

Mission Moments

June, 2019 | **Monthly Newsletter of Hope Lutheran Church** | Wake Forest, NC

Pastor Puls' Memo... "First-Class!"

I remember a conversation I had with a long-time Hope member, during my first month in the church, back in 2012. This gentleman and I were talking about the most recent additions to Hope's facilities: our beautiful worship sanctuary, Youth Center, adult education rooms upstairs, and administrative offices. "We have first-class facilities housing the Lord's ministries," he said, with humble pride.

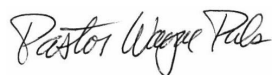
That's exactly how it should be, in my view. We're blessed with first-class facilities, as we carry out our mission here in Wake Forest and surrounding communities. God has stirred many generous hearts through the years, and the congregation has done a tremendous job building the facilities for our church and preschool ministries.

As any homeowner knows, buildings age quickly. Maintenance and upkeep are essential. Here at Hope, it's important to keep our facilities in first-class condition, for the sake of the Lord's ministry. We've been working on a strategic plan to maintain and upgrade our facilities in necessary ways. A variety of facilities needs are going to have to be addressed in the near future: HVAC units and control systems, Children's Center carpet, playground, roofing, IT/AV hardware, and more.

In the next couple of months, information will be shared about Hope's Facilities Strategic Plan, in preparation for a short-term capital campaign to boost our Facilities Fund. Discussion will begin at the Congregational Assembly on June 23 (3:30 PM), and will continue at a Congregational Forum to be held on a Sunday morning later in the summer. I hope that you'll join me in taking these facilities needs to heart, and that you'll respond joyfully to provide support in the upcoming months.

"We have first-class facilities housing the Lord's ministries." Let's make sure we keep it that way!

In Christ,



Pastor Wayne Puls
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Summer Worship Services

Saturday at 5:30PM

Sunday at 8:30AM & 11:00AM

The Family Service (11:00AM) will take a short break during the summer after June 2. There'll be one service on July 21 and resume weekly Family services on August 25.

Nursery and Children's Church provided at all services



SUNDAY CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

9:45-10:45AM

Sunday School for
ages 3 – grade 12
Adult Bible Studies

Congregational Assembly

June 23 at 3:30PM

Every member is encouraged to attend the Annual Congregational Assembly. The agenda includes: Selection of the 2019-2020 Ministry Leadership Team, Annual Ministry Reports, Financial Updates, and a discussion of Hope's Facilities Strategic Plan.

Did Vacation Prevent You From Attending Worship?

Vacations and summer schedules can prevent you from being at church on the weekends. Don't worry... Hope has made it easy to hear the Word! All sermons are available online at www.hopelutheranwf.org or via Apple Podcast.



Summer Worship Schedule

All of Hope's members and families are encouraged to worship weekly year-round! Parents, keep bringing your kids to church and Sunday School, as they continue to get to know their Lord and savior, Jesus Christ. Our Family Service at Hope will take a summer timeout from June 9-July 14 and from July 28-August 18. We'll be back in action for a special summer Family Service on July 21, and will resume weekly Family Services on August 25. Regular worship services are held in the sanctuary all through the summer (5:30PM Saturdays; 8:30 & 11:00AM Sundays).

Men's Ministry Event at Brooks Street Bowl

June 11 from 7:00-9:00PM

All men (18 and over) are invited to come bowl and fellowship at Brooks Street in Wake Forest for "\$2 Tuesday." This means the cost is \$2 for shoe rentals and \$2 per game. Now the question is...can you spare some time for fun? Questions? Contact DCE Wesley Spottiswood or DCE Steve McCarthy at 919-554-8109.

Vicar Fest

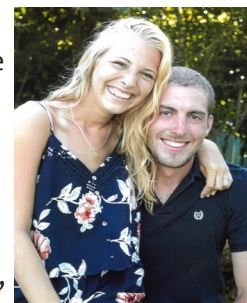


Vicar Kevin, Sam, & Bear

church office know.

Hope's new vicar, Zachary Sarrault, will arrive in town with his wife, Kelsey, on Friday, June 28. If you're able to help unload their moving van (late afternoon, time to be determined), please let the church know.

