

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WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

P Christ is Risen!
C He is risen, indeed! Alleluia!

PRELUDE "I Know That My Redeemer Lives!" arr. Floeter

BRIEF ORDER FOR CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

The minister leads the congregation in the invocation. The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.

P In the name of the Father, and of the + Son, and of the Holy Spirit.
C Amen

P Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.
C Amen

P If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

Silence for reflection and self-examination.

P Most merciful God,
C we confess that we are in bondage to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen

The minister stands and addresses the congregation.

P Almighty God, in his mercy, has given his Son to die for us and, for his sake, forgives us all our sins. As a called and ordained minister of the Church of Christ, and by his authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the + Son, and of the Holy Spirit.
C Amen.

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Hallelujah! Jesus Lives!

1 Hal-le-lu-jah! Je-sus lives! He is now the Liv-ing One;
2 Je-sus lives! Why do you weep? Why that sad and mourn-ful sigh?
3 Je-sus lives! And thus, my soul, Life e-ter-nal waits for you;
4 Je-sus lives! Let all re-joice. Praise him, ran-somed of the earth.
GREETING
The minister greets the congregation.

P The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C And also with you.

KYRIE

A In peace, let us pray to the Lord. ☩ Lord, have mercy.

A For the peace from above, and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord.

☉ Lord, have mercy.

A For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God,

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and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For this holy house, and for all who offer here their worship and praise,

let us pray to the Lord. Lord, have mercy.

Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord. Amen

HYMN OF PRAISE

This is the feast of victory for our God. Alleluia.

Worthy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose blood set us free to be people of God. Power and riches and wisdom and strength, and honor and blessing and glory are his.

This is the feast of victory for our God. Alleluia.
PRAYER OF THE DAY

P Let us pray. O God, you make the minds of the faithful to be of one will. Grant that your people would love what you command and desire what you promise, that, among the manifold changes of this world, our hearts may be fixed where true joys are to be found; through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever

C Amen

Please be seated.

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

FIRST LESSON: Acts 8:26-40

26 An angel of the Lord said to Philip, “Rise and go toward the south to the road that goes down from Jerusalem to Gaza.” This is a desert place. 27 And he rose and went. And there was an Ethiopian, a eunuch, a court official of Candace, queen of the Ethiopians, who was in charge of all her treasure. He had come to Jerusalem to worship 28 and was returning, seated in his chariot, and he was reading the prophet Isaiah. 29 And the Spirit said to Philip, “Go over and join this chariot.” 30 So Philip ran to him and heard him reading Isaiah the prophet and asked, “Do you understand what you are reading?” 31 And he said, “How can I, unless someone guides me?” And he invited Philip to come up and sit with him. 32 Now the passage of the Scripture that he was reading was this: “Like a sheep he was led to the slaughter and like a lamb before its shearer is silent, so he opens not his mouth. 33 In his humiliation justice was denied him.
Who can describe his generation? For his life is taken away from the earth.”

34 And the eunuch said to Philip, “About whom, I ask you, does the prophet say this, about himself or about someone else?”

35 Then Philip opened his mouth, and beginning with this Scripture he told him the good news about Jesus.

36 And as they were going along the road they came to some water, and the eunuch said, “See, here is water! What prevents me from being baptized?”

38 And he commanded the chariot to stop, and they both went down into the water, Philip and the eunuch, and he baptized him.

39 And when they came up out of the water, the Spirit of the Lord carried Philip away, and the eunuch saw him no more, and went on his way rejoicing.

40 But Philip found himself at Azotus, and as he passed through he preached the gospel to all the towns until he came to Caesarea.

Lay Reader Here ends the reading.

PSALM 150 sung in unison

1 Hallelujah! Praise God in his holy temple; praise him in the firmament of his power.

2 Praise him for his mighty acts; praise him for his ex-cellent greatness.

3 Praise him with the blast of the ram’s horn; praise him with lyre and harp.

4 Praise him with tim-brel and dance; praise him with strings and pipe.

5 Praise him with re-sounding cymbals; praise him with loud clanging cymbals.

6 Let everything that has breath praise the Lord. Hallelujah!

SECOND LESSON: 1 John 4:1-11

1 Beloved, do not believe every spirit, but test the spirits to see whether they are from God, for many false prophets have gone out into the world.

