

Silverdale Lutheran Church

3rd Sunday of Easter | April 19th, 2026

Pastor Bill Crabtree | Pastor Jonathan Sansgaard | Music Director Justin Cormier

Welcome to worship on this third Sunday of Easter! Everything you need for worship is projected on the screen, and it's also printed in this bulletin—music included. Today, we're not an audience; we're all active participants in worship. God meets us here with the blessings of Christ Jesus, and we respond with our praise. Children from preschool through 3rd grade are invited to a special “Kids Word” time (*11am only*) following the children’s sermon. Activity bags for young worshippers are also available in the entry.

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Prelude

Confession and Forgiveness

(Please stand as you are able)

P: In the name of the Father, and of the ✠ Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

P: Baptized into Christ, in the promise that our God is gracious and merciful and abounding in steadfast love, let us confess our sin.

(Silence for reflection and self-examination.)

P: Merciful God,

C: you free us to love others, but we neglect our neighbors and follow our own way. You lead us by the Spirit of joy and peace, but we turn away from the abundant life you offer. You surround us with patience, kindness, and generosity, but we grow weary in doing what is right. In your mercy, forgive us, heal us, break our bonds, and create in us a right spirit. Amen.

P: You belong to Christ Jesus through faith in him. In the cross of ✠ Christ, and through the power of the Holy Spirit, your sins are forgiven. Clothed with Christ, you are a new creation.

C: Amen.

Gathering Hymn

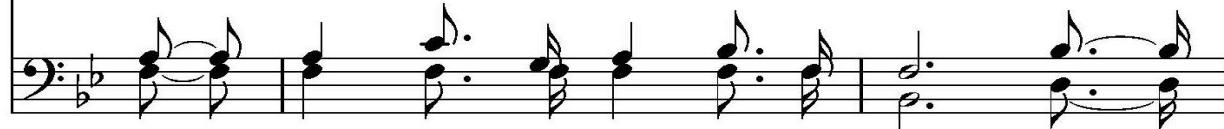
Church in the Wildwood



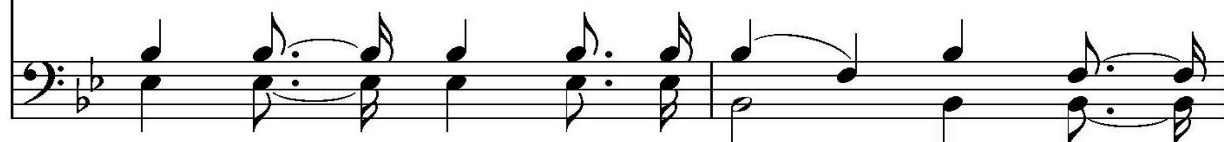
1. There's a church in the val - ley by the wild - wood,
2. Oh, come to the church in the wild - wood,
3. How sweet on a clear Sun - day morn - ing,
4. From the church in the val - ley by the wild - wood,



No love - li - er spot in the dale; No
To the trees where the wild flow - ers bloom; Where the
To list to the clear ring - ing bell; Its
When day fades a - way in - to night, I would

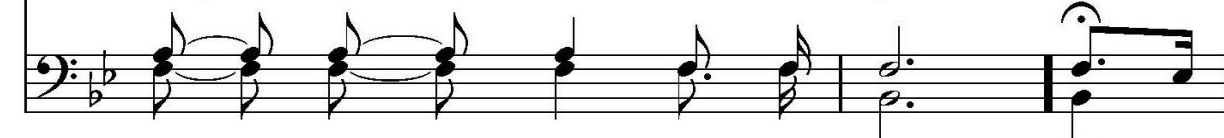


place is so dear to my child - hood As the
part - ing hymn will be chant - ed, We will
tones so sweet - ly are call - ing, Oh,
fain from this spot of my child - hood Wing my



lit - tle brown church in the vale.
weep by the side of the tomb.
come to the church in the vale.
way to the man - sions of light.