Later this month we'll be saying a fond farewell to Vicar Kevin Scott, who is completing his year at Hope as a pastoral intern. Along with his wife, Sam, and their son, Bear, Vicar Kevin will be moving back to St. Louis to complete his final year of studies at Concordia Seminary. Vicar's final sermon will be June 22-23, and a reception will be held in his honor immediately following the 11:00 AM service on June 23. If you're able to help load the Scott family's moving van on June 22 at 9:00AM, please let the



Vicar Zachary & Kelsey Sarrault

Ways To Give at Hope

There are several ways to give offerings that benefit Hope's ministries. To start contributing or change your contribution format, please contact Hope's Operations Manager, Hilary Tew at htew@hopelutheranwf.org or 919-554-8109 or visit www.hopelutheranwf.org, selecting, "About Us - Donate."

- **Donate with Amazon Smile**

When you shop at smile.amazon.com, you'll find the exact same shopping experience as Amazon.com, with the added bonus that Amazon will donate a portion of the purchase price to Hope Lutheran Church.

- **Offering envelopes** are mailed out on a monthly basis. If you do not currently receive envelopes but would like to, please contact Hilary Tew.

- **Mobile App Giving Option**

You can now make a contribution to Hope through a mobile app! To get started, simply search for "Give+ Church" in the App Store or Google Play to download the free app today. Then, by selecting Hope, you can easily make donations directly from your smartphone using your debit/credit card or checking/savings account.

- Hope also offers two options for **electronic giving**. You may either schedule automatic payments through the Simply Giving program or make one-time donations online.

- A number of **other giving formats** are also available. Did you know that if you are over age 70 ½ and taking a required minimum distribution from certain types of IRAs, you may be able to designate funds to Hope as a qualified charitable distribution?



BREW
COLLEGE-AGED MINISTRY (18-24)
CAMP OUT ON FALLS LAKE, 6/18
Reconnect with old church friends and
make some new ones. S'mores roasting,
fishing, campfire chats, and sleeping
under the stars.

Contact DCE Steve McCarthy at smccarthy@hopelutheranwf.org for more information.



Sunday Morning Adult Education

Sunday Mornings; 9:45-10:45AM

Every Sunday morning, there are opportunities for adults to grow in the Word of God. Current classes are listed below - *visitors are always welcome!*

The Ascension

Class Date: June 2

Location: Adult Education floor, room 301

Leader: Pastor Lew

The last thing we read in Luke's Gospel, and one of the first things we read in the book of Acts, is that Jesus ascended into the sky after appearing to his disciples in his resurrected body. But what does Jesus' ascension really mean for Christians today? It just might be more than you think!

Connections

Class Date: June 9-30

Location: Adult Education floor, room 301

Leaders: Jack Pizzolato & Pastor Lew

The Connections Bible study takes a more comprehensive look at the weekend's sermon text and theme. Beginning on Pentecost, this month's class will focus on the work of the Holy Spirit.

Missionary Greetings

People of Hope,
Thank you so much for your continued support and prayers. Your commitment to outreach and sharing God's love is inspiring. Please give our greetings to the staff and church members as we miss our times of worship together. We continue to keep you all in prayer. May God continue to bless you as you reach out to the community and the world with the love and grace of Jesus Christ.

In Jesus,
Joel & Krista Young



Congratulations to the 2019 Confirmation Class!

*On Sunday, May 19 during a special service,
46 of Hope's youth were Confirmed.*



*A special thank you to Kim Nugent for taking photos during the service and to
Sue Joslyn for making a cake with all 46 Confirmand's names.*

Outreach & Mission Ministries

June Tri-Area Ministry Needs Brown Bag Ministry

This wonderful organization serves families that live in Wake County and Youngsville. The ministry allows registered families to come in once a month to pick up a bag stuffed with groceries for no charge. Nearly 200 families go to the ministry each week.

This month the group is requesting **peanut butter, canned meat, canned fruit and cereal**. A collection bin is available in the Cafe' area at Hope, and you are welcome to donate at any time to this blessed ministry. Questions? Contact Jill Schaefer at jmschaefer@yahoo.com.

A special thank you to Hope's Preschool! They have collected a variety of breakfast foods to make "Breakfast Pantry Bags" for our Brown Bag families. The bags, filled with oatmeal, cereal, fruit and more, provide families in Wake Forest with nutritious breakfasts during the summer break and will be distributed with our usual Brown Bag lunches on June 15. All are invited to the area outside the kitchen at 11:00AM for sandwich making and lunch bag assembly. Distribution to neighborhood in Wake Forest will be around noon.

