

## We Remember in Prayer

*Help carry one another's burden, and in this way  
you will obey the law of Christ.* Galatians 6:2

Lyle Alphin	Peggy Lanaghan
Charles Armstrong	Susan Lewis
Jean Beard	Mary Lipscomb
Melissa Matherly Bowers	Debbie Lucas
David Cathcart	Jodie Manning
Steve Chaplin	Mattie Marsh
Curtis Clark	Shirley Mattherly
Grayson Coleman	Sarah MacCorkle
Diane Potter	Booty Moore
Marilyn Earhart	Pete Norcross
Lita Fisher	Bill Peel
Richard Grant	Mark Pistochini
Sam Hall	El & Mary Anne Pultz
Betty Hartbarger	Keith & Barbara Putbresi
Sylvia Henry	Bill Shaver
Gladys Kuehne	Loretta Staton
Sergei Kuehne	Lori Teague
Vera Kuehne	Pastor Luther & Judy Witt



### Congregation Members with

**Special Needs:** Steve Heizer

**Those in Military Service:**

Albert Miller Jr., Robert &  
Sharon Miller, Wayne Perez,  
Markus Strecker, Ben Switzer,  
Clint Taylor

**Our College Students:**

Brett Turpin

**Our Missions Near & Far:**

WRE, RARA, Gideons  
International, Relay for Life,  
Young Life, Theological

Seminaries, Habitat for  
Humanity, Blue Ridge Food  
Bank, Kings Way Help Center,  
Presbyterian Disaster  
Assistance, Massanetta  
Springs, Rockbridge Area  
Hospice, Samaritan's Purse,



**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 18, 2020**

9:30AM Study School Online—"THE STORY"  
Chap. 19—The Return Home  
11:00AM Worship Service-**In-Person & Online**

**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 21, 2020**

3:00 PM ~~NO General Fellowship Time on Zoom~~

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 25, 2020—CONGREGATION MEETING**

9:30AM Study School Online—"THE STORY"  
Chap. 20—The Queen of Courage  
11:00AM Worship Service-**In-Person & Online**

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## CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

**Next Sunday on Oct. 25th, 2020**

This meeting is called to elect church members to serve as  
Elders on the Church Session. We will also elect trustees and  
the nominating committee for 2020.

### Nominated Office Elder Class 2023

Michael Henry

Art Kuehne

Donna Lanaghan

### Nominated Office Trustee Class 2023

Jacqueline Miller

Ellen Ware

### Nominated Office Trustee 2021

Ann Peel

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**OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD  
COLLECTION SUNDAY—NOV. 12TH,**

## Psalm 99:1-9

- 1 The LORD is king; let the peoples tremble!  
He sits enthroned upon the cherubim; let the earth quake!
- 2 The LORD is great in Zion;  
he is exalted over all the peoples.
- 3 Let them praise your great and awesome name.  
Holy is he!
- 4 Mighty King, lover of justice,  
you have established equity;  
you have executed justice  
and righteousness in Jacob.
- 5 Extol the LORD our God;  
worship at his footstool. Holy is he!
- 6 Moses and Aaron were among his priests,  
Samuel also was among those who called on his name.  
They cried to the LORD, and he answered them.
- 7 He spoke to them in the pillar of cloud;  
they kept his decrees,  
and the statutes that he gave them.
- 8 O LORD our God, you answered them;  
you were a forgiving God to them,  
but an avenger of their wrongdoings.
- 9 Extol the LORD our God,  
and worship at his holy mountain;  
for the LORD our God is holy.

## 1 Thessalonians 1:1-10

Paul, Silvanus, and Timothy, To the church of the Thessalonians in God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ: Grace to you and peace.

We always give thanks to God for all of you and mention you in our prayers, constantly remembering before our God

and Father your work of faith and labor of love and steadfastness of hope in our Lord Jesus Christ. For we know, brothers and sisters beloved by God, that he has chosen you, because our message of the gospel came to you not in word only, but also in power and in the Holy Spirit and with full conviction; just as you know what kind of persons we proved to be among you for your sake. And you became imitators of us and of the Lord, for in spite of persecution you received the word with joy inspired by the Holy Spirit, so that you became an example to all the believers in Macedonia and in Achaia. For the word of the Lord has sounded forth from you not only in Macedonia and Achaia, but in every place your faith in God has become known, so that we have no need to speak about it. For the people of those regions report about us what kind of welcome we had among you, and how you turned to God from idols, to serve a living and true God, and to wait for his Son from heaven, whom he raised from the dead — Jesus, who rescues us from the wrath that is coming.

## Gospel Matthew 22:15-22

Then the Pharisees went and plotted to entrap him in what he said. So they sent their disciples to him, along with the Herodians, saying, “Teacher, we know that you are sincere, and teach the way of God in accordance with truth, and show deference to no one; for you do not regard people with partiality. Tell us, then, what you think. Is it lawful to pay taxes to the emperor, or not?” But Jesus, aware of their malice, said, “Why are you putting me to the test, you hypocrites? Show me the coin used for the tax.” And they brought him a denarius. Then he said to them, “Whose head is this, and whose title?” They answered, “The emperor’s.” Then he said to them, “Give therefore to the emperor the things that are the emperor’s, and to God the things that are God’s.” When they heard this, they were amazed; and they left him and went away.