CHORUS



Oh,

9

come, come, come, come, come, come, come, come,

Come to the church in the

11

wild - wood, Oh, come to the church in the

come, come, come, come, come, come, come, come,

13

vale; No spot is so dear to my

come, come, come;

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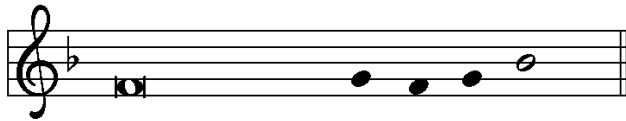
child - hood As the lit - tle brown church in the vale.

Greeting

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.

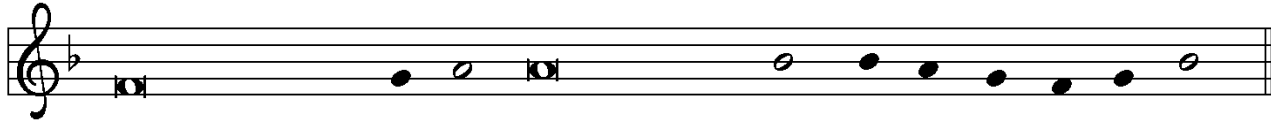
Kyrie



In peace, let us pray to the Lord.



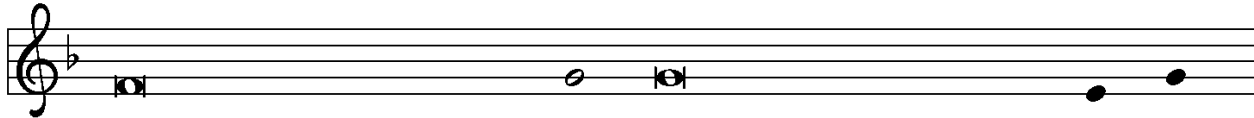
Lord, have mer - cy.



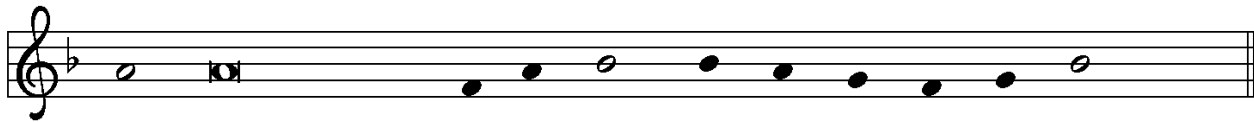
For the peace from a - bove, and for our sal - vation, let us pray to the Lord.



Lord, have mer - cy.



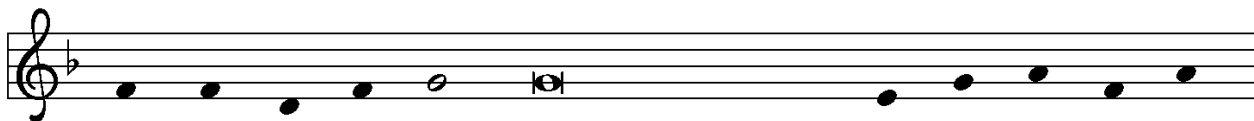
For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the church of



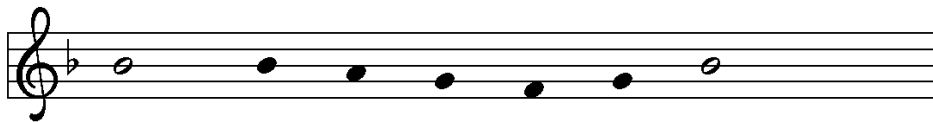
God, and for the uni - ty of all, let us pray to the Lord.



Lord, have mer - cy.



For this ho - ly house, and for all who offer here their wor - ship and



praise, let us pray to the Lord.



Lord, have mer - cy.



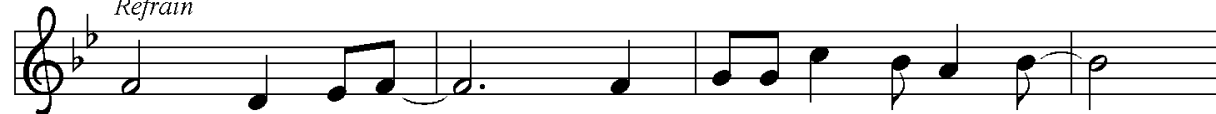
Help, save, comfort, and de - fend us, gracious Lord.