Sign up at <https://tinyurl.com/y3zb5x6u>. Questions? Contact Nancy Repak at kapernan@gmail.com.

Back-to-School Donations

Please consider donating to help youth at Heritage Middle & Rolesville Middle schools get off to a great start to their school year.

Items needed are: single-subject spiral notebooks, composition books, 3 ring binders (2 inch only), college-lined paper, note cards, index dividers, highlighters, pens/pencils, pocket folders, and drawstring backpacks (for Backpack Buddies).

Please place items in the donation bin in the café marked 'school supplies.' Items will be delivered to the school in mid-July. If you have any questions, contact Susan Hooper at swoozie9@gmail.com.



HopeChest—Save the Date!

This ministry offers free clothing and housewares a few times during the year, with all items donated by the people of Hope. Items go directly to people who need them most in Wake Forest and surrounding communities. **The next event is August 24 with donation collection beginning August 17.**

Puerto Rico Mission Trip Opportunity

Are you adventurous and flexible? Do you enjoy getting your hands dirty and sharing the Good News of Jesus Christ with others? If so, Hope's upcoming Puerto Rico mission trip (September 14-21, 2019) may be the opportunity for you. Our group will assist the LCMS missionary team on the island with various hands-on tasks needed around the premises used for worship and community events. We will also help facilitate an outreach program for a local special needs population, sharing a Bible story, crafts and songs. Interested? Contact Operations Manager Hilary Tew at htew@hopelutheranwf.org by June 14.



Puerto Rico Mission Trip, Nov. 2018

Weekend Volunteers Needed

Many volunteers are needed in support of weekend services. Specifically, Communion Servers, Video, Altar Care, Lay Readers, and Ushers are needed on Saturday and Altar Care and Communion Servers are needed on Sunday mornings. Contact Carlin O'Brien at cobrien@hopelutheranwf.org or 919-554-8109 to get involved!

Missions of Hope ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAMENT

Monday, August 19, 2019 • 9:00am



Scramble Tournament or 'Best Ball'
9:00am Shotgun Start
Registration 8:00-8:45am

Heritage Golf Club
1250 Heritage Club Ave.
Wake Forest, NC 27587

Limited to 80 Players

\$100/person includes fees,
cart, bucket of practice balls,
lunch, prizes, including a
\$10,000 Hole-in-One prize!!

Register today!
www.hopelutheranwf.org

Small Group Ministry

Pinochle Group June 3 at 1:00PM at Hope
Contact Peggy Koehler at 919-231-9563 or Jan Hubbard at 919-850-2542 if you plan to play. All skill levels welcome!

Bridge Group June 10 & 24 at 1:00PM. If you plan to come, contact Pam Jay at pjay0826@gmail.com.

Stitches of Hope Teaching Basic Quilting

The Stitches of Hope group will be teaching basic quilting classes to those who want to learn a new skill. Classes are free and will be held at Hope on Tuesday evenings or Thursday afternoons (beginning June 4 & 6, respectively). Quilt basics, including fabric and pattern selection, rotary cutting, pressing, sewing proper seams, and sandwiching the quilt will be taught. A basic knowledge of sewing and a sewing machine are required, although a few loaner machines may be available for use. To learn the specific dates and times, contact Betty McAlear at 919-554-9081 or bmcalear@nc.rr.com.

Primetimer Summer Events Day at Lake Gaston

June 22 starting after 10:00AM - whenever you'd like!

Join the Primetimers for a day of fun on the lake, boating, swimming, kayaking, grilling and fellowship. Bring your towel, swimsuit, sunglasses and a dish to share. Burgers and hotdogs with trimmings provided at 1:30PM. Contact Joe Loughry at jloughry@gmail.com for further information or directions.

Play at Raleigh Little Theatre

Join the group at Raleigh Little Theatre to see the musical comedy, "A Gentleman's Guide To Love and Murder" on August 18 at 3:00PM. After the performance, the group will go to dinner. To ensure that we get tickets for that performance, please RSVP to Paul & Rene Hieter at 919-562-3775 or phieter@nc.rr.com by July 15.

Welcome New Members!!

