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Emmanuel Lutheran
CHURCH & SCHOOL
ASHEVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA

Sunday September 22, 2024

Eighteenth Sunday in Pentecost

8:30am Traditional Worship

11:00am Blended Worship

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Our Vision:

*Fully Engaged, Biblically Passionate,
Driven to Serve*

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Monday, September 23 (n/a)

5:30pm Schallhorn Small Group (Candler)
7:00pm Southside Bible Study (Gillespie's)

Tuesday, September 24

2:00pm Hardesty Small Group (East AVL)

Wednesday, September 25

12:00pm Midweek Noon Service (Sanctuary)

Thursday, September 26

Friday, September 27

3:30pm Middle School Youth Group
6:00pm Pickleball for church use (Gym)

Saturday, September 28

9:00am Altar Care Meeting

Sunday, September 29 — Pastor Gillespie

8:30am Traditional Worship Service

9:45am Adult Book Study Class (rm# 111)
9:45am Adult Galatians Bible Study (F. Hall)
9:45am Kid's Sunday School (rm# 017)
9:45am Confirmation Class (conf. room)

11:00am Blended Worship Service

Prayer Ministry support (Altar/Lectern)
Food Pantry is CLOSED
5-7pm High School Youth Group

Senior Pastor: Rev. Dr. Jeffrey Skopak
Director of Christian Education: Alexi Lundquist
Church Office Administrator: Leigh Horsley
Hospitality Ministry : Shirley Parker
Praise Music Band Director: Heather Meulenberg
Organist: Lula Meulenberg
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Acolyte:	Eli Allen	Naomi Hines
Lector:	Bill Hufnagle	Christi Lorenz*
Usher:	The Tarrant's	Bradley Hines & Neil Pursley
Communion:	Deb Reiling & Dale Pioch*	Tommy Ridgeway & Ron Pepin
Elder:	Dale Pioch*	Christi Lorenz*

Prayer Team: Joel & Jeanine Helms

Sound & Tech Crew

8:30am: Steve T. - sound ,& Peter L. -stream/slides
11:00am: Justin P - sound, & Rachel S - slides

Altar Guild

8:30am: Stephanie Hanson
11:00am: Barbara Sullivan

Offering Counters: Lori Allen & Stephanie Hanson

Upcoming Week—Member Celebrations!

Birthdays: 9/22 K. Ray Bailey;
9/23 Dale Wooten; 9/24 Dirk Wilmoth;

Anniversaries: 9/24 Dirk & Kathryn Wilmoth
9/27 Mike & Edith; 9/28 Keith & Dana Novak

Previous Week's Services: Attendance & Stats

On-Campus Attendance

- **Sunday: 8:30am — 62 ; 11am — 80**
- **Wednesday: 12pm — 14**

Online Views/Hits:

- **Website: 30**
- **Facebook: 63**

Food Pantry (Grad N Go, VRQ, & Costello) :

September 8: 362 homes, 701 people (69 cars)
(Aug.2024 : 512 homes & 960 people (112 cars))

Previous Week's Offerings

General Offering received: \$ 12,987.12
Building Funds Received: \$ —
*General Weekly Offering needed: \$ (12,817.31)

“Bringing Peace”



James 3:13-4:10



Sunday—September 22nd, 2024

9:45am Classes:

Adult “Kingdom Politics” Book Study (room# 111)
Adult Galatians Bible Study (Fellowship Hall)
Kid’s Sunday School (Room# 017, Kay Thorp)
Youth Confirmation (conf. room, Alexi Lundquist)

Directly after church:

Prayer Support Ministry (sanctuary)

The Food Pantry is OPEN, 1-3pm

Today’s Altar Flowers are given to the Glory of God by:
Barry & Debra Reiling - in honor of their parents

8:30am Traditional Worship Outline (DS2)

Welcome and Announcements

Opening Hymn: LSB 633, vv.1-4

At the Lamb’s High Feast, We Sing

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Confession and Absolution: page 167

