

PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Bob and Fran Batch
Caroline Cook
Jack & Betty Cook (Sheryl Stack's parents)
Bill Duke
Carol Easley (Sherri Morrison's mother)
Marilyn Elkin
Rick Fudge
Virginia Godfrey (Priscilla Feuerbacher's sister)
Barbara McVey (Susan Shindeldecker's sister)

Louise Raleigh (Lynn Sampsell's sister)
Cherie Shoemaker
Regina Solarzano (Emily Vasquez's sister-in-law)
Louis Tooker (Mindy Crowe's brother-in-law)
Ginny West
Jean Whitlock (Jeanna Crow's mother)
Rev. Bob Wilson, wife Bev, & sister Linda

- Friends and family of Leticia Marquez. Her sister, Martha Gonzales, passed away on May 6.
- Residents and employees of Stone Bridge and all Senior Care Facilities.

OUR CHURCH STAFF

Rev. Jim Roberts, Sr. Pastor
Rev. Laura Smith Adam, Minister of Pastoral Care
Jennifer Barkis, Dir. of Preschool
and Children's Ministries
Angie Bragg, Financial Administrator
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Vicki Matustik, Dir. of Connections and Service
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“Oysters and Pearls”

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ORDER OF WORSHIP

PRELUDE "Lord, Enthroned in a Heavenly Splendor" Owen/Shackley
Sheryl Stack, piano

VIDEO: Vicki Matustik

WELCOME AND PASTORAL PRAYER Rev. Jim Roberts

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: The Spirit blows life through us all.

People: We gather in the renewing life the Spirit gives us.

Leader: Let us then worship with great joy and celebrate new life among us.

People: We bring praise and song, joy, and laughter before God!

All: Let the world hear our praises!

HYMN "Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah" UMH 127

SCRIPTURE Romans 5:1-8 Abby Bridgeman

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Merciful God, whose care never ceases, we come to you as we are. We are tired from trying to do more than we can manage. We are anxious about unresolved problems. We are worried about events beyond our control. We do not easily let go. For mistakes we cannot redeem, for tasks left undone, for uncertain goals, we ask for your forgiveness. For recovery of strength and hope, we pray for your Spirit. For fullness of life, generous hearts, and contented souls, we pray to be followers of Christ Jesus. In your mercy, restore us and lead us. Amen.

CHILDREN'S TIME Jennifer Barkis

SPECIAL MUSIC "Living Hope" Wickham and Brian Johnson
Jon Nelson

MESSAGE "Oysters and Pearls" Rev. Laura Adam

PRAYERS OF CONCERN AND CELEBRATION Rev. Jim Roberts

THE LORD'S PRAYER

OFFERTORY "Hear, O Israel" Keith & Krysten Getty
Gillian Westerman, soprano, and Sheryl Stack, piano

DOXOLOGY "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow" UMH 95

HYMN "Come, Christians, Join to Sing" UMH 158

ANNOUNCE: In this trying time, if you are in need of prayer or have a special health concern and would like someone to pray with you, please contact the church office.

BENEDICTION Rev. Laura Adam

BENEDICTION RESPONSE "Lift High the Cross" UMH 159
(refrain only)

POSTLUDE "Elevation in C" Charles Collin
Sheryl Stack, organ