

Prayer Concerns

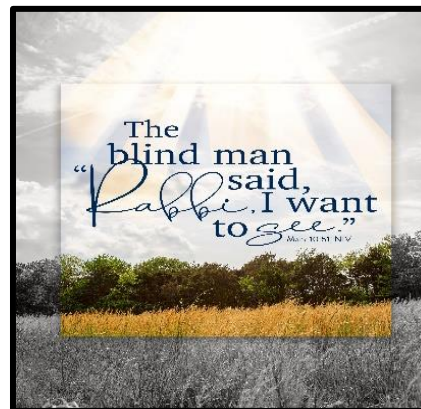
First Responders	Brenda F.'s niece, Michelle
Those affected by gun violence	The Lavelle Family in Florida
Those suffering from mental illness, addiction & homelessness	Lois D.
Nate R.	John, lifted by Mary B.
Joan T.	Keith A.
Margaret T., lifted by Joan T.	Judy L.
Todd and Caroline W., lifted by Barb A.	David N., JoAnne's husband
Sarah J.'s brother, Billy	Doug, friend of Joel & Deb C.
Donna R., sister of Bob & Carol N.	Ron W.
Greg & Liz L.	Selene, lifted by Carole A.
Linda H., lifted by Liz L.	Joan H.
Matt & Debby, lifted by Janis J.	Janis J.'s cousin, Mel
Carolyn B.	Ray S.
Jennifer G.	Judy, lifted by Brenda F.
Will S.	Marianne, lifted by Janis J.
Mario R., Com. Meals piano player	Susan L.
Pat, CJ C.'s mother	Randall S.
Cindy, Reba Y.'s sister-in-law	Barbara B.
Daniel B., lifted by Ed B.	Family of Irina M.
Curtis, lifted by Reba Y.	Doris, friend of Sally C.
Bill & Marilyn R.	Joy and Rocky, lifted by Paul & Claudia T.
Vicki and her family, daughter of Rae and Walt S.	Daniel C., lifted by Joel & Deb C.
Tammy M.'s friend, Kate's, father	Bev C., Deb C.'s mother
	Tim W.

This Week's Birthdays and Anniversaries

10/28 Ellie Yager	10/31 Jim Sainsbury
10/31 Anthony Brunson	10/31 Rachael & Tom Berry

Today's Worship Leaders

Pastor: Rev. Hoyte L. Wilhelm
Liturgist: Barb Clough
Organist: Javier Gonzalez
Choir Director: Gabriela Martinez
Greeters: Jean Scothon, Sarah Jackson
Ushers: Barb and Ron Clough
Audio Video Elements: John and Michelle Wolter, Phil Wolter



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Twenty-Third Sunday after Pentecost

October 27, 2024 10:30 am

Welcome and Passing of the Peace

L: The grace and peace of our Lord and Savior be with you.

P: And also with you.

Celebration of Ministries and Missions

Prelude *Prelude on the "Passion Chorale"* John G. Barr

***Call to Worship** (Job 42, Psalm 34) Barb Clough

L: Magnify the Lord; exalt God's holy name.

P: The Lord hears the pleas of the perishing.

L: Magnify the Lord; exalt God's holy name.

P: The Lord restores the fortunes of the righteous.

L: Magnify the Lord; exalt God's holy name.

P: The Lord redeems the lives of God's servants.

***Unison Prayer** (Mark 10)

God, our Healer, give us the courage of blind Bartimaeus, to cry out to you when we are in need; give us the wisdom of Job, to know when we have overreached and our cause is lost; give us the confidence of the psalmist, to sing your praises and magnify your name. Grant us the wisdom, O God, to seek from you what is of real value—what will truly make us well, what will truly make us whole, what will truly give us bliss. Amen.

***Old Testament Reading** Psalm 34:1-8

***Hymn** *God of Grace and God of Glory* UMH 577

Prayers of the People

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Pastoral Prayer

Unison Prayer of Confession (Job 42, Psalm 34, Mark 10)

God of mystery and blessing, we speak without knowledge, we grasp without looking at the consequences, we boast without cause, we speak comfort without true compassion. Forgive our ignorance, when we look at what others have without seeing what they have lost. Forgive our self-absorption when we focus on our desires and ignore the needs of others. May we follow the example of Bartimaeus and cry out our need when you draw near. Amen.

Words of Assurance (Hebrews 7)

Since Christ intercedes for us, he is able to save everyone who approaches God through him. Draw near to God through Christ, and walk blameless in God's sight.

The Lord's Prayer

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. Amen.

***Prayer for the Offering**

***Doxology** UMH 95

Anthem

Gospel Reading Mark 10:46-52

Hymn *Be Thou My Vision* UMH 451

Messages "Let Me See" Rev. Hoyte Wilhelm

***Hymn** *Open My Eyes, That I May See* UMH 454

***Responsive Benediction**

L: Darkness has been banished. Sight has been restored. Your lives are reformed in Christ's love.

P: Go now in peace to serve with great joy.

L: Bring the love of God with you so that the light which has brightened your life may shine for others.

P: Go now, beloved, to serve.

All: Amen.

Postlude *Toccata from Toccata and Fugue in D minor* J. S. Bach
(You are invited to be seated for the Postlude before exiting the Sanctuary.)

**Please stand if you are able.*