Kyrie: Page 168,169

Hymn of Glory: Page 171

Salutation and Collect: Page 172

First Reading: Jeremiah 11:18-20 (page 172)

Epistle: James 3:13-4:10 (Responses page 172)

Alleluia & Verse (page 173)

Holy Gospel: Mark 9:30-37 (page 173)

Children’s Message

The Sermon Hymn: LSB 851

Lord of Glory, You Have Brought Us

The Sermon: “Bringing Peace” (James 3:13-4:10)

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Prayers of the Church

Offering

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Communion Hymns:

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LSB 632 O Jesus, Blessed Lord, to Thee

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Closing Hymn: LSB 705 The Man Is Ever Blessed



ELS 8th Grade Fundraiser



8th Graders are selling coffee to raise money for their class trip to Washington, D.C.!

Each option is \$12:

12oz. bags (ground or beans) or K-Cups (12 ct.)

Order forms in the narthex. Orders & payments due by **9/30**
(Cash or make checks payable to ELS)

Thank you for your support!

Emmanuel Lutheran

Oktoberfest

SATURDAY OCTOBER 19, 2024

🎵 **All ages!** 12:00-3:00pm **FREE!** 🎵

Emmanuel Lutheran Church & School courtyard

Free German meal & live music!

Emmanuel Oktoberfest beer glass to first 100 guests!
(with beer/wine purchase)

RSVP BY 10/9! Call 828-252-1795(x100)
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at Emmanuel Lutheran Church

Start collecting!

HELP US PROVIDE HATS, GLOVES, SCARVES, AND JACKETS FOR THOSE IN NEED.

Now through NOVEMBER 2ND

Sermon Notes 9/22/2024

"Bringing Peace" (James 3:13-4:20)

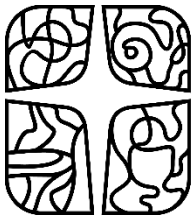
We know that our Lord will return and take us to be with Him because he has _____ faith in our hearts to trust in the message of peace and reconciliation with God through Christ. But what effect does our Christian _____ have on our attitude and actions? How can _____ bring Peace to others?

- I. Resist the _____ to Get Even (vv.13-16)
 - A. Faith without _____ is dead
 1. A person who has faith in their hearts will naturally _____ that _____ by the good words they do out of love for Christ
 2. We are also _____ in need of God's mercy and forgiveness
 - B. James talks about the need to _____ the "get even" mindset
 1. Has anyone ever _____ you?
 2. The devil prompts us to question _____ and get even
 - a. James _____
 - b. Do not _____ yourself in your own goodness
 - c. Don't think somehow you will look better to the _____
 - C. When seeking you _____ you are fleeing from _____
 1. Our sin loves to see the _____ in others instead of oneself
 2. By the grace of God He sent His Son to the _____ for our sins
 3. By faith you as a Christian bring peace to others by resisting temptation and proclaiming the _____ of _____ & peace through Jesus

- II. Live as _____ (vv.17-18)
 - A. When we resist temptation instead of jumping into it we live as _____
 1. We spread peace through our _____ and _____
 2. Peace comes from _____
 - a. Through _____
 - b. It comes from the _____ of sins He grants you
 - B. So how do we _____ as peacemakers?
 1. _____
 - a. We have nothing to _____ about in ourselves
 - b. We boast about what _____ has done for us
 2. Be _____, peace-loving, considerate, full of _____
 - a. This is produced by our _____ for Jesus
 - b. We seek _____ for others
 3. We show this peace and mercy to _____
 - a. There is no picking and _____
 - b. We seek to _____ the fallen and broken
 - C. We are to be _____ who _____ peace

What would the world look like if YOUR actions were Christ-like - producing a _____ of righteousness in your family, work, school, and congregation?

Matthew 6:7 "Blessed are the merciful for they shall receive mercy."