2 By this you know the Spirit of God: every spirit that confesses that Jesus Christ has come in the flesh is from God,

3 and every spirit that does not confess Jesus is not from God. This is the spirit of the antichrist, which you heard was coming and now is in the world already.

4 Little children, you are from God and have overcome them, for he who is in you is greater than he who is in the world.

5 They are from the world; therefore they speak from the world, and the world listens to them.

6 We are from God. Whoever knows God listens to us; whoever is not from God does not listen to us. By this we know the Spirit of truth and the spirit of error.

7 Beloved, let us love one another, for love is from God, and whoever loves has been born of God and knows God.

8 Anyone who does not love does not know God, because God is love.

9 In this the love of God was made manifest among us, that God sent his only Son into the world, so that we might live through him.

10 In this is love, not that we have loved God but that he loved us and sent his Son to be the propitiation for our sins.

11 Beloved, if God so loved us, we also ought to love one another.
Please stand as you are able.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

P The Holy Gospel according to St. John the 15th chapter.
C Glory to you, O Lord.

GOSPEL: John 15:1-8

1 {Jesus said,} “I am the true vine, and my Father is the vinedresser. 2 Every branch in me that does not bear fruit he takes away, and every branch that does bear fruit he prunes, that it may bear more fruit. 3 Already you are clean because of the word that I have spoken to you. 4 Abide in me, and I in you. As the branch cannot bear fruit by itself, unless it abides in the vine, neither can you, unless you abide in me. 5 I am the vine; you are the branches. Whoever abides in me and I in him, he it is that bears much fruit, for apart from me you can do nothing. 6 If anyone does not abide in me he is thrown away like a branch and withers; and the branches are gathered, thrown into the fire, and burned. 7 If you abide in me, and my words abide in you, ask whatever you wish, and it will be done for you. 8 By this my Father is glorified, that you bear much fruit and so prove to be my disciples.”

P The Gospel of the Lord.
C Praise to you, O Christ.

Please be seated.

SERMON Love is a God Thing Pastor Heidi Punt
Please stand as you are able.

Jesu, Jesu, Fill Us with Your Love

Refrain

Jesu, Jesu, fill us with your love, show
us how to serve the neighbors we have from you.

1 Kneels at the feet of his friends, silently washes their
feet, master who pours out himself for them.
2 Neighbors are wealthy and poor, varied in color and
race, neighbors are near by and far away.
3 These are the ones we will serve, these are the ones we will
love; all these are neighbors to us and you.
4 Kneel at the feet of our friends, silently washing their
feet: this is the way we will live with you.
INSTALLATION OF MUSIC DIRECTOR

The person to be installed and all council members approach the presiding minister. A representative of the church council comes forward and addresses the presiding minister.

L After prayerful deliberation, we of Union Lutheran Church certify that Isaiah Cornelius has been appointed to work as Music Director.

Please be seated.

The minister addresses the candidate:

P Our Lord, who came among us a servant, calls us to faith and a life of loving service to our neighbor. You stand among us as one called to render a particular service, a gift from God to inspire us to praise and thank God, to cultivate an outlet for the gift of music and remember the words of God expressed in rhythm and song.

The following is read.

P Martin Luther wrote: “Music is a fair and lovely gift of God which has often wakened and moved me to the joy of preaching...Next after theology, I give to music the highest place and greatest honor...My heart bubbles up and overflows in response to music, which has so often refreshed me and delivered me from dire plagues.”

P The apostle Paul wrote: “Therefore be imitators of God, as beloved children. And walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us, a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God...be filled with the Spirit, addressing one another in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing and making melody to the Lord with your heart, giving thanks always and for everything to God the Father in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.” (Ephesians 5)

The minister questions the candidate:

P Will you assume this ministry in the confidence that it comes from God?
R I will, and I ask God to help me.

P Will you carry out this ministry in accordance with the teaching and practice of the Lutheran Church?
R I will, and I ask God to help me.

P Will you be diligent in your study of the Holy Scriptures?
R I will, and I ask God to help me.

P Will you trust in God’s care, seek to grow in love for those you serve, strive for excellence in your skills, and adorn the Gospel of God with a godly life?
R I will, and I ask God to help me.