We are delighted to welcome 54 adults, and 33 children, into membership at Hope! This wonderful group celebrated together at the New Member Breakfast on Saturday, May 11, and was received as members of the congregation at the services on May 11 and May 12. We are thankful to God for all of you!



Jay, Nicole, Julia, Charlotte
Boriotti



Tom, Lauren, George Brence



Rick, Amy, Brynn, Ella Cagle



John, Donna, Lucas, Jackson
Collins



Sue Corlis



Andrew, Kelly, Max DiGiovanni



James Disney



William, Shantel, Cullen, Liam
Donnelly



Rosalie Douglas



John, Pat Elder



Marshall, Zita, Gergo, Sophia
Foster



Marc, Leigh, Carson, Lawson
Gipple



Michael, Elaina, Olivia Giuffre



Mike, Betty Holloway



Jeff, Karen Jervah



Natividad, Kathleen, Nati Medina



Craig, Tammy Metz



Herschel, Linda Miller



Robert, Mary Owens



Carlos, Natalia, Sophia Quinto



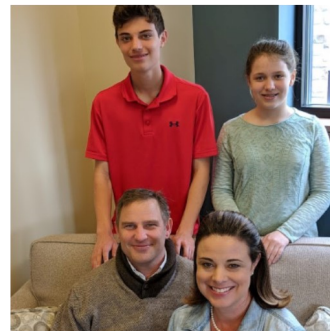
Greta, Emily, Stephanie Requena



Greg, Debra, Daniel, David Sanders



Maury, Karen, Reece, Addie Taylor



Tom, Amanda, Jillian, Gannon Turner



Doug, Natalie, Garret, Gunnar Vogt



Jason & Roxanne, Nolan, Virginia Wyss



Steve, Lori Wood



Craig & Miki Wolff



Anthony, McKenzie, Santino, Nora, Vera, Capri Zinani

Come join the
fun this summer!

Xplore TRACK OUT CAMP

rising kindergarten - 5th grade



Spend summer breaks
at a safe, local camp
having fun with friends
while playing games,
enjoying the outdoors
and getting crafty with
food, art, & science.

Take walking field trips
to local businesses like
Dairy Depot and walk
the beautiful greenway.

Sign up for a full week,
full day, or half-days!
Discounts are given
for consecutive week
registrations.

Hope Lutheran Church - 3525 Rogers Road, Wake Forest
www.hopelutheranwf.org/xplore

Xplore
TRACK OUT CAMP
@ HOPE LUTHERAN

Children's Ministry

At Hope, there are many different ways for children to get involved, grow relationships, and build upon their faith foundations developed at home.

Sunday school volunteers

are needed for grades preschool-4th grade during the summer to give the school year teachers a much needed break! Sunday Curriculum is provided to all teachers. Email Beth Agner at bagner@hopelutheranwf.org to volunteer.

Moving Up for Summer Sunday school

On June 9, Hope's children are moving up to the next grade! Below are the specific room locations for Sunday School.

- Children ages 0-2 in the Nursery
- Children ages 3 - Kindergarten in the Preschool, rm 4
- Grades 1 - 4 in the lower Children's Center. This is down the stairs, past the kitchen.

Questions? Contact Lead DCE Beth Agner at bagner@hopelutheranwf.org or 919-554-8109.

VBS 2019 Update

This epic African adventure engages the whole herd from rising 4 year olds - 6th grade! Kids will explore God's goodness and celebrate a ferocious faith that power them through this wild life! This year's VBS is on June 17-21 with morning and evening sessions.

- **Registration closes** on June 12 (or sooner, if filled). Sign up today at www.hopelutheranwf.org.
- **VBS Work Days.** If you can't volunteer the week of VBS, but would like to be involved, come to a work day! There are lots of different projects and needs for everyone. Childcare is available upon request. If you are coming, please contact Lead DCE Beth Agner at bagner@hopelutheranwf.org.
 - * June 6-7 from 9:30AM-4:30PM
 - * June 10-14 from 9:30AM-4:30PM

Hope Lutheran Preschool News

Preschoolpalooza

The Preschool staff put on a *Preschoolpalooza* to celebrate the end of the year. Families enjoyed a bubble show, bounce houses, indoor and outdoor games, a photo booth, and a hot dog lunch. Thank you to DCE's Wesley and Steve for helping out! A great time was had by all!

