

Silverdale Lutheran Church
6th Sunday of Easter | May 10th, 2026

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

Welcome to worship on this sixth Sunday of Easter and Mother's Day! 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 How Great Thou Art



1 O Lord my God, when I in awe-some won-der con-sid-er
2 When through the woods and for-est glades I wan-der, I hear the
3 But when I think that God, his Son not spar-ing, sent him to
4 When Christ shall come, with shout of ac-cla-ma-tion, and take me



all the works thy hand hath made, I see the stars, I hear the might-y
birds sing sweet-ly in the trees; when I look down from loft-y moun-tain
die, I scarce can take it in, that on the cross my bur-den glad-ly
home, what joy shall fill my heart! Then I shall bow in hum-ble ad-o-



thun-der, thy pow'r through-out the u-ni-verse dis-played;
gran-deur and hear the brook and feel the gen-tle breeze;
bear-ing he bled and died to take a-way my sin;
ra-tion and there pro-claim, "My God, how great thou art!"

Refrain



Then sings my soul, my Sav-ior God, to thee, how great thou



art! How great thou art! Then sings my soul, my Sav-ior God, to



thee, how great thou art! How great thou art!

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Music: O STORE GUD, Swedish folk tune; adapt. Stuart K. Hine
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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.

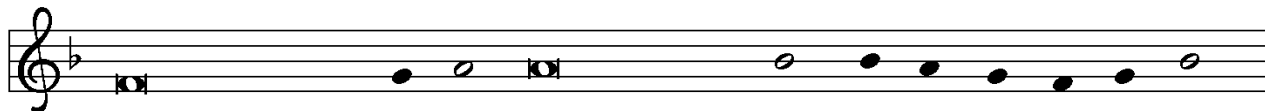
Kyrie



In peace, let us pray to the Lord.



Lord, have mer - cy.



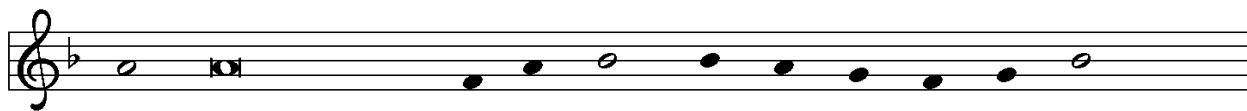
For the peace from a - bove, and for our sal - vation, let us pray to the Lord.



Lord, have mer - cy.



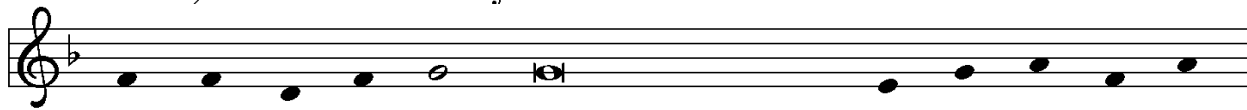
For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the church of



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



Lord, have mer - cy.



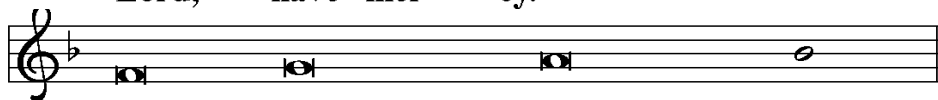
For this ho - ly house, and for all who offer here their wor - ship and



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



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.



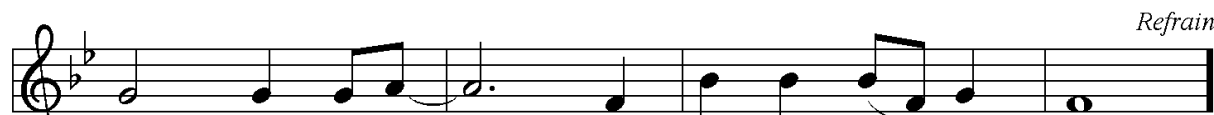
2 Sing with all the peo - ple of God, and



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.

3 For the Lamb who was slain has be -
 gun his reign. Al - le - lu - ia.
Final refrain
 This is the feast of vic - to - ry for our God.
 Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.
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 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...Almighty and ever-living God, you hold together all things in heaven and on earth. In your great mercy receive the prayers of all your children, and give to all the world the Spirit of your truth and peace, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: Amen.