AS WE GATHER

In today's Old Testament Reading, Jeremiah has just learned of a plot against him, and he asks God to provide him justice, ridding him of his enemies. David's psalm likewise asks God to intervene and provide justice. Indeed, when we are weak in the face of opposition, that is when we need to rely on our great God. But if He measured out the same justice on us all, we would be doomed! Even one of the Twelve betrayed our Lord! But God "gives grace to the humble," James teaches in the Epistle. Only when we acknowledge God's grace in Christ can we pray for His justice. The Twelve were ignorant of Jesus' coming sacrifice, but we are well aware that by it we have received every grace and blessing. Today we thank God for His grace to us as He deals with the sin-filled world around us.

CALL TO WORSHIP Give Me Jesus arr. J. Wilson
Rachel Kelm, solo

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

OPENING SONG *Confession Song (In You I Rest)*

(Verse 1)

Lord I have come to worship yet I know
My hands are not as clean as they should be
My words have not brought comfort to my neighbor
My lips have spoken words most carelessly
My feet have taken me down paths of darkness
And I'm ashamed of what I'm sure You see

(Chorus)

In You I rest in You I found my hope

In You I trust

You never let me go

I place my life within Your hands alone

Be still my soul

(Verse 2)

I ask forgiveness in my time of sin
I know that only You can grant release
And in this moment You know my intention
Is but to honor You who brings me peace
Your love has brought me
to the hour of worship
Please cleanse my heart
and let me praise You now.

(SING CHORUS)

(Ending)

Be still my soul

Be still my soul

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INVOCATION

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

People: **Amen.**

OPENING SENTENCES *Psalm 54:1-2*

Pastor: O God, save me, by Your name,

People: **and vindicate me by Your might.**

Pastor: O God, hear my prayer;

People: **give ear to the words of my mouth.**

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

Pastor: Let us confess our sins to our heavenly Father.

People: Almighty God, I confess all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. I have relied on my own strength to endure during temptation and persecution rather than Your faithful protection. I am sorry for these my faults and ask Your forgiveness and pardon that I may return Your faithfulness with ongoing reliance of faith.

Pastor: In the stead and by the command of our Lord Jesus Christ, I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ☩ Son and of the Holy Spirit. God grant deliverance from every trouble and set your feet to walk in His ways now and always.

People: Amen.

SALUTATION

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Pastor: Let us pray. O God, whose strength is made perfect in weakness, grant us humility and childlike faith that we may please You in both will and deed; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now & forever.

People: Amen.

OLD TESTAMENT READING *Jeremiah 11:18–20*

The Lord made it known to me and I knew;
then you showed me their deeds.

¹⁹ But I was like a gentle lamb
led to the slaughter.

I did not know it was against me
they devised schemes, saying,

“Let us destroy the tree with its fruit,
let us cut him off from the land of the living,
that his name be remembered no more.”

²⁰ But, O Lord of hosts, who judges righteously,
who tests the heart and the mind,
let me see your vengeance upon them,
for to you have I committed my cause.

Pastor: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

EPISTLE *James 3:13–4:10*

¹³ Who is wise and understanding among you? By his good conduct let him show his works in the meekness of wisdom. ¹⁴ But if you have bitter jealousy and selfish ambition in your hearts, do not boast and be false to the truth. ¹⁵ This is not the wisdom that comes down from above, but is earthly, unspiritual, demonic. ¹⁶ For where jealousy and selfish ambition exist, there will be disorder and every vile practice. ¹⁷ But the wisdom from above is first pure, then peaceable, gentle, open to reason, full of mercy and good fruits, impartial and sincere. ¹⁸ And a harvest of righteousness is sown in peace by those who make peace. **4** ¹ What causes quarrels and what causes fights among you? Is it not this, that your passions are at war within you? ² You desire and do not have, so you murder. You covet and cannot obtain, so you fight and quarrel. You do not have, because you do not ask. ³ You ask and do not receive, because you ask wrongly, to spend it on your passions. ⁴ You adulterous people! Do you not know that friendship with the world is enmity with God? Therefore whoever wishes to be a friend of the world makes himself an enemy of God. ⁵ Or do you suppose it is to no purpose that the Scripture says, “He yearns jealously over the spirit that he has made to dwell in us”? ⁶ But he gives more grace. Therefore it says, “God opposes the proud but gives grace to the humble.” ⁷ Submit yourselves therefore to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you. ⁸ Draw near to God, and he will draw near to you. Cleanse your hands, you sinners, and purify your hearts, you double-minded. ⁹ Be wretched and mourn and weep. Let your laughter be turned to mourning and your joy to gloom. ¹⁰ Humble yourselves before the Lord, and he will exalt you.