Thank You

Regina, Sara, and Angela would like to say "thank you" for all the service and commitment of the devoted Hope teachers. All the staff celebrated with a delicious lunch to close out the successful school year. Thank you for a wonderful year!!

Summer Expressions

There is very limited availability remaining for Hope's half day and full day summer program. Summer Expressions will be held each week from May 28 through August 9. For more information contact the preschool office at 919-453-0388.

Part Time Positions Available

The Preschool is currently looking for part time staff members for afternoon positions. Candidates should have previous experience in a child care setting. Please email resumes to Preschool Director Regina Fisher at rfisher@hopelutheranwf.org.

MOVING UP!

On Sunday, June 2, many of Hope's youth will move on up to their new Sunday School classes and youth groups. See below for each group for specific times, events, and class locations. Questions? Call the church office at 919-554-8109.

Youth Ministry

Youth ministry at Hope Lutheran focuses on friendships, faith, and service for youth in grades 5-12.

Rising 5-6 Grades

"HOP UP" LOCK-IN FOR 5 & 6 GRADERS!

May 31 at 7:00PM until June 1 at 8:00AM in the Youth Center; cost is \$10. It's time to "Hop up!" To celebrate this momentous occasion, all rising 5 & 6 graders are invited to spend the night at church, stay up late, play games, eat pizza, watch movies, and more! Sign up today at www.hopelutheranwf.org.

5-6 GRADE TUESDAY NIGHT YOUTH GROUP

Tuesday evenings from 6:30-7:30PM in the Youth Center. During the summer, rising 5-6th grade activities will shift from Wednesday nights to TUESDAY nights! Every Tuesday during the summer (other than 6/18 and 7/2) all rising 5-6th graders will gather together to have some fun and get to know each other. We'll do something different every week: Dairy Depot runs, water fights, floor hockey and more! You won't want to miss it. For the first night on 6/4, parents are invited to join for the first 15 minutes to mix and mingle and hear more from Mr. Steve!

5-6 GRADE SUNDAY SCHOOL

Stop by the Youth Center from 9:45-10:45AM to play games, create artistic masterpieces, make friends, and strengthen their relationship with Jesus. It will be a fun combo of learning, playing, and creating! Get ready to "Hop Up" (Move up to the next grade) starting on June 2! And don't forget to BARF (Bring a Real Friend)!

5-6 GRADE JULY POOL PARTY

July 5 from 2:30-5:00PM at the Pallozzi house

Dive right into summer and make some waves at this awesome pool party. Bring your trunks, towel, sunscreen, and a snack to share. Make sure to give a big thank you to the Pallozzi family for letting us use their pool. And don't forget to Bring A Real Friend!

Rising 7-8 Grades

7-8 GRADE ICE CREAM PIG TROUGH

June 5 from 6:30-7:30PM; cost is \$3

Get ready to pig out! All you can eat ice-cream, toppings, and games. This event is sure to be the oink of the town!

7-8 GRADE WEDNESDAY NIGHT YOUTH GROUP

Every Wednesday night from 6:30-7:30PM

7&8 Grade Youth Group is a weekly time where you get away from school, hangout with friends, spend time in God's Word, eat snacks, and play games!

7-8 GRADE SUNDAY SCHOOL

Sunday mornings from 9:45-10:45AM in the Youth Center

You are invited to the Youth Center between church services for Sunday School! This month the group will cover the topic of Life's changes and transitions.

Rising 9-12 Grades

9-12 GRADE YOUTH GROUP

June 2 from 6:30-8:00PM in the Youth Center

June is full of surprises with many events and celebrations. Help us kick off the month with a welcome youth group party for our rising 9th grade youth.

High School Youth Group meets each Sunday from 6:30-8:00PM in the Youth Center. Dive into various topics, play games, and hang with friends. Snacks are provided and friends are welcome! *Note: There'll be no youth group June 16 for Father's Day.*

Second Sunday is June 9! Keep the fun going with Second Sunday on June 9. Come to the Sanctuary for our multi-media worship experience featuring live music, video, art wall, games, and bonfire.

9-12 GRADE SUNDAY SCHOOL

Sunday mornings from 9:45-10:45AM in the Youth Center

This month we will walk through the book of John and step into the disciple's shoes. Questions are always welcome!

9-12 GRADE EVENT: CULVER'S

June 29 from 6:30-7:45PM

Mark your calendar for a meal at Culver's restaurant. The best way to talk to people and have fun starts at the dinner table. Meet at Culver's for a bite to eat and a group to meet.