(Please be seated)

Children's Sermon

THE WORD

First Reading

Acts 17:22-31

²² Paul stood in front of the Areopagus and said, "Athenians, I see how extremely spiritual you are in every way. ²³ For as I went through the city and looked carefully at the objects of your worship, I found among them an altar with the inscription, 'To an unknown god.' What therefore you worship as unknown, this I proclaim to you. ²⁴ The God who made the world and everything in it, he who is Lord of heaven and earth, does not live in shrines made by human hands, ²⁵ nor is he served by human hands, as though he needed anything, since he himself gives to all mortals life and breath and all things. ²⁶ From one ancestor he made all peoples to inhabit the whole earth, and he allotted the times of their existence and the boundaries of the places where they would live, ²⁷ so that they would search for God and perhaps fumble about for him and find him—though indeed he is not far from each one of us. ²⁸ For 'In him we live and move and have our being'; as even some of your own poets have said,

'For we, too, are his offspring.'

²⁹ "Since we are God's offspring, we ought not to think that the deity is like gold or silver or stone, an image formed by the art and imagination of mortals. ³⁰ While God has overlooked the times of human ignorance, now he commands all people everywhere to repent, ³¹ because he has fixed a day on which he will have the world judged in righteousness by a man whom he has appointed, and of this he has given assurance to all by raising him from the dead."

R: The Word of the Lord

C: Thanks be to God

Second Reading

1 Peter 3:13-18

¹³ Now who will harm you if you are eager to do what is good? ¹⁴ But even if you do suffer for doing what is right, you are blessed. Do not fear what they fear, and do not be intimidated, ¹⁵ but in your hearts sanctify Christ as Lord. Always be ready to make your defense to anyone who demands from you an accounting for the hope that is in you, ¹⁶ yet do it with gentleness and respect. Maintain a good conscience so that, when you are maligned, those who abuse

you for your good conduct in Christ may be put to shame. ¹⁷ For it is better to suffer for doing good, if suffering should be God's will, than to suffer for doing evil. ¹⁸ For Christ also suffered for sins once for all, the righteous for the unrighteous, in order to bring you to God. He was put to death in the flesh but made alive in the spirit.

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 John, the 14th Chapter.

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

Gospel

John 14:15-21

[Jesus said to the disciples:] ¹⁵ “If you love me, you will keep my commandments. ¹⁶ And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be with you forever. ¹⁷ This is the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him because he abides with you, and he will be in you.

¹⁸ “I will not leave you orphaned; I am coming to you. ¹⁹ In a little while the world will no longer see me, but you will see me; because I live, you also will live. ²⁰ On that day you will know that I am in my Father, and you in me, and I in you. ²¹ They who have my commandments and keep them are those who love me, and those who love me will be loved by my Father, and I will love them and reveal myself to them.”

R: The Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to you, O Christ.

(Please be seated)

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

Hymn of the Day

Come, Gracious Spirit, Heavenly Dove

1 Come, gra - cious Spir - it, heav'n - ly dove, with light and
 2 The light of truth to us dis - play and make us
 3 Lead us to Christ, the liv - ing way, nor let us
 4 Lead us to heav'n, that we may share full - ness of

com - fort from a - bove. Come, be our guard - ian
 know and choose your way; plant ho - ly fear in
 from his pas - tures stray; lead us to ho - li -
 joy for - ev - er there; lead us to our e -

and our guide; o'er ev - 'ry thought and step pre - side.
 ev - 'ry heart, that we from God may ne'er de - part.
 ness, the road that we must take to dwell with God.
 ter - nal rest, to be with God for - ev - er blest.

Text: Simon Browne, 1680–1732, alt.
 Music: WAREHAM, William Knapp, 1698–1768

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:



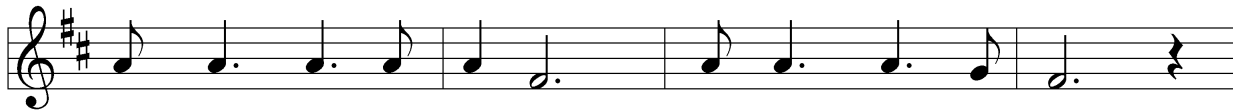
Place an offering in the offering plate as it is passed between the pews ~ or ~

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Offering “You Are Not Alone”

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;



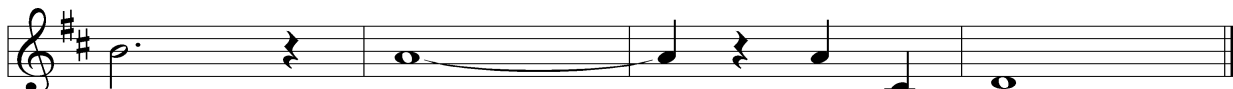
Love that spills o - ver, a message to send



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 score 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 bracket with a '3' above it) over the words 'a-way', 'mer-cy', and 'a-way'. The lyrics are printed below the notes.