P Almighty God, who has given you the will to do these things graciously give you the strength and compassion to perform them.
C Amen

The minister addresses the candidate:

P Isaiah Cornelius, I install you as Music Director in the name of the Father, Son, and of the Holy Spirit.
C Amen
The newly installed may kneel, the representatives of the council lay their hands on the newly installed, and the minister says the prayer appropriate to the ministry.

P  Let us pray, O God of majesty, whom saints and angels delight to worship. Be present with your servant who seeks through your gift of music to perfect our praises and to proclaim your Word with power. Through this ministry grant us new awareness of your beauty and grace, and make us all worthy at length to join the praises of the hosts of heaven, through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

C  Amen

The minister blesses the newly installed.

P  Almighty God, our heavenly Father, guide, bless, and keep you, that you may be faithful in the ministry to which you have been called.

C  Amen

P  Let us welcome our new Music Director.

Please stand as able.

NICENE CREED

C  We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven; by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son. With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen

THE PRAYERS

P  Let us pray for the whole people of God in Christ Jesus, and for all people according to their needs.

After each portion of the prayers:

P  Lord, in your mercy,

C  hear our prayer.

The prayers conclude:

P  Into your hands, O Lord, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in your mercy; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

C  Amen
THE PEACE

In an attempt to be vigilant and responsible, please use Hand Sanitizers provided at each entrance. Please refrain from shaking hands and reserve a little space between one another. Nods, elbows, or gentle pat on the shoulders, etc., are welcome!

P The peace of the Lord be with you always.
C And also with you.

Please be seated.

PRESENTATION OF THE GIFTS

The Offering is received as the Lord’s Table is prepared. All loose offering will go towards the Social Ministry Fund. If you wish to contribute to Benevolence, please mark your envelope accordingly. For the month of May, Rowan Helping Ministries is the focused Benevolence, if you wish for your giving to go there please specify accordingly.

ANTHEM
A Canon of Praise
Belles and Beaus/Chancel Choir
Natalie Sleeth

Please stand as you are able.

OFFERTORY PRAYER

P Let us pray. Merciful Father,
C we offer with joy and thanksgiving what you have first given us—our selves, our time, and our possessions, signs of your gracious love. Receive them for the sake of him who offered himself for us, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen
GREAT THANKSGIVING

P  The Lord be with you.
C  And also with you.
P  Lift up your hearts.
C  We lift them to the Lord.
P  Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
C  It is right to give our thanks and praise.
P  It is indeed right and salutary...we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

P  Blessed are you, Lord of heaven and earth. In mercy for our fallen world you gave your only Son, that all those who believe in him should not perish, but have eternal life. We give thanks to you for the salvation you have prepared for us through Jesus Christ. Send now your Holy Spirit into our hearts, that we may receive our Lord with a living faith as he comes to us in his holy supper.
C  Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.
P  In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me. Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me.
C  Amen
THE LORD’S PRAYER

C  Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen

Please be seated.

COMMUNION

As the minister gives the bread and wine, and says these words to each communicant:

The body of Christ, given for you. The blood of Christ, shed for you.

The communicant may say: Amen

At Union Lutheran Church the Sacrament of Holy Communion is celebrated each Sunday. All baptized Christians who believe in the real presence of Christ in the Lord’s Supper are invited to commune. All who do not commune are invited to come forward to receive a blessing. Please follow the directions of the Ushers.

Please stand as you are able.

COMMUNION MUSIC

Dawn Merrell, Harp
Petite Berceuse
No. 4 from Aquatintes

After all have returned to their places, the minister may say these or similar words.

P  The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace.
C  Amen
CANTICLE
A post-communion canticle or an appropriate hymn or song may be sung.

PRAYER
The following or a similar post-communion prayer is said.

P Let us pray. We give you thanks, almighty God, that you have refreshed us through the healing power of this gift of life; and we pray that in your mercy you would strengthen us through this gift, in faith toward you and fervent love toward one another; for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord.

C Amen

BLESSING
The minister blesses the congregation, using this or another appropriate blessing.

P The Lord bless you and keep you.
The Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you.
The Lord look upon you with favor and + give you peace.

C Amen

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This joyful Eastertide, Away with sin and
THE SENDING
The minister may dismiss the congregation.

