

Service of Worship

June 14, 2020 10:00am

"Do not neglect to show hospitality to strangers, for by doing that Some have entertained angels without knowing it." — Hebrews 13:2

WELCOME TO WORSHIP! Thank you for worshiping with us today.

"Pray for one another" - James 5:15

We encourage you to remember the following in prayer:

All Grieving the Death of a Loved One: Shirley Sisk, daughter Marcie Monrad, and Family in the death of Wendell Sisk; Gay Lee Ludwig-Bonney and Family in the death of her brother, David.

Surgeries/Hospitalizations/Illnesses: Gary Dubois, Danielle Dalton, Jay & Elizabeth McKell, Carl Blomgren, Shirley Sampson, Ron Jegen, Julie Webb, Ric Cummings

Cancer Treatment: Kathy Jonas

Aging Challenges: Wendell & Shirley Sisk, C.J. Poirier

Military Service: Conner Maynard, David Zak, C.J. Bradley, Seth Lorimer, Mary E. Johnson II, Alanna Funk, Bryce Hearn, Shannon Lorimer. **All veterans, deployed military, and reservists.**

Our Mission Co-Workers: Jeff and Christi Boyd in the Democratic Republic of the Congo and Leslie Vogel, PC (USA) Regional Liaison for Guatemala and Mexico.

Peace and Relief Workers; Unemployed and Underemployed; Families Struggling with Separation and Divorce; Individuals Struggling with Depression; Those Contemplating Suicide and Those Left Behind.

Heartland Presbytery Partnership of Prayer: Belton Presbyterian Church, Belton, MO; Iglesia Príncipe de Paz #2, Chajabal

(If you have a prayer request you'd like to include in the bulletin, please contact the church office at office@gcpc.org, or send to gcpc_prayers@yahoo.com.)

SPOTLIGHT

"Virtual" Scripture Reading Opportunities: Would you be interested in being a "virtual" Scripture reader for worship one Sunday this summer? You can sign up for a Sunday and Patrick will e-mail you the scripture text at the beginning of the week. You can make a video using your phone, tablet, or computer and send it to Miles (miles.mcdonald@gcpc.org) by noon on Thursday of that week. If you're interested, sign up here: https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050b44a5a72aa64-gcpc

Video tips:

- please leave 5 seconds of silence at the beginning and end
- announce the Scripture (for example "I'll be reading Matthew, Chapter 3, verses 7-10")
- finish with "Holy Wisdom, Holy Words" or other conclusion sent with your text
- record in a well-lit area
- speak directly toward your device's microphone

Please contact Melanie Townsend (<u>melanie@townfolk.net</u>) if you have questions or need help with SignUp Genius.

WE'RE HERE TO HELP DURING THESE CHALLENGING TIMES.

- 1. Through the generosity of members and the church, we are able to assist those who have lost their jobs, been furloughed, or are struggling due to the COVID-19 pandemic. If you need help, please contact Revs. Sue or Mitch at sue.trigger@gcpc.org or mitch.trigger@gcpc.org.
- 2. We have members who are making masks. If you need a mask for wearing out in public, please contact Rev. Sue at her e-mail above.

CONTACTING STAFF: A reminder that the GCPC church building is closed to all activities and meetings in response to the current public health emergency. Office staff members are working remotely. The best way to reach a staff member is by e-mail:

Rev. Sue: sue.trigger@gcpc.org

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Tara Hyder (finance admin.): finance@gcpc.org

HOW TO PLEDGE DURING THIS TIME: During this time of online-only worship, we encourage those who normally put their pledge in the offering plate each Sunday to mail their pledges to the church. The Finance Administrator will get them and see that they are deposited in a timely fashion. Of course, you may also make your pledge online by going to gcpc.org and clicking the "Online Giving" tab.

ADULTS

GUIDED MEDITATION MEETING: Kevin Johnson is inviting you to a GCPC 10-Minute Guided Meditation Zoom meeting on Sunday & Wednesday evenings at 9pm. The meeting will consist of 5 minutes getting connected and seated, 10 minutes gentle guided meditation, and 10 minutes optional: meditation questions/answers and practice tips. Zoom Meeting Details: Join at https://us04web.zoom.us/j/488914405?pwd=RHBsQjNRT25aYmhxRVoxb2F4OGZMZz09; Meeting ID: 488 914 405; Password: 003306. Let Kevin know if you have any questions or issues connecting: krpj01@gmail.com.

YOUTH

CONNECT: We will not have a Connect event this Sunday. Please spend some quality time celebrating the father figures in your life! On June 28, we are considering having Connect at Heartland Camp where we can play frisbee golf, feed the horses, hike around, etc. It is a longer drive, so we will plan to schedule a longer event there — I'm suggesting 4–6pm. We will also be looking into nearby hangout spots for adults. Please respond and let me know if you are up for this adventure. If we have 6 or more students, we are on — otherwise, we will look into other options.

YOUTH CONFERENCE OPTIONS: We are deciding between an event with Pine Ridge Pres. or the Heartland Youth Encounter. Hopefully we will know by the time you are reading this; so, students – check your email!

YOUTH PARTICIPATION IN WORSHIP: Youth involvement in worship is valuable and important! If you are willing to read scripture or produce a prayer of thanksgiving or other prayer, please do. Ask Miles how you can help!

SERVICE PROJECTS: We have 4 or 5 good leads for service opportunities we can get involved with soon. As soon as we lock down a date for our Youth Conference options, we will get some things booked.

MISSION

DONATIONS FOR SAFEHOME IN JUNE: Our Mission Teams' donation partner for the month of June is Safehome. We are collecting these personal care items for Safehome residents: body wash, lotion, hand sanitizer, liquid hand soap, deodorant, tampons, kids' toothpaste, shampoo, hair conditioner, ethnic hair products, mouthwash, Q-tips, shaving cream, razors. We are also collecting used cell phones. Your donations should be dropped off at the church parking lot on Saturday, June 27, between 9:00 and 10:00 a.m. Mission Team members will be present to collect your donations. If you wish to spend a little time socializing with others, bring a lawn chair (chairs will be arranged in a socially distant manner) and your own beverage.