

#### **September 2020 First Connection**

#### **Dear First Family!**

September is approaching quickly and it is one of my favorite months of the year! It is a sign that the season is changing. For me, September brings forth this sense of anticipation within me. From a liturgical perspective, there is anticipation within me as we move through the scriptures post Pentecost and make our way to Advent in late November. Personally, September has represented a time of preparation for me. A time to help my family prepare for their new routines of school and work. A time to prepare the church for an exciting journey of self reflection, spiritual growth and discipleship.

On a personal note, I have been struggling this month with concerning health issues. A couple of nights I had to go to the ER again as I thought I was having a heart attack. Come to find out I now know what has been contributing to all of my scary symptoms.... GERD! For those who do not know what GERD is, it is more advanced than heart burn.

It is a chronic disease that occurs when stomach acid or bile flows into the food pipe and irritates the lining. Acid reflux and heartburn more than twice a week may indicate GERD.

The way GERD has manifested in my case, it started to create the scary chest tightness. My potassium was depleted as I was not able to take in nutrients because every time I ate, I got full instantly. It began to cause the dizzy/fainting spells and difficulty in swallowing, hence why I began avoiding foods altogether. It creates shortness of breath, elevated heart rate and blood pressure; all which I have been struggling with these past two weeks; if it goes unchecked. One of my other numbers that indicated a possible blood clot was forming, but was proven to be benign, was something that almost made me faint upon hearing alone. The bottom line folks, our bodies are a miracle in that it gives us signs when things are not ok. I am so glad that mine

gave me enough symptoms so that I could be made aware and do something before it escalated to ulcers, cancer and more!

So I am sharing this as a witness to all that what I learned most importantly is that our gut health must be priority, or it can start to affect other major organs in our body.

Today starts the journey to healthier eating and wholeness. I do not want to have stomach problems like my dad did which contributed to his pancreatic cancer. I can be stubborn but on this particular subject, I will take heed and begin my GERD diet and take my prescribed meds. So thanks for your prayers and thoughts. No weapon, no GERD, no condition will stop this woman from doing her purpose. I thank God for watching over me! Most importantly I appreciate your prayers and thoughts during this time. My new meds are making me stronger by the day. I look forward to getting back to the pulpit and going forth with ministry.

## Flower Ministry Newsletter - September 2020

Gratitude to the following people who provided garden flowers for August Sundays: Bill and Margrethe Ahlschwede, Zita and Ed Schneider, Lois and Doug Wilson, Elaine and Glenn Johnson, Shirley and Tom James, Marty and John Eischeid, Stephanie Eischeid, Judy and Les Lane.

In July, we decided to create a remembrance for members who have died during the COVID-19 pandemic. A floral remembrance is something the church family can do when funeral and memorial services need to be postponed due to the virus. For now, the arrangement planned for a Sunday close to the time of the person's passing will be in remembrance of them along with a place card with the 23rd Psalm. The Flower Ministry started this at the time of Sharon Johnson's







death. On August 9th, a remembrance of Dorothyann Haar was on the altar.

If you are able to watch the live stream services, you will have noticed a variety of floral arrangements this summer. On the first Sunday of every month, the Sanctuary altar is used for Communion elements so silk olive branches simply line the front of the altar. Smaller arrangements are placed on the pedestals or near the lectern and organ.

On succeeding Sundays, we have been trying out a variety of arrangements. One Sunday featured a vignette of vibrant garden flowers in numerous vases creating an effect of a summer garden. Another Sunday focused on greenery from a variety of garden plants with the purpose of creating a calm visual resting place. Most of the vases on these two Sundays were old blue canning jars from Judy Lane's family. We hope that the zinnias, brown-eyed Susans, coneflowers, cleomes, and sunflower offerings evoke sweet summer memories. "Nature is a generous teacher; it's there for all of us." - Rue Mapp

In all of life's stages there is beauty. As your summer plants begin to change, they can still add beauty to Sunday arrangements. Please be in touch with Marty Eischeid and Judy Lane if you have plants to offer.