P  Go in peace. Serve the Lord.
C  Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE 15
Next Week’s Readings (May 9):
Acts 10:34-48; Psalm 98; 1 John 5:1-8; John 15:9-17

Those Serving in May
Acolyte: Tyler Goodman
Altar Guild: Jan Huffman and Vivian Sprinkle
Communion Assistants: Brad and Jan Huffman
Lay Reader: Vicki Hunter
Ushers: Phil and Linda Cauble, Mike and Brenda Cauble, and Frank and Dawn Merrell
Offering Counting Team: Tara Davis ~ Cathy Kluttz Painther ~ Ronald Vellines

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OFFICE HOURS: 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Monday-Friday

WORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES
9:30 a.m. Sunday School (please remember to practice social distancing)
9:00 a.m. Worship & Holy Communion ~ 10:30 a.m. Worship & Holy Communion

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Sunday’s Activities (May 2):
9:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Worship & Holy Communion
9:30 a.m. Sunday School for all ages.
Drew Wise Adult Sunday School Class topic:
Speaking Truth to Power - 1 John 3:23-4:3a; 1 Kings 22:1-40
Isaiah Cornelius, Music Director, first Sunday at Union!
All are welcome to join us for a Reception in honor of our new Music Director,
Isaiah Cornelius, today following worship in the Dutch Meeting Hall.

The ALTAR FLOWERS are given to the glory of God and in honor of the following Kesler Family birthdays: Faye Kesler (5/17), Rev. Tonya Kesler Brittain (5/17), Bobbie Kesler-Corletto (5/18), Tim Kesler (5/24), and Linda Kesler (5/28).

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Please Note: During the week at 2:00 p.m. Monday-Friday via Facebook (https://www.facebook.com/ulcsalisbury/) Pastor Heidi Punt is sharing Where in the World is God? Video can be found on our webpage too (https://ulcsalisbury.org/).

Monday, May 3- Friday, May 7
Pastor Heidi Punt will be attending the Pastors’ Conference in San Antonio, Texas. While Pastor Heidi is at the Conference the Acts Bible Studies will not be held on May 4 and 5.

Next Sunday’s Activities (May 9, Mother’s Day):
9:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Worship & Holy Communion
9:30 a.m. Sunday School for all ages.
Drew Wise Adult Sunday School Class topic:
Offering Hope for the Future - Jeremiah 29:10-14; Isaiah 29
Date change: 6:00 p.m.-7:30 p.m. Youth Event
Sharon Leazer has reserved the Altar Flowers for Sunday, May 9.
CALeNDAR AT A GLANCE

Tuesday, May 11
Date Change: 5:30 p.m. Confirmation practice
6:30 p.m. Acts Bible Study (Old Pine Center)

Wednesday, May 12
10:00 a.m. Acts Bible Study (Old Pine Center)
11:00 a.m. Education Ministries
Date Change: 5:30 p.m. Worship & Music Committee
Zoom is available. Please contact Frank Merrell for link.
6:30 p.m. Belles and Beaus
7:30 p.m. Chancel Choir

Thursday, May 13
10:00 a.m. Good Timers
Guest Speaker, Ronnie Smith
2:00 p.m. Online Ascension Prayer Service
5:00 p.m. Staff meeting
Date and Time Change: 6:30 p.m. Executive Committee meeting

Sunday, May 16
9:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Worship & Holy Communion
9:30 a.m. Sunday School for all ages.
Drew Wise Adult Sunday School Class topic:
Preaching Doom - Jeremiah 38:7-13; 39:15-18; Jeremiah 37-39
2:00 p.m. Church Council
3:00 p.m. Emma Clifton and Adam Thompson will be sharing their Confirmation presentation during the Church Council meeting.
Dawn Merrell has reserved the Altar Flowers for Sunday, May 16.

Tuesday, May 18-Friday, May 21
Pastor Heidi Punt will be out of the office.
While Pastor Heidi is out of the office the Acts Bible Studies will not be held on May 18 and 19.