Pastor: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

HOLY GOSPEL *Mark 9:30–37*

Pastor: The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the ninth chapter.

People: Glory to You, O Lord.

³⁰ They went on from there and passed through Galilee. And he did not want anyone to know, ³¹ for he was teaching his disciples, saying to them, “The Son of Man is going to be delivered into the hands of men, and they will kill him. And when he is killed, after three days he will rise.” ³² But they did not understand the saying, and were afraid to ask him. **Who Is the Greatest?** ³³ And they came to Capernaum. And when he was in the house he asked them, “What were you discussing on the way?” ³⁴ But they kept silent, for on the way they had argued with one another about who was the greatest. ³⁵ And he sat down and called the twelve. And he said to them, “If anyone would be first, he must be last of all and servant of all.” ³⁶ And he took a child and put him in the midst of them, and taking him in his arms, he said to them, ³⁷ “Whoever receives one such child in my name receives me, and whoever receives me, receives not me but him who sent me.”

Pastor: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

People: Praise to You, O Christ.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

SERMON SONG Christ Is The Center

(Verse 1)

We're returning to repentance
We come humbly to Your presence
Lord Jesus all that matters now is You
Oh we lay down our agendas
All our burdens and offenses
Lord Jesus all that matters now is You

(Pre-Chorus)

Oh all that matters now is You

(Chorus)

**Christ is our portion Christ our devotion
Christ is the center of our lives
He is our passion He is our confession
Christ is the center of our lives**

(Verse 2)

In the morning in the evening
You're the one thing we are seeking
We come boldly we are open to You now
You are healing all division
You are mending all that's broken
Make us holy make us holy like You are

(SING PRE-CHORUS AND CHORUS again)

(Bridge)

As for me and this house
We will serve You glorify You
Let it be in this house
That we love You and obey You
You are Lord of this house
You're the first and You're the only
In the midst of us now
You are Holy You are worthy

(SING CHORUS again)

(SING BRIDGE again)

(Ending)

Christ is our portion Christ our devotion, Christ is the center of our lives

SERMON “Bringing Peace” *James 3:13–4:10*

CREED *Apostle’s Creed*

C I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth. And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

LORD’S PRAYER *Matthew 6:9–13*

People: 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.

OFFERING

OFFERTORY SONG Heal Our Land

Verse 1

You take our lives flawed yet beautiful
Restore refine Lord You're merciful
Redeem revive

Chorus

Spirit of God

Breathe on Your church

Pour out Your presence

Speak through Your word

We pray in ev'ry nation Christ be known

Our hope and salvation Christ alone

Verse 2

New pow'r new wine as divisions fall
One church one Bride Jesus Lord of all
With one voice we cry

(SING CHORUS)

Bridge

So God we pray to You
Humble ourselves again
Lord would You hear our cry
Lord will You heal our land
That ev'ry eye will see
That ev'ry heart will know
The One who took our sin
The One who died and rose
(REPEAT BRIDGE)

And when Your kingdom comes
And when at last You call
We'll rise to worship You alone
(SING CHORUS 2x)

Ending

Christ alone

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Pastor: Blessed are You, O Lord our God, King of all creation, for You have had mercy on us and sent You only Son, the Second Adam, and made His cross a life-giving tree for all who trust in Him. Though we have betrayed Him in our thoughts, words, and deeds, Your grace has united us in His church, the Body of Christ. Grant us a true faith that we may faithfully eat and drink of the fruits of His cross and receive the blessings of forgiveness, life, and salvation that come to us in this Sacrament.

People: Amen.