Be watching for colorful mums in the urns at the church's east entrance. They are being

#### YOUTH MINISTRY

I would like to affirm First Church congregation and community with the continued support of the Youth Ministry and making the ministry a top priority for our congregation. I am grateful to say that the Youth Ministry has been successful throughout my time here at First Church and I look forward to continuing to be the Youth Minister. As we continue through Covid-19 and this pandemic, First Church Youth and adult sponsors will be raising funds for a 2021 Summer Learn and Serve Trip to Oakland/San Francisco, California. We are hoping this planned trip that was supposed to happen this summer, will be possible next summer in 2021. Our youth and adult sponsors have been able to raise funds for this opportunity for the past year and we have exceeded \$10,000 and look to continue to raise funds. Our group will be brainstorming ideas on how to creatively plan fundraisers during this pandemic. Thank you for your continued support to the Youth Ministry. As we have been living through this pandemic, I have struggled to figure out what youth group would like this school year or even during a bible study. What would that look like outside with 6 feet distance spread out with our masks on. I have been reflecting and getting insight from other colleagues who are leading ministry in the city of Lincoln. I believe I have come to the realization that we can do ministry in person with the safety

provided and cared for by Peggy Hall. When you see the mums, do take time to look at the beautifully painted and marbled stones created by Lynda Schnirl. Peggy and Lynda are members of the Flower Ministry Committee.

A special thank you goes out to Jack Chapin who restored the tops of the Sanctuary pedestals. They look great! As people in our church family so graciously continue to give of their time, garden produce, and talents, we recognize these sacred gifts and are grateful.



Hunger and Poverty Response Ministry

For I was hungry, and you gave me something to eat, I was thirsty, and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you invited me in. Matthew 25:35

In August, our team asked you to consider giving gifts of money to Huntington Elementary in place of your usual purchases of school supplies and clothing given at this time of year. Our intent was to offer a safer way to offer support during the pandemic. Needs are

precautions being practiced as we do with bible studies, service projects, fellowship activities, devotional time, etc. Starting Wednesday September 2<sup>nd</sup>, we will restart youth group and it will be from 6:30-7:30 with a bible study and opportunity for youth to re-connect with one another. I am looking forward to this opportunity to see our youth. Our plan is to have chairs spread out by the green space north of the Church that is right next to the church parking lot. We will have tables and canopies spread out for our time together. Everyone will be required to wear masks and social distance as we continue to hope for covid-19 numbers to decrease.

#### **Matt's Seminary School Update**

As this pandemic has caused many closures, delays, and changes, I will be making the decision to stay at First United Methodist Church as your Youth Minister until August 2021. Garrett will be having the opportunity for hybrid courses, but I would also be able to do online classes with what they are doing this fall semester. I will be completing my first year of seminary with online classes and I will postpone my move to inperson classes in seminary until next year. I want to affirm the unending gratification for the support I have been given from this congregation on my call to ministry. I appreciate the financial, emotional, and mental support from First Church as I walk through this journey as I strive to become a Lead Pastor of a United Methodist Church.

Youth Minister—Matt Borland

high for students at this diverse school where 83% of students qualify for free or reduced lunch. While you may still share your monetary gifts by sending a check to the church office with Huntington in the memo, this month, we would also like to ask for your prayers. Please pray for the safety and health of all the students at Huntington and LPS. And please pray for the health and safety of staff at Huntington and LPS. All staff. Teachers, Para Educators, Custodial and Food Service providers, Bus Drivers, Nurses and Office Personnel, and Administrators. Please contact Alan Eighme for other ways you may help Huntington. aeighme@yahoo.co

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Thank you, Church, for your generosity of gifts and love shared through prayers.

Munden Parlor is still the place to go to purchase a book for the library at Lydia Patterson Institute. Books range in price from \$6 to \$17, with more than half the books being priced at \$6 to \$10. It may be difficult to arrive at the church office on a Monday or Tuesday morning to make a purchase, so another option would be to make a purchase over the phone. Tell Laura how much you would like to spend, then write a check to First UMC with Lydia Patterson in the memo and mail it to the church office. Please contact Mike Sterns with any questions. msterns@lps.org

The First UMC team serving Matt Talbot, each month on the





Left to right: Jack Chapin, Titus Thompson, Dajaan Holt, Matt Borland, Taven Thompson, Kobe Simonson, Aliyah Garcia, Larry Miffed

#### **Memorial Remembrance of Taven Thompson**

I have been a part of the First United Methodist Church community for over 7 years now as a youth ministry assistant and now as the Youth Minister. I have been given the opportunity to work, connect, bond, and build relationships with youth who have come to youth group and to church services. I have cherished the times I have been given with the youth and being able to connect with them and really listening to their stories and what they might possibly be going through in their daily lives. I first

second Saturday, continues to welcome about fifty-five guests with boxed lunches. Many people help by providing the fruit and vegetables needed to make these nutritious and colorful lunches. If you feel called to serve with the Matt Talbot team, please contact Liz Zeff. ezeff64@gmail.com

Finally, the Hunger and Poverty Response Ministry team would like to apprise you of some upcoming events.