A - men.

Hymn of Praise

Refrain



This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God.



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.



1 Wor - thy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose



blood set us free to be peo - ple of God.



Pow - er, rich - es, wis - dom, and strength, and



hon - or, bless - ing, and glo - ry are his.

Refrain



2 Sing with all the peo - ple of God, and

join in the hymn of all cre - a - tion:

Bless - ing, hon - or, glo - ry, and might be to

God and the Lamb for - ev - er. A - men. *Refrain*

3 For the Lamb who was slain has be -

gun his reign. Al - le - lu - ia.

This is the feast of vic - to - ry for our God. *Final refrain*

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

This is the feast of vic - to - ry for our God.

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

Prayer of the Day

L: The Lord be with you,

C: **And also with you**

L: Let us pray.... Gracious God, as we continue to celebrate the resurrection of our Lord, open our ears to hear your Word, that we know and trust the promise that Jesus walks with us. In his name we pray.

C: **Amen.**

(Please be seated)

Children's Sermon

Kid's Word (11am pre-K through 3rd grade)

THE WORD

First Reading

Acts 2:14a, 29-41

¹⁴ But Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed them, "Fellow Jews and all who live in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and listen to what I say.

²⁹ "Fellow Israelites, I may say to you confidently of our ancestor David that he both died and was buried, and his tomb is with us to this day. ³⁰ Since he was a prophet, he knew that God had sworn with an oath to him that he would put one of his descendants on his throne. ³¹ Foreseeing this, David spoke of the resurrection of the Messiah, saying,

'He was not abandoned to Hades,
nor did his flesh experience corruption.'

³² "This Jesus God raised up, and of that all of us are witnesses. ³³ Being therefore exalted at the right hand of God and having received from the Father the promise of the Holy Spirit, he has poured out this that you see and hear. ³⁴ For David did not ascend into the heavens, but he himself says,

'The Lord said to my Lord,
"Sit at my right hand,

³⁵ until I make your enemies your footstool.'" '

³⁶ "Therefore let the entire house of Israel know with certainty that God has made him both Lord and Messiah, this Jesus whom you crucified."

³⁷ Now when they heard this, they were cut to the heart and said to Peter

and to the other apostles, “Brothers, what should we do?” ³⁸ Peter said to them, “Repent and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ so that your sins may be forgiven, and you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. ³⁹ For the promise is for you, for your children, and for all who are far away, everyone whom the Lord our God calls to him.” ⁴⁰ And he testified with many other arguments and exhorted them, saying, “Save yourselves from this corrupt generation.” ⁴¹ So those who welcomed his message were baptized, and that day about three thousand persons were added.

R: The Word of the Lord

C: **Thanks be to God**

(Please Stand)

Alleluia



Al - le - lu - ia. Lord, to whom shall we go?



You have the words of e - ter - nal life. Al - le - lu - ia.

R: The Holy Gospel according to Luke, the 24th Chapter.

C: **Glory to you, O Lord.**

Gospel

Luke 24:13-35

¹³ Now on that same day two of them were going to a village called Emmaus, about seven miles from Jerusalem, ¹⁴ and talking with each other about all these things that had happened. ¹⁵ While they were talking and discussing, Jesus himself came near and went with them, ¹⁶ but their eyes were kept from recognizing him. ¹⁷ And he said to them, “What are you discussing with each other while you walk along?” They stood still, looking sad. ¹⁸ Then one of them, whose name was Cleopas, answered him, “Are you the only stranger in Jerusalem who does not know the things that have taken place there in these days?” ¹⁹ He asked them, “What things?” They replied, “The things about Jesus of Nazareth, who was a prophet mighty in deed and

word before God and all the people, ²⁰ and how our chief priests and leaders handed him over to be condemned to death and crucified him. ²¹ But we had hoped that he was the one to redeem Israel. Yes, and besides all this, it is now the third day since these things took place. ²² Moreover, some women of our group astounded us. They were at the tomb early this morning, ²³ and when they did not find his body there they came back and told us that they had indeed seen a vision of angels who said that he was alive. ²⁴ Some of those who were with us went to the tomb and found it just as the women had said, but they did not see him.” ²⁵ Then he said to them, “Oh, how foolish you are and how slow of heart to believe all that the prophets have declared! ²⁶ Was it not necessary that the Messiah should suffer these things and then enter into his glory?” ²⁷ Then beginning with Moses and all the prophets, he interpreted to them the things about himself in all the scriptures.

