

The white roses this week commemorate the lives of: Carol Sessa, grandmother of Brie Bradshaw; Clark Pitcairn, cousin of Mark Soderberg.

Covenant friends & extended family: Kickan Klar, friend of Marilyn Krichko; Brie Bradshaw & family; George Campise, brother-in-law of Larry Dubisz; Ralph Scudder, cousin of Barb Eikenberry; Joey Sereda, nephew of Deirdre Frees; Tim Strikwerda, nephew of John & Arlene Strikwerda.

Covenant family & friends mourning the death of: James Reimers, friend of Art Kanitz.

Your continuing prayers are appreciated for: Marilyn Butz; James, father of James McGregor; Don Weinberg, brother-in-law of Debbie Konkol; Paula Swansonrasanen; Gene Swanson, Paula Swansonrasanen's father; Robert Hill, father of Melissa Hardy; Alice Kirby, daughter-in-law of Peter & Jane Kolakowski; Fern Lawrence; Dennis Eft, brother of Lori Voss; Carolyn Van Dyke, cousin of Pastor Charlie; Robert N. Mayer, friend of Marcy Carlson & Tim Smeeding; Noel Pearson; Joann Pivotto; Lee Narans; Cindy Blewett; Stephen Resan; Helen Madsen; Jack & Joannie Carter; Jan & Tom Schuster; Sandi Thompson-Royer, Covenant friend; Troy Griswold, nephew of Lori Voss; Mark Middleton; Sally Nesser; Bill & Susan Wood; John Wedberg; Nancy McCulley; Larry & Barb Larsen; Russ & Evelyn McMillan; Virgil Landry; Joseph Hack; Eve Casta; Dick & Jan Schaefer, family of Bob & Nan Schaefer; Tim Wade, father of Janna Doney; Jorge Asencion, Covenant friend; Gary Van Ess & John Van Ess, brothers of Vicki Alexander.

World Mission: People of Guatemala and congregations of Monte Hebron Presbyterian Church in Santo Domingo and Monte Horeb Presbyterian Church in Coyolate. Jed and Jenny Koball PC(USA) in Peru; Medical Benevolence Foundation in Haiti; Eric Miller in Kenya.

Our elected local leaders: Gov. Evers and Mayor Rhodes-Conway.

Pray for our country, and if you feel inspired, contact your elected officials:

<p>Senator Tammy Baldwin 30 West Mifflin Street, Suite 700 Madison, WI 53703 (608) 264-5338</p>	<p>Senator Ron Johnson 5315 Wall Street, Suite 110 Madison, WI 53718 (608) 240-9629</p>
<p>President Donald Trump 1600 Pennsylvania Ave Avenue NW Washington, DC 20500 (202) 456-1111</p>	<p>Rep. Mark Pocan 10 E Doty St #405 Madison, WI 53703 (608) 258-9800</p>

Birthdays

Ellen Humke (2/26); Susan Lauffer (3/01); Margaret Hickman, Brynn Leonard, Alicia Mundy, Linda Schmidt (2/02); Kelsey Durand, Craig Hutchison, Shawn Conley (3/04); Linda Daly, Soon Aie Kim (3/05); Elvia Doney, George Douma (3/06); Jim Vergeront (3/07).

Names will ordinarily stay on the prayer list for five weeks. If you would like to remain on the list longer, please contact the church office at 608-233-6297, Pastor Charlie Berthoud, Pastor Megan Berry, Pastor Jess Scholten, or Melissa Hinz, Minister of Music and Pastoral Care.

You may also email us at info@covenantmadison.org.

Prayers for Lent
from the PCUSA's *Book of Common Worship*

First Sunday in Lent:

Holy One, whom alone we worship and serve,
your Word and Spirit sustain us in the wilderness.
Keep us faithful in times of struggle and testing so that we may enter into your glorious
realm with Jesus Christ our Savior, in whose name we pray. Amen. (Matthew 4:1-1)

Second Sunday in Lent:

Lord our God, blessed is the one who comes in your name!
Gather us in your gentle presence as a hen
shelters her brood beneath her wings.
Finish the work you have begun in us so that we may show your glory; through Jesus
Christ our peace. Amen. (Luke 13:31-35)

Third Sunday in Lent:

Holy God, in Jesus Christ you have built for us an eternal house,
a temple of righteousness, a place of gracious plenty for the hungry
and abundant life for the poor in spirit. Fill us with zeal for the body of Christ. Overturn
the tables of corruption and greed and upset the imbalance of injustice, so that we may
worship you in spirit and truth;
through Jesus Christ, who is risen indeed. Amen. (John 2:13-22)

Fourth Sunday in Lent:

God of the lost, the least, and all who long for home,
when we wander from your ways and waste the gifts you have given us, welcome us back,
we pray, so that we may celebrate
and rejoice in your presence forever; through Jesus Christ your beloved Son. Amen. (Luke
15:1-3, 11b-32)

Fifth Sunday in Lent:

God of thundering glory and wondrous love, you lifted up Jesus Christ
from the earth to draw all people to your holy name.
Like grains of wheat that fall to the dust, teach us to die—and so to bear much fruit,
giving our lives for the sake of the gospel,
following and serving Christ Jesus forever. Amen. (John 12:20-33)