October 11th at 9:30,
Advocacy: Learn how to write one email letter that will automatically be sent to both Senators and our Representative. It is fast and easy! A Zoom invitation will come from the church office closer to this date.

November/December, HEIFER Project International: Purchase gifts for the loved ones on your Christmas List. This sustainable food program impacts the lives of our most impoverished neighbors globally.

January, Huntington
Project: Needs will be accessed
at our neighborhood school and
shared with you closer to this
time.

February, Matt Talbot, Souper Bowl of Caring: Monetary gifts will be collected for local use.

March, Advocacy Letter Writing Event: Letter writing is easy with an outlined packet of issues available.

Thank you, Church, for your continued support of all these projects that help to sustain the lives of people living with food

started working in the youth ministry under Jay Stewart and one of first kids was named Titus Thompson.

He was part of a big core group of youth who attended youth group and which got the youth group progressing and growing. After a while, Titus asked me "Matt, would it be okay if my brother Taven could come serve at the People's City Mission and come to youth group?" My answer was "Of course Titus, that is totally fine." I have always cherished my times with our young people at First Church and how close I was able to build relationships with our youth, like Taven Thompson and his brother, Titus.

I would like to inform the congregation that Taven Thompson (who is pictured next to Jay), suddenly passed away unexpectedly last week on Sunday August 16th. This news came tragically to me on Monday August 17th. This has been hard news to take in and reflect upon. I have countless conversations with church members, colleagues, and youth about this tragic loss. I would like for us to keep his family in your thoughts and prayers as his mom, Shelby, his father, Raffiell, and his brother, Titus mourn the loss of their loved one.

We have decided to open up a memorial fund for the family as they go through this tragic loss. I am calling the memorial fund, the "Taven Thompson Memorial." As we continue to mourn the loss of a brother in Christ, we would like to invite anyone who would like to donate to the memorial as the family is dealing with this

shortage. Your love, compassion, and generosity is making a difference everyday.

Peggy Hall



unexpected loss. I appreciate any support for Taven and his family. If you have any questions, please email/text Matt at matt@firstumclincoln.org or 402-499-8839. Blessings, Matt Borland Youth Minister First United Methodist Church







Dear First Church Families, I miss each of you dearly and hope that your summer was a good one. As fall approaches, it is with a saddened heart that I do not get to see each of you in person. Please make sure to reach out, should your children or you like any special zoom visits, or virtual calls, even a drive by to say "Hi" or to celebrate any special occasions. Sometimes a socially distant hello can help and remind them that they are missed and loved by our church family. You can contact me at 402-560-4251 or email charity@firstumclincoln.org and I



## New 8 week Sermon Series: "Growing Pains"

Purpose: To take the Congregation through the lectionary scriptures and name the growing pains that may occur in our lives as it pertains to isolation, stewardship, family systems and more!

#### August 2:

First Lesson: Psalm 17: 1-7 Gospel Lesson: Matthew 14:

13-21

Sermon: Growing Pains:

Isolation

#### August 9:

First Lesson: Psalm 105: 1-6;

16-22, 45b)

Gospel Lesson: Matthew 14:

22-33

am happy to support your family in any way! Blessings, Charity Lesson on Forgiveness Are you looking for ways to connect with your children and continue to have faith moments at home? Here is a lesson to teach kids about the power of forgiveness, like when we forgive others and when God forgives us.

Items needed: A Bible, Silly Putty, newspaper or other images that will transfer onto putty
Fun Fact: Silly Putty was discovered during World War II by researchers trying to make artificial rubber. It was first marketed to the public in 1950. You can make your own putty by mixing 1/2 cup white glue with 1/4 cup corn starch. For best results, add the liquid starch 1 tablespoon at a time, mixing thoroughly before adding more starch.

Open your Bible and read Jeremiah 31: 34b and Ephesians 4:32. These verses remind us that when God gives us forgiveness, he no longer remembers the wrong things we've done. God asks us to forgive others just as he forgives us.

Give your child a piece of Silly Putty clay, and demonstrate how to transfer a picture by pressing the Silly Putty over the paper. Show your children how they can stretch the putty to create different effects. Then have them squeeze the Silly Putty into a ball to erase the picture. Give kids a few minutes to transfer and erase several pictures.