THE WORDS OF OUR LORD *Matthew 26:26–28; Mark 14:22–24; Luke 22:19–20; 1 Corinthians 11:23–25*

Pastor: Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: “Take, eat; this is My \times body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me.”

In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: “Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My \times blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me.”

PAX DOMINI

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

People: Amen.

DISTRIBUTION HYMNS

LSB 629 What Is This Bread

1 What is this bread?

Christ’s body risen from the dead:
This bread we break,
This life we take,
Was crushed to pay for our release.
O taste and see—the Lord is peace.

2 What is this wine?

The blood of Jesus shed for mine;
The cup of grace
Brings His embrace
Of life and love until I sing!
O taste and see—the Lord is King.

3 So who am I,
That I should live and He should die
Under the rod?
My God, my God,
Why have You not forsaken me?
O taste and see—the Lord is free.

4 Yet is God here?
Oh, yes! By Word and promise clear,
In mouth and soul
He makes us whole—
Christ, truly present in this meal.
O taste and see—the Lord is real.

5 Is this for me?
I am forgiven and set free!
I do believe
That I receive
His very body and His blood.
O taste and see—the Lord is good.

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LSB 632 O Jesus, Blessed Lord, to Thee

- 1** O Jesus, blessed Lord, to Thee
My heartfelt thanks forever be,
Who hast so lovingly bestowed
On me Thy body and Thy blood.
- 2** Break forth, my soul, for joy and say:
What wealth is come to me this day!
My Savior dwells within my heart:
How blessed am I! How good Thou art!

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POST-COMMUNION THANKSGIVING

Pastor: Let us pray.

Gracious God, our heavenly Father, You have given us a foretaste of the feast to come in the Holy Supper of Your Son's body and blood. Keep us firm in the true faith throughout our days of pilgrimage that, on the day of His coming, we may, together with all Your saints, celebrate the marriage feast of the Lamb in His kingdom, which has no end; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

People: Amen.

BENEDICTION *Numbers 6:24–26*

Pastor: The Lord bless you and keep you.
 The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.
 The Lord look upon you with favor and ✠ give you peace.

People: **Amen.**

CLOSING HYMN Act Justly, Love Mercy, Walk Humbly

(Verse 1)

It all comes down to this
What you require of me
Love my neighbor as myself
And You above all things

(Chorus)

Act justly love mercy walk humbly

With You God

In all things in all ways walk humbly

With You God

(Verse 2)

It all comes down to this
To be Your hands and feet
Good news to all the world
We'll follow where You lead

(Sing Chorus again)

(Bridge)

Your word is my pathway
You help us forgive them
It's Your will not my way
On Earth as in heaven

(SING BRIDGE again)

(Verse 3)

Years from now we'll see
The fruit our hands have sown
Faith just like a seed
The only way it grows

(Sing Chorus again)

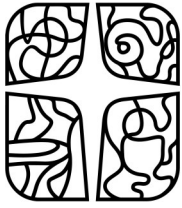
In all things in all ways, Walk humbly with You God

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DISMISSAL

Pastor: Go in peace as you serve the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God!**



Emmanuel Lutheran Prayer List The Week of September 22nd, 2024

These are people in need of prayers this week. "Lord Jesus we commend into Your hands the needs of people that go through challenges of many kinds. You know their joys, troubles, illnesses, and fears. We now commend them to You."

Prayers are continual and for good HEALTH, swift HEALING & FAVOR; for the afflicted, their families, and friends.