Wednesday, May 19
6:30 p.m. Belles and Beaus
7:30 p.m. Chancel Choir

Friday, May 21
5:30 p.m. Game Night

Sunday, May 23 (Day of Pentecost/Confirmation Sunday)
9:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Worship & Holy Communion
9:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Confirmation Sunday
9:30 a.m. Sunday School for all ages.
Drew Wise Adult Sunday School Class topic:
Preaching to the Exiles - Psalm 147; Ezekiel 18
Sunday, May 23 (continued)
Reception in honor of our Confirmands following the 10:30 a.m. Worship Service.
June Messenger articles are due to the church office on Sunday, May 23.
Deadline for turning in list of 2021 Graduates is Sunday, May 23.
Please sign up to reserve the Altar Flowers for Sunday, May 23.

Tuesday, May 25
6:30 p.m. Acts Bible Study (Old Pine Center)

Wednesday, May 26
10:00 a.m. Acts Bible Study (Old Pine Center)
6:30 p.m. Belles and Beaus
7:30 p.m. Chancel Choir

Sunday, May 30 (Holy Trinity Sunday)
9:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Worship & Holy Communion
9:30 a.m. Sunday School for all ages.
Drew Wise Adult Sunday School Class topic:
Preaching to Enemies - Jonah 2-3
10:30 a.m. Recognition of Gerald Bame Scholarship Recipients
June Messenger will be available to pick up in the Narthex.
Please sign up to reserve the Altar Flowers for Sunday, May 30.

Monday, May 31 (Memorial Day)
Church Office is closed.
Deadline to sign up for 90 Days Reading through the Bible Chronologically
For more information regarding activities and events,
please contact the church office. Please note dates/times are subject to change.

For the month of May, our BENEVOLENCE GIVING will be focused on assisting our community through donations to Rowan Helping Ministries. They have provided a list of items that are needed. Please consider contributing items from this list specifically or marking your benevolence giving on your envelope for Rowan Helping Ministries. Please place any item donations in the shopping cart that will be kept in the breezeway to protect items from rain.
Please consider taking time to read one of the stories that I found posted on their website that reflects the appreciation of a gentleman that benefited from community service. (The article is available from the church office and/or on the church’s website.)

Jeannie’s Kitchen: Pan Spray, Breakfast Cereal, and 3-Quart Large Cans of Vegetables, Beans & Fruit (No tomato products please)

PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYER...

Nursing Home Residents - Brenda Mahaley, Pat & Wayne Miller, Ruth Monroe, and Jane Peeler, (Autumn Care), Jean Ray (Brookdale), and Betty Denker (Trinity Oaks, Apt. 123B)

Homebound Members - Rachel Earnhardt, Jean Kluttz, Grace Morgan, Frances Norris, Zarah Plyler, Billy Waller, and Michael Walton


Continual Prayer - Nancy Ballew (mother of Kat Clifton), Evonne Batten (mother of Lisa Morgan), Yvette Bates (coworker of Karen Barringer), Vanna Calloway (friend of Kat Clifton), Arnold Cauble, Lynn Coughenour, Ophelia Curlee (sister-in-law of Grace Morgan), Karen DeMunbrun (niece of Grace Morgan), June Fraley, James, Amy Lowder Harrison, and Jesse Morgan, Jr., Teresa Kesler, Glenn and Betty Sue Lowder, David Mitchell (friend of Pete Nguyen), Della Morgan (mother of Pam Vellines), Dusty Morgan Family (Dusty, Sr., Lisa, Felisaty, and Dusty, Jr.), Hong Nguyen (mother of Pete Nguyen), John Oddie, Jr. (brother of Ruby Leazer and Ruth Myers), Steven and Malynda Peeler, Steve Pless (friend of Pete Nguyen), Jamie Troutman (nephew of Lynn Coughenour), and Union Fire Department #76

Bible Course 101 Participants: Judy Boyd, Phil and Linda Cauble, Lynn Coughenour, Scott and Jennifer Curlee, Don and Tara Davis, Brad and Jan Huffman, Steve and Mary Hutchens, Deena Lanning, Janie Lesley, Gladys Morgan, Karen Morgan, Sonya Mulkey, Cathy Painther, and Doris Shepherd

Remember in Prayer List Note: We strive to list the prayer requests and names correctly. Please let us know if a correction is needed or you would like a name added/or returned to the list. If there is a name that can be removed, please contact the church office with that information as well. In an effort to keep the list current, we will update/remove prayer requests on a monthly basis, with the exception of known prolonged/ongoing issues. Thank you!