Discovery questions: Suppose you transferred a picture and never erased it. How Sermon: Growing Pains: Fear

#### August 16:

First Lesson: Genesis 45: 1-15 Gospel Lesson: Matthew 15:

10-20, 21-28

Sermon: Growing Pains:

Maturity

#### August 23

First Lesson: Exodus 1:8-2:10 Gospel Lesson: Matthew 16:

13-20

Sermon: Growing Pains: Faith

#### August 30

First Lesson: Psalm 105: 1-6,

23-26, 45c

Gospel Lesson: Matthew 16:

21-28

Sermon: Growing Pains:

Suffering

#### September 6-8:30 service

Epistle Lesson: Romans 13: 8-

14

Sermon: Growing Pains: Self in

Community

#### September 6- 10:45 service

First Lesson: Psalm 149

Gospel Lesson: Matthew 18:

15-20

Sermon: Growing Pains:

Community

#### September 13; 8:30 service

Epistle Lesson: Romans 14: 1-

12

Sermon: Growing Pains: Forgiving Ourselves

#### September 13- 10:45 service

First Lesson: Exodus 14: 19-31

is that like when we do not forgive someone? How is erasing pictures like God forgiving us? What feelings do you have knowing that God doesn't remember your sins? How do you feel knowing that God expects you to forgive others just as He's forgiven you?

Recap: When we don't forgive someone, it is as if we have a picture of that person's sin in our heads. We keep looking at it over and over. God asks us to forgive others and put those pictures out of our minds. This activity was excerpted from Group's Kids' Travel Guide to the Lord's Prayer. 2020 Confirmation With the pandemic still in the forefront of our lives and limiting our ability to gather, I am reaching out to find a solution for our 2020 confirmation group. Please email charity@firstumclincoln.org if you have a youth that is grades 6 or up that would be interested in confirmation. At this time, it would need to be an online course 6week class, one night a week. Classes would be 30-45 minutes long and we are learning from the Affirm series. Each student would have their student guide with weekly assignments to read and prepare to discuss. Once allowed we would move to in person meetings and trips that were planned originally. Toys available! If you are interested in gently used toys that have supported our nursery. please contact

Charity Helter at

charity@firstumclincoln.org or call

the church office and leave a

Gospel Lesson: Matthew 18: 21-35

#### September 20-8:30 service

Epistle Lesson: Philippians 1: 21-30

Sermon: Growing Pains: Being

Generous

#### September 20- 10:45 service

First Lesson: Psalm 105: 1-6, 37-45

Gospel Lesson: Matthew 20: 1-

16

Sermon: Growing Pains: Being

Thankful

#### September 27-8:30 service

Epistle Lesson: Philippians 2: 1-

13

Sermon: Growing Pains: Being

#### September 27-10:45 service

First Lesson: Psalm 78: 1-4, 12-16

Gospel Lesson: Matthew 21:

23-32

Sermon: Growing Pains: Living

message. We will be cleaning the nursery and eliminating some of the toys. Most are for ages 0-5. These items will be arranged to be picked up from the church by the end of September. Thank you!



Dear Church Family and Friends,

As a new school year begins, I reflect on the care a teacher takes to create a welcoming space and extends hospitality to all who enter their classroom. Many will enter as strangers and emerge as friends. The art of hospitality extends beyond the physical space and opens to connecting with each other. I'm reminded of Jesus welcoming the stranger, extending his hand and heart, often with compassion, to others in need of healing or simply being seen and heard. Until we can meet and embrace the presence of each other, we are invited to extend hospitality in new ways. A virtual gathering creates an opportunity to be seen and heard.

If you are looking for a place to connect in a small group, come join us for **Compassionate** 

DR. JOHN SPILKER MINISTER OF

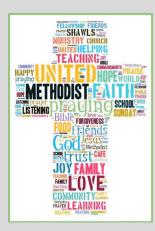
MUSIC & LITURGY, SOCIAL JUSTICE, LEADERSHIP Sonya Renee Taylor said, "We struggle to hold the truths of others because we have so rarely had the experience of having our own truths held." I'm grateful for the many ways that our First UMC family is listening to stories, reaching out to care for people in our community, and learning how to ask for and offer connection and compassion. God moves through us.