Communion Hymn Children of the Heavenly Father

The image shows a musical score for a communion hymn. It consists of two systems of music. Each system has a vocal line in the treble clef and a piano accompaniment line in the bass clef. The key signature is one sharp (F#), and the time signature is 4/4. The lyrics are written below the vocal line.

Tryg - ga - re kan ing - en va - ra än Guds lil - la bar - na - ska - ra,
1 Chil - dren of the heav'n-ly Fa - ther safe - ly in his bo - som gath - er;
2 God his own doth tend and nour-ish, in his ho - ly courts they flour-ish.
3 Nei - ther life nor death shall ev - er from the Lord his chil - dren sev - er;
4 Though he giv - eth or he tak - eth, God his chil - dren ne'er for - sak - eth;

stjär - nan ej på him - la - fäs - tet, få - geln ej i kän - da näs - tet.
nest - ling bird nor star in heav - en such a ref - uge e'er was giv - en.
From all e - vil things he spares them, in his might - y arms he bears them.
un - to them his grace he show - eth, and their sor - rows all he know - eth.
his the lov - ing pur - pose sole - ly to pre - serve them pure and ho - ly.

Text: Carolina Sandell Berg, 1832–1903; tr. Ernst W. Olson, 1870–1958
Music: TRYGGARE KAN INGEN VARA, Swedish folk tune
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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 Oh Sing to the Lord



1 *Can - tad al Se - ñor un cán - ti - co nue - vo.*
1 Oh, sing to the Lord, oh, sing God a new song.
2 For God is the Lord, and God has done won - ders.
3 So dance for our God and blow all the trum - pets.
4 Oh, shout to our God, who gave us the Spir - it.
5 For Je - sus is Lord! A - men! Al - le - lu - ia!



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¡Can - tad al Se - ñor, can - tad al Se - ñor!
Oh, sing to our God, oh, sing to our God.
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Text: Brazilian folk song; tr. Gerhard M. Cartford, b. 1923, Spanish and English
Music: CANTAD AL SEÑOR, Brazilian folk tune
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Dismissal

L: Christ is risen!

L: Go in Peace and serve the Lord.

C: He is risen, indeed, Alleluia!

C: Thanks be to God!

Postlude

Special Thanks: Sanctuary Choir

Altar Flowers: Greg Patterson in honor of his father, Graydon Patterson.

This Week's Worship Leaders—May 10th

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

May Altar Care: Carissa Robineaux, Scott and Jill Slocum

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

Communion Assistants: (8:30) Joyce Barry, Tom & Sue Starks

(11:00) Patti & Wade Randall, Karen Rowley

Readers: (8:30)

(11:00 am) Kim Rubenstein

Next Week's Readings: May 17th

Acts 1:6-14, Psalm 68:1-10, 18-20, 1 Peter 5:6-11, John 17:1-11

As you read the lesson, ask yourself two questions:
Why was this story told? Where do you see God at work?