²⁸ As they came near the village to which they were going, he walked ahead as if he were going on. ²⁹ But they urged him strongly, saying, “Stay with us, because it is almost evening and the day is now nearly over.” So he went in to stay with them. ³⁰ When he was at the table with them, he took bread, blessed and broke it, and gave it to them. ³¹ Then their eyes were opened, and they recognized him, and he vanished from their sight. ³² They said to each other, “Were not our hearts burning within us while he was talking to us on the road, while he was opening the scriptures to us?” ³³ That same hour they got up and returned to Jerusalem, and they found the eleven and their companions gathered together. ³⁴ They were saying, “The Lord has risen indeed, and he has appeared to Simon!” ³⁵ Then they told what had happened on the road and how he had been made known to them in the breaking of the bread.

R: The Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to you, O Christ.

(Please be seated)

Sermon

“Isn’t it Ironic”

Pastor Bill Crabtree

(After a brief period of reflection, please stand for the hymn of the day)

Hymn of the Day Earth, Earth, Awake!



1 Earth, earth, a - wake! Your prais - es sing! Al - le - lu - ia!
2 All na - ture sings of hope re - born! Al - le - lu - ia!
3 Win - ter is past; the night is gone! Al - le - lu - ia!
4 Praise we the Fa - ther, Spir - it, Son! Al - le - lu - ia!



Greet with the dawn your ris - en King! Al - le - lu - ia!
Christ lives to com - fort those who mourn! Al - le - lu - ia!
Christ's light, tri - um - phant, brings the dawn! Al - le - lu - ia!
Praise we the vic - t'ry God has won! Al - le - lu - ia!



Bright suns and stars, your hom - age pay! Al - le - lu - ia!
First fruit of all the dead who sleep! Al - le - lu - ia!
Cre - a - tion spreads its spring-time bloom! Al - le - lu - ia!
Praise we the Lamb who reigns a - bove! Al - le - lu - ia!



Life reigns a - gain this Eas - ter day! Al - le - lu - ia!
Prom - ise of joy for all who weep! Al - le - lu - ia!
Life bursts like flame from death's cold tomb! Al - le - lu - ia!
Praise we the King whose rule is love! Al - le - lu - ia!

Text: Herman G. Stuempfle Jr., 1923–2007

Music: STUEMPFLE, Sally Ann Morris, b. 1952

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Apostles Creed – *Projected*

Prayers of the Church

P: ...Lord, in your mercy,

C: Hear our prayer.

Sharing of the Peace

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C: And also with you.

(Please be seated following Sharing of the Peace)

Community Time & The Offering

(Please pass the black friendship pads down the pew – guests we would love to send you a thank you for worshiping with us, please provide your email or address.)

The Offering ~ Ways to support our mission and ministry:

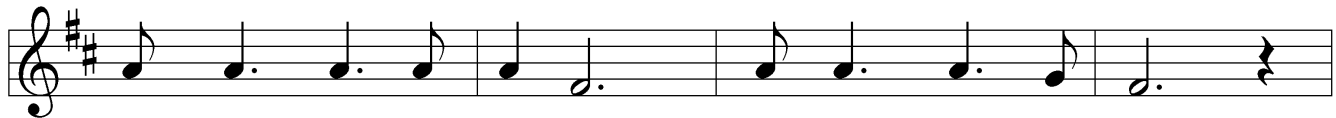


Place an offering in the offering plate as it is passed between the pews ~ or ~

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<https://bit.ly/SLCOfferings>

Offering “Glory Bound” by The Wailin Jennys

Offertory Hymn What Have We to Offer



What have we to of - fer, What have we to bring?