As the COVID-19 pandemic frames our lives, the start of school comes with change and uncertainty felt by brave school workers, eager students, and all their friends and loved ones. In short, everyone. We search for the joy of new beginnings in the midst of technological glitches and unexpected surprises in our learning communities. Through God, I believe that some of the best learning will happen this school year.

I strive toward peace with the mantra "Breathe. Slow down. We are in a global health pandemic. Everyone is doing their best." What is helping you? God is with Conversations: Pause and Prayer. Our time together has become a safe space for sharing; learning and engaging in dialogue - deep listening for understanding; and practicing being present to God, to ourselves, and to others. We are finding comfort, connection, acceptance, belonging, honesty, and gratitude in our conversations.

We plan to continue gathering on Tuesday evenings, 6:30 - 7:45. All are welcome to join anytime. If you want to join in the ZOOM conversation or have questions, please contact Terri Storer at <a href="mailto:tstorer@neb.rr.com">tstorer@neb.rr.com</a>

Peace be with you and be well in mind, body, and spirit,
Terri Storer
Certified Spiritual Director
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Facilitator



Fall is always a busy time for UMW, and even though some things are being handled differently, the work goes on.

The Great Plains Conference UMW Annual Meeting has, of course, been cancelled as a faceto-face event, but business, such us, strengthening and blessing us, as we struggle together. We notice that everyone feels uncertainty, worries, and lots of other emotions right now. I'm here to minister via phone or Zoom. Give me a call. I see you and I care. As things change around us, it's tough to find new ways of adapting as change remains the constant. Please let me know what you need.

### ANTIRACIST EQUITY AND EDUCATION

As part of our reconciling ministry, I share with you my commitment to antiracist equity, which I continue to update with online learning resources: https://bit.ly/2YsN3UQ.

Rev. Annettra Jones has invited me to continue representing First UMC every Thursday at 6pm for "Courageous Antiracism Clergy Conversations." Our new book will be Race Talk and the Conspiracy of Silence by Derald Wing Sue. Feel free to watch through the First UMC page or join me and other church members in Pastor Annettra's Daily Becoming page on Facebook.

#### **SMALL GROUPS**

- "Compassionate
   Conversations: Pause &
   Prayer" is an enriching
   spiritual experience via
   Zoom. Would you like to try
   it out? We would love to
   have you join us. Email Terri
   Storer.
- Terri and I are talking with First UMC folks to ask: "what works best for a First UMC Racial Justice Small

as electing the officers for 2021 will be conducted virtually. A Zoom meeting will be held from 10:00 AM to noon on Saturday, September 19. Details for joining the meeting are forthcoming. The most current information, including the slate of officers, can be found here: <a href="https://www.greatplainsumc">https://www.greatplainsumc</a>

here: https://www.greatplainsumc.org/umw#GP%20UMW%20Annual%20Meeting. We are still waiting on news regarding the Blue River District meeting scheduled for October 17th in Crete.

Our UMW Sunday is scheduled for October 4. We do not yet know whether it will be held inperson or online, but it will happen. Vice president Lauree Turner is working with Pastor Kirstie on the message to be delivered that day, and the awards committee has selected some very deserving recipients for the Dedicated Light and Special Mission Recognition, all of whom will be announced on UMW Sunday. We are also looking at ways we may be able to incorporate some aspects of the 2020 Mission u Spiritual Growth Study, "Finding Peace in an Anxious World", perhaps between services. The Mission Team will work through other details when they meet on September 3.

Speaking of the Mission u study, it is proving to be relevant this year in ways the study's creators never imagined. It "uses the book of Proverbs and 'The Serenity Prayer' as a guide to help Christians find their way through anxiety, worry, and fear and move towards God's peace that

Group?" We honor that folks may need something that moves slower, maybe meeting every other week. We wonder if an open topic of "What are you learning about racial justice?" might seem more accessible than a specific book study right now. I'm here to serve the mind and will of the church. Email me and let me know what you'd like to see for a Racial Justice Small Group: john@firstumclincoln.org.

Terri Storer, Lea Ann Johnson-Kappes, and I continue to collaborate to reimagine possibilities for small groups during COVID-19 and beyond. What ideas do you have? Zoom? Small patio visits at home? Let us know what you need, what ideas you have, what's on your heart and mind right now. Email me: john@firstumclincoln.org. I'm here to help and support!

PHONE TREE MINISTRY continues their work during social distancing. Many thanks to those of you who call to minister to our members who don't have email access. We are so blessed to have such a strong church community. I owe a debt of gratitude to Peggy Hall for co-coordinating this important ministry.