VBS VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

June 17-21, 2018 for both daytime and evening sessions

Do you like kids, want to impact the faith lives of your community, or just need some service hours? Then sign up to volunteer as a VBS youth leader this summer. Register at www.hopelutheranwf.org.

LOOKING AHEAD! On July 1, there will be an Open Youth room, watch out for a Remind text and Facebook announcement regarding times and activities!

Keep Connected to All Things Youth

Facebook

- Hope's Facebook Page: <https://www.facebook.com/HopeLutheranWF>
- Youth Ministry Closed Group: request to join from Hope's main page

Instagram

- Follow Hope Youth at [hopeyouth_wf](https://www.instagram.com/hopeyouth_wf)

Remind (texting service is used for reminders, closings, and pop-up events)

To sign up, visit www.remind.com/join and enter code for each age group.

- 5-6 Grade Youth/Parents: hope5-6
- 7-8 Grade Youth: hope7-8
- 7-8 Parents: 7-8parent
- HS Youth: hope9-12
- HS Parents: hope-hs



Sportsmen's Group Annual Youth Outing

(Shooting, Fishing, & Cook out)

Saturday, June 15 from 9:00AM - 3:00PM (rain or shine)

Open to all 5 - 12 Graders

Come on out to Bill Spencer's farm for a great day outdoors. The day will start with a moment of prayer and a safety briefing by experienced shooting instructors. At noon, the group will take a break and enjoy a picnic lunch complete with burgers, hot dogs, sides, and drinks. Afterwards, the group will head to the pond for some fishing. If you don't have a gun or fishing rod to bring, we will have some for you to use. We require every child to be accompanied by a parent, and everyone must sign a liability release. If you are planning to attend, contact Ted Bachman at tedbachman@mindspring.com or 919-606-3477 to make reservations and get directions.

Happy Birthday!

Christian Baker, 6/1
Jen Braddock, 6/1
Thomas Glander, 6/1
Pam Morrow, 6/1
Lana Wagner, 6/1
Tom Williams, 6/1
Louise Bailey, 6/2
Devin Blalock, 6/2
Brianna Jendro, 6/2
Rob Petersilge, 6/2
Sarah Bloomer, 6/3
Logan Flanagan, 6/3
David Van Hook, 6/3
Bill Winiewicz, 6/3
Norine Carter, 6/4
Jake Marchetta, 6/4
Lauren Habers, 6/5
Chris Leary, 6/5
Anna Metzger, 6/5
Nels Sandstrom, 6/5
Barbara Welch, 6/5
Benjamin Wright, 6/5
Billy Harris, 6/6
Chris Schunke, 6/6
Kevin Smith, 6/6
Sharon Strom, 6/6
Tammy Alexander, 6/7
Angie Mrazek, 6/7
Chris Nelson, 6/7
Bette Barrett, 6/8
Shelley Collins, 6/8
Bailey Hellmann, 6/8
Matt Klemp, 6/8
Santino Zinani, 6/8
Mark Duffy, 6/9
Ronan Knight, 6/9
Sharon Long, 6/9
Alex Wester, 6/9
Chris Malone, 6/10
Amy Wester, 6/10
Lorelei Arsenault, 6/11
Donna Pierre, 6/11
David Bailey, 6/12
Dennis Bennett, 6/12
Robert Crosser, 6/12
Stephen DeCiantis, 6/12

Brian Farley, 6/12
Liz Garlington, 6/12
Tammy Metz, 6/12
Jim Raymond, 6/12
Nancy Gage, 6/13
Angelia Law, 6/13
Kimber Mahoney, 6/13
Dale Murphy, 6/13
Kim Sigmon, 6/13
Darrin Blalock, 6/14
Mark Patschke, 6/14
Patty Davis, 6/15
Herman Reiss, 6/15
Richard Downs, 6/16
Sydney George, 6/16
Bridget Hoelzle, 6/16
Kim Lampe, 6/16
Mitch Lance, 6/16
Marlene Lineberger, 6/16
Robert Owens, 6/16
Kathleen Rupert, 6/16
Grace Valchar, 6/16
Natalie Vogt, 6/16
Tim Weidner, 6/16
Robin Willow-Johnson, 6/16
Paige Bruck, 6/17
Kathy Gurley, 6/17
Joseph Schodt, 6/17
Paul Janok, 6/18
Madison Lee, 6/18
Kyle Marker, 6/18
Joe Walters, 6/18
Nancy Bender, 6/19
Rik Rasmussen, 6/19
Vicki Janzen, 6/20
Ron Beltran, 6/21
Dennis Holzschuh, 6/21
Joseph Hughes, 6/21
Thomas Laauwe, 6/21
David Wilson, 6/21
Beverly Catlin, 6/22
Lanette DeRose, 6/22
Savannah Douglas, 6/22
Carlin O'Brien, 6/22
Rick Hall, 6/23
Valerie Massengill, 6/23
Pam Williams, 6/23
Elizabeth Bailey, 6/24
Riley Evans, 6/24
Carla Schoolcraft, 6/24