Faith in your pro-mise, hope that we can sing;



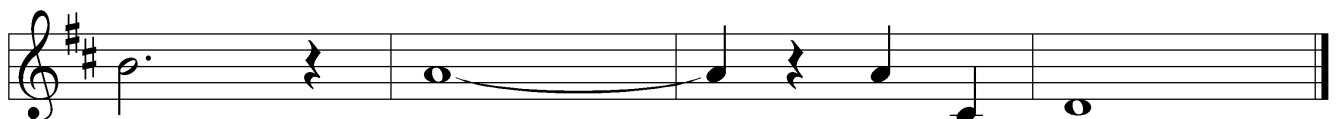
Love that spills o - ver, a message to send



Lay it at the al - tar then



What have we to of - fer What have we to



give? Lives we will live.

Offering Prayer

L: Let us pray...

C: Merciful Father, we offer to you with joy and thanksgiving what you have first given us: ourselves, our time, and our possessions. Use these gifts for your glory and the needs of your people, for the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

THE LORD'S SUPPER

The 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 God thanks and praise

P: It is indeed right ... we praise your name and join their unending hymn:



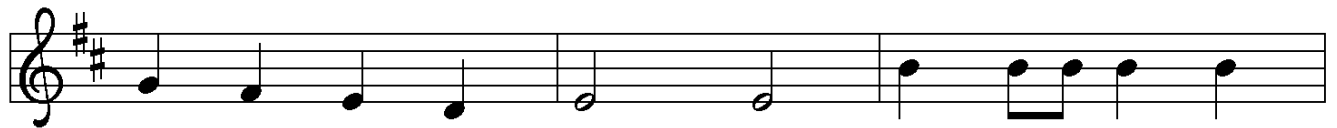
Holy Holy Holy



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, Lord God of pow - er and might,



heav - en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -



san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who



comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

Words of Institution

The Lord's Prayer *(All)*

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)



All Baptized Christians are welcome to join with us in this meal where we believe the true body and blood of Christ are present in, with, and under the bread and wine/juice. You will be ushered forward and there will be three tables of communion in the front of the sanctuary. You will be given a piece of bread or gluten free wafer by a pastor or lay leader. On the table you will have a choice of using the chalice for intinction or a small cup of wine or juice. If you choose to use the cup, then place it in the baskets when finished. Adults who do not receive the Supper or children who have not received First Communion instruction can come forward for a blessing. If you have not been baptized, one of our pastors would welcome a conversation with you about Baptism

Lamb of God

Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have
mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the
world; have mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a-
way the sin of the world; grant us peace, grant us peace.

The musical notation is written on four staves in a single system. It features a treble clef and a key signature of two flats (B-flat and E-flat). The melody includes several triplet markings (indicated by a '3' over a bracket) and rests. The lyrics are placed below the notes, with hyphens indicating syllables that span across multiple notes.

Communion Hymn Stay With Us



1 Stay with us, till night has come: our praise to
 2 Walk with us, our spir - its sigh: hear when our
 3 Walk with us, the road will bend: make all our
 4 Talk with us, till we be - hold a joy - ful
 5 Stay with us, till day is done: no tears nor



you this day be sung. Bless our bread, o - pen our
 wea - ry spir - its cry. Feel a - gain our loss, our
 weep - ing, wail - ing end. Wipe our tears, for - give our
 life you will un - fold. Heal our eyes to see the
 dark shall dim the sun. Cheer the heart, your grace im -



eyes: Je - sus, be our great sur - prise.
 pain: Je - sus, take us to your side.
 fears: Je - sus, lift the heav - y cross.
 prize: Je - sus, take us to the light.
 part: Je - sus, bring e - ter - nal life.

Text: Herbert F. Brokering, b. 1926
 Music: STAY WITH US, Walter L. Pelz, b. 1926
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(Please Stand)

Blessing

P: The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace.

C: Amen

Post-Communion Prayer

L: Let us pray... We give you thanks, generous God, for in this bread and cup we have tasted the new heaven and earth where hunger and thirst are no more. Send us from this table as witnesses to the resurrection, that through our lives, all may know life in Jesus' name.