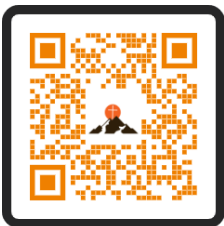
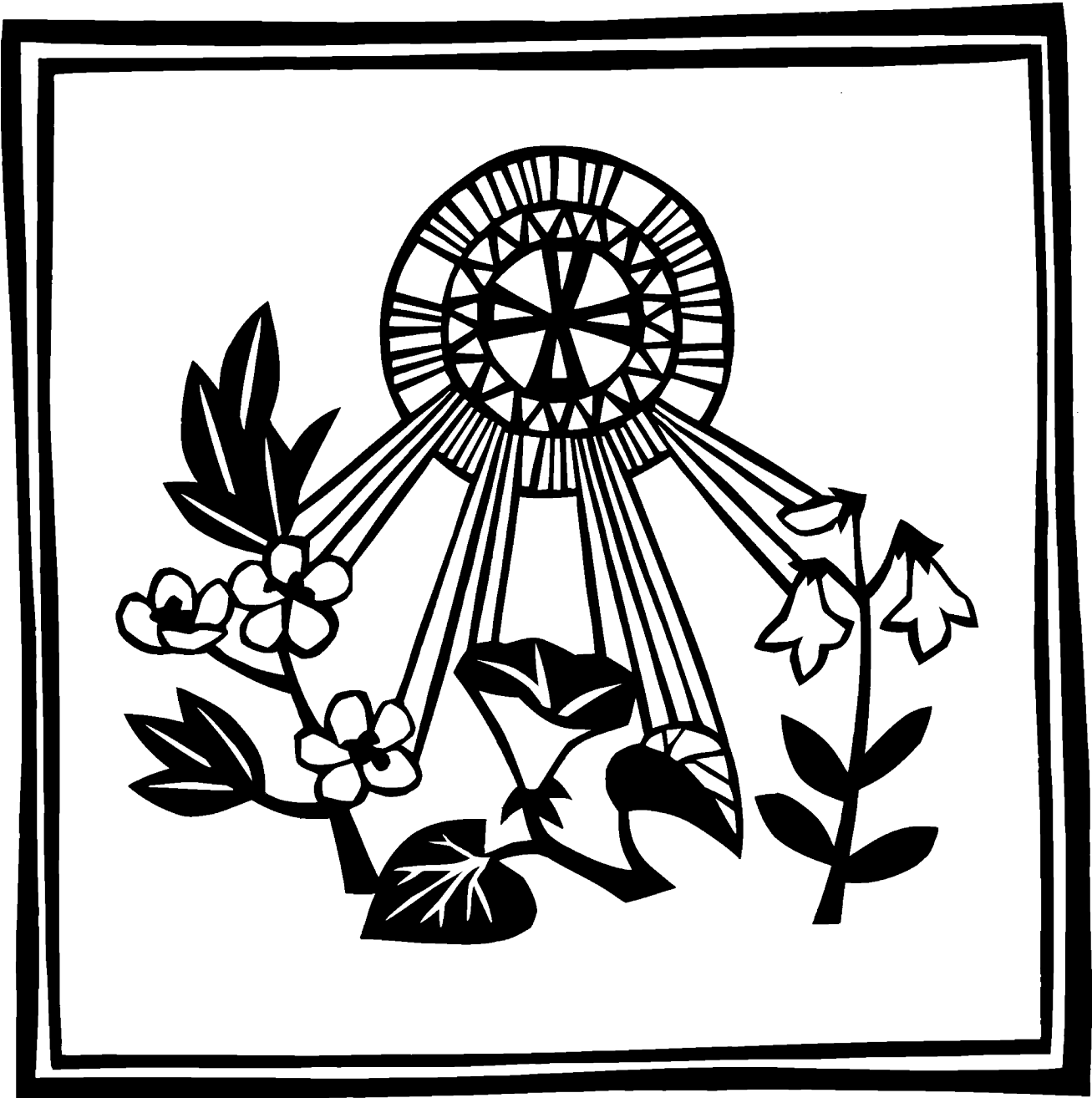
Prayer and Care: Prayers of thanksgiving for Marisa and Sean Gohlke in the birth of their child Lucille Marie, born April 23rd. Comfort and strength for Karen and Kevin McNamara, mourning their daughter, Melynda and son in law, Shane. Kathy Havers hospitalized. Jane Rhodes, at Northwoods, recovering from a fall. Jerry Erickson, anticipating back surgery this week. Kay Akers recovering from hip surgery after a fall.

Recovering: Irene Bergsagel, Jerry Gray, Donna Hammargren, Craig Miller, Linda Nelson, Larry Neumann, Amy Salzsieder and Chris Whitley

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: Morgan Adams, Jared Cain, Brett Copher, Adrian King, Rebecca Mackey, Andrew Quam, Megan George, Nicholas George, David Wooten, and all their families.

Continued Prayer: Billie Adams, Rhonda Ball, 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, Evy Randall, Jean Sherbesman, Carl Susag, Tom Taft, and Joanne Wales. Prayers for those in memory care, all who are homebound or in ill health.



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