

Sunday, June 24th

As we gather for worship, prepare your heart by focusing on God and offering this prayer: **“Living God, as we gather to worship you today, help me to encounter you, to truly worship you, to hear from you and to have my life changed by you. In Jesus’ name, Amen.”**

Prayer List

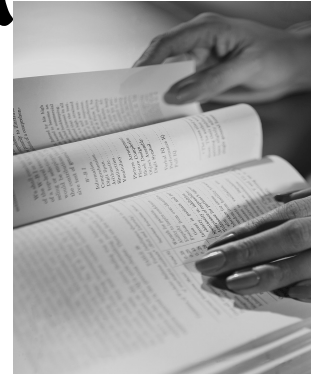
Please note the names of people needing prayer who were named in church last Sunday:

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| Martha G. White | Peggy Thompson | Alicia Clary |
| Elizabeth Reese | Debbie | Henry Lee Cundiff |
| Tom Tanner | Diane Bacon | Diane Overby |
| Pauline Calahan and family | Leigh Anne Bacon | Joni, Kendall, and Anthony Newcomb |
| Charlotte and Lawrence Webb | Cindy Barnes | Dorothy Driskill |
| Linda and Jerry Luff | Ray Seamster | Tim Hurt |
| Elizabeth Barker | JoAnne Parsons | Patrick Martin |
| Mary Mills | Gertrude Hite | Liz Cleaton |
| Jerry Davidson | Rev. Al Green | Susan Carter |
| Betty Thompson | Bertha Arthur | Daphen Copely |
| Lizzie Lee Davenport | Edith Tanner | Martha Annette Cole |
| | Barbara Callis | |

Others I would like to pray for:

Transformation Journal

June 17, 2012



Inviting you to daily time with God.

Every day the Transformation Journal will offer you a scripture passage and a question or two for reflection. Take a few minutes each day, and see what God has for you! The prayer list is also on the back, so please take time to pray for those we have lifted up on Sunday.

Sunday, June 17th

Sermon Notes:

Every person who is a member of a United Methodist Church has been asked this question: “Will you be loyal to the United Methodist Church, and uphold it by your prayers, your presence, your gifts, and your service?” How do you uphold our church by your prayers?

Prayer focus: Pray that God would show our church how to live out the commitments that we made when we became a part of this church.

Monday, June 18th

Membership question: "Will you be loyal to the United Methodist Church, and uphold it by your prayers, your presence, your gifts, and your service?" How do you uphold our church by your presence?

Prayer focus: Pray for Pastor Andrew and his family, that they would engage in the ministry of presence.

Tuesday, June 19th

Membership question: "Will you be loyal to the United Methodist Church, and uphold it by your prayers, your presence, your gifts, and your service?" How do you uphold our church by your gifts?

Prayer focus: Pray for church plants, Journey UMC and the Stand UMC, that they would be generous with the gifts God has given them.

Wednesday, June 20th

Membership question: "Will you be loyal to the United Methodist Church, and uphold it by your prayers, your presence, your gifts, and your service?" How do you uphold our church by your service?

Prayer focus: Pray for the United Methodist Church, that we would be led by the Spirit to serve those around us with the love of Christ.

Thursday, June 21st

A few years ago, the United Methodist church added one more line to the membership question, asking if we will uphold the church by our witness. How do you uphold the church by your witness?

Prayer focus: Pray for Charis Storms that she would be filled afresh with God's Spirit and guided by the Spirit to witness to Christ.

Friday, June 22nd

Read Ephesians 4. Are you living a life worthy of the calling to which you have been called? Are you maturing in your faith and living in humility, patience, gentleness, love, and peace?

Prayer focus: Pray for Rev. Alan Layman, that God would prepare and equip him for the work of leading our charge.

Saturday, June 23rd

Read John 4. What can you learn from the woman at the well about how to share your faith and bring others to Jesus? Are you willing to bear witness to your faith?

Prayer focus: Pray for the people of Brazil, that there would be many in that country who invite their neighbors to meet Jesus.