C: Amen.

Benediction

P: God Almighty, who is the beginning and the end,
Jesus Christ, the firstborn of the dead,
and the Spirit, our advocate and peace,

✠ bless you now and forever.

C: Amen

Sending Hymn

Will the Circle Be Unbroken

Verse One

There are loved ones in the glory
Whose dear forms you often miss,
When you close your earthly story
Will you join them in their bliss?

Refrain

Will the circle be unbroken
by and by, yes, by and by?
In a better home awaiting
in the sky, in the sky?

Verse Two

In the joyous days of childhood,
Oft they told of wondrous love,
Pointed to the dying Savior,
Now they dwell with Him above. *Refrain*

Verse Three

You remember songs of heaven
Which you sang with childish voice,
Do you love the hymns they taught you,
Or are songs of earth your choice? *Refrain*

Dismissal

L: Christ is risen!

C: He is risen, indeed, Alleluia!

Verse Four

You can picture happy gath'ings
Round the fireside long ago,
And you think of tearful partings,
When they left you here below. *Refrain*

Verse Five

One by one their seats were empty,
One by one they went away,
Now the fam'ly is parted,
Will it be complete one day? *Refrain*

Postlude

L: Go in Peace and serve the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God!

Special Thanks: SLiCk Pickers & Abigail, Sam and Joel

Altar Flowers: Sylvia Byron in honor of Kathleen's birthday.
Mary Ramsey in memory of son, Steve. (*April 12th*)

This Week's Worship Leaders—April 19th

Preaching: Pastor Bill Crabtree | **Presiding:** Pastor Jonathan Sansgaard

April Altar Care: Beth Adams, Ann Daly, Julie Harpel

Liturgist: (8:30) Brian Humm (11:00) Jenny Grenfell

Communion Assistants: (8:30) Joyce Barry, Mike & Kathy Havers,
Ethyl Mae Nelson (11:00) Don & Elaine Jukam, Jim & Jean Lamb

Readers: (8:30) Steve Slaton (11:00 am) Joseph Brockett

Next Week's Readings: April 26th

Acts 2:42-47, 1 Peter 2:19-25, John 10:1-10

As you read the lesson, ask yourself two questions:

Why was this story told? Where do you see God at work?

Prayer and Care: Cheryl Thompson and family in the death of her mother, Joan. Shelley Ferber, anticipating surgery on Tuesday, April 21st. Chris Whitley, hospitalized with pneumonia. Rhonda Ball, anticipating kidney transplant surgery. Jerry Erickson, anticipating back surgery. Evy Randall, in her return to Crista Shores.

Recovering: Irene Bergsagel, Audrey Ebeling, Deanna Gossett, Donna Hammargren, Shirley Jackson, Craig Miller, Linda Nelson, Gary Phillips and Amy Salzsieder

Facing Cancer: Jason Cawthorne, Elizabeth & George Domahidy, Cathy Ellis, Shelly Ferber, Eric Halvorson, Steven Hudock, Don Jukam, Kay Kersten, Ron Maddux, Bob Paul, Jim Piatt, George Roberts, Lisa Stephens, David Trexler, and Lorna Trojanowski.

Deployed & Military Support & Their Families: Jared Cain, Adrian King, Rebecca Mackey, Andrew Quam, Megan Seawolf, David Wooten, and all their families.

Continued Prayer: Billie Adams, Hilma Bridges, Sylvia Byron, Yvonne Dean, Randy Fossum, Gene & Joe Gierke, Jerry Gray, Hedrick Hueneke, Ron Johnson, Sandy Jordan, Barb Manbeck, Chuck McClung, Warren Miller, Gary Phillips, Lisa Ottenbacher, Jean Sherbesman, Carl Susag, Tom Taft, and Joanne Wales. Prayers for those in memory care, all who are homebound or in ill health.

We want to hear from you! If you are a guest or attending, or just want to drop a note... use the QR Code or visit: <https://bit.ly/SLCConnect>