# DOWNLOADING ZOOM If you have questions, or need help, call me and I will help you get set up. I can even do house calls with my mask on.

 To make meetings easy: Small group leaders would email you a "Zoom website link" that you can click. If surpasses all understanding."
The study book, Finding Peace in an Anxious World, is not very long, but presents a number of well-grounded exercises and ways of looking at anxiety, worry, and fear that many will find helpful. Information on purchasing the study book and additional resources related to the study are available at <a href="https://www.unitedmethodistwomen.org/finding-peace-in-an-anxious-world">https://www.unitedmethodistwomen.org/finding-peace-in-an-anxious-world</a>

Zoom is downloaded & installed on your device and you are signed in, the link will take you straight to the meeting.

- 1. Open your computer's internet browser and navigate to the Zoom website at <a href="https://zoom.us/">https://zoom.us/</a>.
- 2. Scroll down to the bottom of the page and click "Download" in the web page's footer.
- 3. On the Download Center page, click the blue "Download" button under the section labeled "Zoom Client for Meetings."





## Low-Income Bus Pass Program in Honor of Sharon Johnson

Remember Sharon?

Sharon Johnson rode the bus everywhere-to Bennet Martin Library downtown, to her volunteer jobs at nursing homes around Lincoln, and out to HyVee on North 27th for groceries. John Eischeid and Coleen Seng met with her every Monday at 5:00 p.m. in Munden Parlor for over 33

#### Report of the Stewardship and Finance Committee to the Church Council September, 2020

In 1995 one of our Geneva parishioners decided to move to Denver to be close to her daughter and she put most of her belongings up for auction. Along with many others in our church family I was at the sale and looking around before the auctioneer began. I found a framed picture which contained what is called "John Wesley's

years. They often heard of her travels around Lincoln. As they went through the list of 10 covenants for which they held each other accountable, Sharon expressed her appreciation of the Star Tran bus system. Both John and Coleen have struggled with the knowledge that Sharon was shot and killed while riding the bus.

Memorials for Sharon can still be sent to First Church and designated as a memorial for Sharon. The memorial money will be used for a low-income bus coupon program with Star Tran. When all of the memorials are collected, Chuck Leypoldt, the church treasurer will send them to Star Tran in Sharon's name.



1 Lisa Witt
2 Carolyn Mikkelsen
Rich Schroeder
4 Martha Schwindt
5 Jayden Eilers
6 Lance Hall
7 Lara Eslick
8 Cade Levering
Rich Hubka

Rule." I decided right away this was something I should buy. After a couple of hours my item was up for sale and I started the bidding at two and a half. It shot up from there until just two of us were nodding back to Mr. Underwood. My competitor was Sue Shaw, faithful church worker and friend. When we passed the \$20 threshold, doubts set in, and Sue bought my treasure for maybe \$25. No harm done. A few months later Bishop Martinez asked me to apply for the Conference Treasurer position and we left Geneva with a few parting gifts. One of these was a nicely wrapped package from Sue Shaw. She had enjoyed Mr. Wesley's rules for a time and passed them on to me.

"Do all the good you can...by all the means you can...in all the ways you can...in all the places you can...at all the times you can...to all the people you can...as long as ever you can."

I'm pleased to report we have received \$327,253 to support all church funds. This does not include the \$50,000 the Payment Protection Program loan/grant. Chuck Leypoldt, Church Treasurer

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#### **Prayer List**

For the Family of Sharon Johnson Jim Neumann, home Ron Gaddis, hospital Dixie Gannon, St. Elizabeth, room 546 Cindy Newsham, home Maxine Case, home For the Family of Joyce Ryan For the Family of Rosemary Thornton in the passing of her husband Mel. Elaine Brown, Bryan East Lauree Turner, home Richard Voeltz, Gateway Vista Jeremy Hickenbottom, home Lester Shaw, Kiley Taylor's dad. Jim Neumann, home Sondra Atkins, home Roscoe Shields, Van Dorn Legacy Emajane Crossley, Lancaster Manor Rehab Dorothyann Haar, 11405 Farnam Circle, Omaha Jim Leypoldt, home For the family of Daugherty, Frank Praying for Judy Clark and family in the passing of her son-in-law Mark

**Sending a BIG THANK YOU** for your Prayers, Presence,

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Gifts, Service and Witness during these uncertain times. We will get through this TOGETHER!



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