Zita Foster, 6/25
Dean Hillyer, 6/25
Hank Mashburn, 6/25
Faye Ribble, 6/25
Torrie Barker, 6/26
Andrew Davies, 6/26
Shirley Holzschuh, 6/26
John Latz, 6/26
Gunnar Vogt, 6/26
Stephanie Harris, 6/27
Bonnie Smith, 6/27
Emily Wrenn, 6/27
Lisa Allgaier, 6/28
Danielle Civis, 6/28
Kersten Francis, 6/28
Lucas Mashburn, 6/28
Jason Schodt, 6/28
Tyler Schodt, 6/28
Gracelyn Ames, 6/29
Ted Bennett, 6/29
Keith Pickens, 6/29
Nolan Wyss, 6/29
Sheila Flanagan, 6/30
Beth Fondo, 6/30
Felix Lopez, 6/30
Juliana Lopez, 6/30
Corrine Olsen, 6/30
Sara Roy, 6/30

Happy Anniversary

Mike & Betty Holloway, 6/3
Gary & Lynne Long, 6/3
Felix & Elizabeth Lopez, 6/4
Ken & Kim Sutherland, 6/5
Mike & Natalie Valchar, 6/5
Eddie & Julie Gundry, 6/6
Sam & Connie Jones III, 6/6
Bruce & Wanda Ohle, 6/6
Dan & Susan Baker, 6/7
David & Carol Fenzl, 6/7
Mike & Rita Kaess, 6/7
Bruce & Irene Robinson, 6/7
Wayne & Barbara Bradley, 6/8
Kyle & Jamie Matala, 6/8
James & Mary Roberts, 6/8
Doug & Carol Hoy, 6/10
Charlie & DeAnn Melhinch, 6/10

Bill & Darlene Parsons, 6/10
Vince & Mandy D'Ugo, 6/11
Terry & Christine Murphy, 6/11
Adam & Ariane Hamm, 6/13
Jerry & Connie Hedberg, 6/13
Ken & Kathy Jarchow, 6/13
Bryan & Angelia Law, 6/15
Kyle & Becky Parker, 6/15
Jack & Evelyn Pizzolato, 6/15
Joe & Dawn Walters, 6/15
Jacob & Lake Wilson, 6/15
Andrew & Katie Albert, 6/16
Steve & Susann Ebberts, 6/16
David & Amy Lee, 6/16
Phillip & Heather Maxwell, 6/17
Scott & Claudine Phetteplace, 6/17
Bryan & Heather Weitzel, 6/17
Todd & Kim Koehler, 6/19
Jerry & Carrie Alvis, 6/20
Roy & Margaret Carlson, 6/20
Todd & Kathy Marker, 6/20
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Rick & Renee Pfendler, 6/27
Joe & Wendi Pallozzi, 6/30

Prayer Requests from May 5

Praise and Thanksgiving for... the graduation of Jonathan Tine, grandson of Barbara DeMarco, from Florida Southern College, Nursing School, and becoming a 2nd Lt. in the National Reserves; good test results for Carlin O'Brien's friend, Traci Infante; **Comfort for...** the family and friends of Ian Lewis & Paige Merial; the families of the victims of the bombings in Sri Lanka; a family whose daughter died; Kelly Mann and family at the sudden death of her father; Tommy Mills and family after the loss of his mother; the victims of the UNC Charlotte shooting and the Charlotte community; **Strength and Healing for...** Shirley Thompson's neighbor who is suffering from extreme pain; the victims of the Synagogue shooting in California; a 7th grader, Lillie, who was diagnosed with brain cancer; Tom & Kit Hemma's daughter-in-law, hospitalized with a fractured wrist and a concussion; Khandeejah Howell, friend of Vickie Herring, facing brain and spinal surgery; a family relation to Anne Hall, whose been diagnosed with rheumatoid arthritis and lupus; **Guidance, Protection, and Safety for...** Joe, son of Joe & Mary Jo Isom; the men attending the retreat this weekend.