- **Steve Ude** His mother passed away. Prayers for peace & comfort
- ◇ **Deb DeBerry** Prayers for comfort & healing from a broken pelvis.
- ◇ **Ed Schallhorn** Having a heart cath procedure on 9/25.
- ◇ **Lorenzo Lopez (PJS)** Surgery 9/13 to address incision wound; Ongoing physical therapy in Denver
- ◇ **Myleigh Baumann (C. Leyva, niece)** suffered fractures in her neck, back, & ribs- result of a school bus accident in Wisconsin.
- Maurice Helms (J Helms, father) Healing from recent stroke
- Karen Norvel (Rush, friend) Mourning tragic loss of nephew
- ◇ **Mary Hufnagle (PJS)** Tumor found on pancreas (early!); MRI on 9/24, then to surgeon to either remove tumor or a biopsy.
- ◇ **Phil McCarthy (S. Taylor)** His hand needs more healing
- Brenda Morgan (Rush, friend) Under hospice care in Georgia.
- Melissa (T. Carpenter, friend) Stage 4 pancreatic cancer
- Don Maskell (A. Maskell, husband) Back surgery
- ◇ **Pete Rauschenplat (PJS)** Health issues & testing.
- ◇ **Julia Kearley (PJS)** Challenges with cancer treatments
- ◇ = *Emmanuel Lutheran Church Members*
(Those diagnosed or living with long-term illnesses & conditions, on back)

Praises and Prayers answered!

9/16, from S. Rauschenplat: "... Pete has had testing done and his tests have all come back with good results and he is feeling much better!"

9/17, Pastor Gillespie: "Giving praise and thanks to God for his supernatural healing and deliverance a year ago, September 18, 2023. Thank you, PG"

9/12, Ron Pepin: "Praise to the Lord and the many, many prayer givers!" Ron is back home from UNC Med, following a transfer from Mission Hospital due to an esophageal tear, now healed! The feed tube through his nose removed.

PRAYERS FOR THOSE WITH CANCER OR LONG-TERM ILLNESSES/CONDITIONS:



- ◇ Marilyn Saylor
- ◇ Diana Hempel
- ◇ Emily Nieting
- ◇ Cynthia Cline
- ◇ Helen Cline
- ◇ Marjorie Locke
- ◇ Ken Treadway
- ◇ Mike Walker
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- Buzz Peterson (C. Piercy, brother)
- Jennie Buckner (C.Cline's neighbor)
- Elsie Lankford (S. Pruett's mother)
- Carolyn & Keith Hembree (C. Cline, friend)
- Ralph Ector, Jr & Snr (S.Edward's, family)
- Sam Leder (V.Stinson's cousin)
- Muriel Williams (S.Edward's friend)
- Don Young (P/CJ Reece)
- Hubert Hicks (C.Cline's friend)
- Ann Melious (P/H McCarthy family)
- Carol Harris (S.Ude's friend)
- Robin Worley (J.Kearley's friend)
- Antonia Simpson (L.Meulenberg's friend)
- Bob Frey (D.Wooten's friend)
- Keith Haynes (R.Rush's friend)
- Virginia Lopez (E.Lopez's mother)
- Melinda Condrey (Hufnagle's friend)
- Chris Alstrin (L.Schulhof's friend)
- Garret Reiser (R/Dee Gordon's family)
- Becky Presley (S.Brock's friend)
- Janice (L. Giese's friend)
- Jan Williams (C. Waites Mother)
- Debbie Henderson (J. Groh, friend)
- Lynn Case-Scott (S.Buckner's friend)
- Becky Banks (R. Rush)

PRAYERS FOR OUR HOMEBOUND MEMBER BROTHERS & SISTERS:

- ◇ K. Ray Bailey
- ◇ Ruth Jean Metcalf
- ◇ Diana Hempel
- ◇ Teenie Smathers
- ◇ Marjorie Locke
- ◇ Isabelle Hempel
- ◇ Marilyn Saylor
- ◇ Helen Cline

PRAYERS FOR OUR SEMINARIAN: Adam Nieting & his wife Emily

Healing Scripture and Prayer for this week:

"Be joyful always, pray at all times, be thankful in all circumstances. This is what God wants from you in your life in union with Christ Jesus." (1 Thessalonians 5:16-18)

Dear Jesus, You are the great physician of body and soul. Come to those who are experiencing cancer and bring healing to their bodies. Use the gifts of medicine and doctors to work Your healing power. Lift their spirits and enable them to trust in You during this difficult time. Let them cast all their cares upon You for You care for them. For their families and caregivers, be their Encourager and Helper. Thank you Jesus, Amen.