Prayer Requests from May 12

Praise and Thanksgiving for... a baby boy born to Anita Wegner's nephew; **Comfort for...** the family of Kyle Early, who died last week; Kathy Foil and family at the death of Kathy's sister, Mona Rackley; the Merial family at the loss of their daughter, Paige; **Strength and Healing for...** Ken Neely as he deals with health complications; Amie Becton's father, Edwin Wilson, having a difficult time during radiation treatments; Micah Cole, friend of Rebecca Miller, diagnosed with aplastic anemia and awaiting a bone marrow donor; Ted, friend of the Dennen's, for successful surgery this week; a friend that is recovering from a second surgery and cancer diagnosis this week; Chris Bender and good test results; the mother of Emily's Nana, having a hard time moving; Maggie Rockey, recovering from pneumonia; 4 year-old Bax, undergoing cancer treatment; a dear friend with failing health; **Guidance, Protection, and Safety for...** Alex, struggling with stress and anxiety; the Habitat team going to the mountains this week; Marilyn Bremer's grandson, Joshua.

Prayer Requests from May 19

Praise and Thanksgiving for... Dana, coworker of Wendy O'Neal, who gave birth to a baby boy; Mothers everywhere; **Comfort for...** the Rodriguez family, friends of

Terry Murphy, at the death of their mother in Puerto Rico; the family of Steve Anderson, friend of Holly Bruck, as he enters hospice care; the victims and families affected by the Colorado school shooting; **Strength and Healing for...** Patrick, brother of Claudia Van Hook & Cindi Woolard, recovering from a mild stroke while suffering from migraines as well as caffeine & nicotine withdrawal; Bill & Pam Jay's friend, Doug, suffering from kidney failure; a daughter that needs a biopsy and is away from her parents; Laurie Burke, sister of Wendy O'Neal, awaiting test results; Neil Turner, hospitalized with heart problems; Davis, family of the Najdecki's, as his broken leg continues to heal; the neighbor of the Friend family, recovering from heart failure; Cathy Palotta's friend who is battling depression; Beth Fondo's uncle, Jim, recovering from a stroke; for Lana Wagner's sister Brenda, having surgery; Neil & Helen Turner, as Neil recovers from surgery; Terry McKnight's wife, Beth, hospitalized with an infection; **Guidance, Protection, and Safety for...** the country, family and friends, and leaders; all the caretakers of the world.

Prayer Requests from May 26

Comfort for... Richard Zanoni (Gail Murphy's uncle), and his family, as he grieves the death of his wife, Bernadine Zanoni; Addison's friend Kylee and her family, at the loss of her youngest sister; Amy Ray's friend who lost her father this week; the family of Scott Allen Massey, nephew of Kevin Kirkendoll, who died this week; the family of Chip and Lisa Lightner-Chipley, as Chip receives hospice care after an extended illness; **Strength and Healing for...** Sherri Hall's stepfather, hospitalized with an aneurysm in his kidney; Signe Marwede, hospitalized with a ruptured appendix; Robert & Dorothy, friends of Emily Sanchez, having health issues; Rick Scheyd, friend of Karen Jervah, as he begins cancer treatments; Marilyn Marr's friend, Ann Marie Beach, hospitalized with complications in her feet due to diabetes; David Huffine's sister-in-law to have good test results; Melanie Scheuerle, healing from shoulder surgery; Emily Sanchez's grandfather, healing from surgery; Cheryle, who had hip surgery this past week; A friend suffering from cancer; Dean Hillyer, suffering from radiation treatments; Brandi Hughes as she recovers from recent surgery; **Guidance, Protection, and Safety for...** A career change; a struggling marriage; Amy Ray's friends, the VanEaarden family, as they begin a two-year military move to Korea; all those caught in the destructive tornadoes that ripped through Zebulon, NC last week; success in a new job.



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