

PRAYER CONCERNS

GARY SUBLETT-health issues
WAYNE WHITE-health issues
CONNIE MEASON-health issues
PERRY KARL
SUE BARRIER
SUSAN PENDLETON
JIM BOB COODY

FRIENDS AND FAMILY

KAY CLARK-friend of Joey Venekamp
LINK LOWRANCE-son of Kim Eberle Lowrance,
cancer treatment
DOYLE TAYLOR-brother-in-law of Denise and
Matt Hall
RUSTY CARAWAY
KAREN LEHR-cancer, vision-eye problems. Friend
of Terri Bradley.
CHARLES MALCUIT-beginning 6 wks.
of daily radiation treatment
STELLA SANDERS-treatment for leukemia
DENNIS AND JOANN THOMPSON-He is
recovering from heart surgery.
PRAYERS FOR THOSE INCARCERATED and
their families.
RICKEY & JUANITA REEVES-his recovery from
back surgery
CHRISTOPHER & SKYE HAYWORTH & their
children, Aubryn & Ian
MICHAEL HAYWORTH II & ASHLEY
BARBARA SQUYRES
SULLIVAN FAMILY
ALYCE MOSER-recovering from a
car accident
JAKE WENDEL-friend of Alyce Moser, also
recovering from a car accident
TERESA CROUCH-Tamara Russell's
mother-in-law
BOB PATTERSON-Lisa Langford's dad
ELVA NIEVES-breast cancer, friend of Sue Lodor
FATHER OF GODFREY MOSES-a friend of the
Glicks
TRISH CHAPMAN-health issues,
wife of Wayne Chapman.
TAMARA MITCHELL-cancer, friend of Gary
Trammel
EDDIE & DOLORES EVERS-health issues.
Brother and sister-in-law of Charles and Elaine
Evers
SHEILA BREWSTER-sister-in-law of
Sheila and Roger Tonne
MAVIS MITCHELL-dialysis, Sue Lodor's sister-in-
law
JACK MITCHELL-great-great nephew of Sue
Lodor
BOB & BONNYE ISENHOWER-friends of Sharon
Toland

**HAPPY MAY
BIRTHDAYS**

MONTE McINTIRE-01
ASHLEY OWEN-05
ROY SPEER-06
HALEY GRAHAM-09
JOE LECHNER-09
MELISSA TRAMMEL-11
SHELLEY JACKSON-12
CAROL HENDERSON-15
TED BEAUCHAMP-16
McKENLEY ROBERTS-17
BECKY McINTIRE-19
PAT WILLIAMS-19
KARLA BROWER-20
CINDY CARGAL-23
JAMES PICHLER-23
SHARRON BROWN-24
TOMMY DITTMAR-24
RICKEY TOWNSON-24
MONICA BURCHETT-26
CHRIS HART-27
LINDA VENEKAMP-27
MYRA LYNN HALL-28
KAMRYN BROWNING-29
ANGIE BROWN-30
THEA TRAMMEL-31

**OUR SERVICE MEN AND
WOMEN**

AUSTIN BURKHALTER-
*grandson of Larry and Jinger
Mahan*
MICAH CLAY-son of J.R. and
Julia Clay.
NICK CORDOVA-son of Ray
and Merry Pendleton
GUY CRAIG-son of Connie and
Bob Meason, grandson of Ruth
and Bob Green, and nephew of
Guyla and Wayne White
JASON GRAHAM-cousin of
Melissa Trammel
ZACHARY KARL-Fort Hood,
son of Perry and Debbie Karl,
grandson of Elaine and Bobby
Goswick.
MAJOR JEFF MATSLER

BISD GRADUATION

MAY 24, 2019

April 16, 2019

Dear Methodist Group,

How happy I was to find an Easter gift left for me at my door!
You would have thought I was 6 years old. Oh! Thank all of you
so much. I love my church and pray God blesses all. I'm so happy
I belong to "our" church. I have been in that church, probably
over 80 years. I'll be 96 soon so I know it's been a long time.
Thank God for each of you; and thank you for the gift. Thank you
for thinking of me! May God bless each of you and "our" church.
Murle Williams

CONDOLENCES

Christian condolences are extended to
Sue Lodor and family
on the passing
of her brother,
Richard Mitchell.
Services will be held at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in
Marian, Iowa on Saturday, May 4th.

**UMM
BREAKFAST
6:45 A.M.
THURSDAY,
MAY 2, 2019**

**TRUSTEE MEETING
SCHEDULED
MAY 9, 2019
5:30 P.M.**

**SANDRA ANGUS
JOINED FUMC
APRIL 21, 2019
BY PROFESSION OF FAITH.
SHE HAS ATTENDED
REGULARLY.
WELCOME HER IN JOINING**

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FROM THE PASTOR
MAY, 2019

Greetings in the name of Jesus Christ!

I am thankful for a full month of ministry at the church during April, and I am also thankful for a **wonderful Easter celebration** this year! We celebrated the Resurrection at a sunrise service at the home of the Venekamp's followed by a joy-filled worship experience in the sanctuary at 10:45 a.m.

Members of the church also took cookies to folks in the community who had to work on Easter Sunday. More than **20 members visited over two dozen businesses** to share cookies with approximately 125 people working that day. In addition, 15 folks in our church family who are in nursing homes or confined to home **received Easter baskets** from our church. This is love in action!

This past week we had our **first game night** at the church. About 30 of us ate snacks and played crazy bridge (emphasis on the crazy!). I am looking forward to our **next game night June 15th**.

Our young people have also done a lot of great things. When our church hosted the Lenten Service for the community, **our children did a fabulous job singing**. Also, this past Sunday **Rachel did a great job playing the offertory**. I want to thank everyone who works with the children and youth each week by providing meals, leading music, and teaching lessons. You all do a fantastic job!

As we continue to move forward, the month of May brings us to **graduations** from Learning Tree to high school. Keep all of our graduating students in your prayers as they move into the next phase of their lives, whether it is moving on to the next grade in school, to college, or into the workplace.

As part of our mission to care for one another, **we are reaching out** to members of our church that we have not seen in worship in a while, and also reaching out to those seeking a relationship with God in their lives. I encourage everyone to **invite and bring someone to worship this Sunday**.

With more **game nights, movie nights, Christian concerts and a praise band** in the works, we have a lot to look forward to just in the next two months! Any of these events are **ideal opportunities to invite someone** seeking a church home to come with you.

Every day our priority is to grow closer to Christ through our devotions, study and service. I appreciate all of you who make each Sunday and each act of service something special that does indeed make a difference in our community. Everything we do as a member of the church is to grow closer to each other and to God. We always seek to walk with each other on this journey as we look for ways to make disciples of Jesus Christ by welcoming, sharing and caring for each other and the community. This month celebrate Mother's Day and graduations. Celebrate the Jesus the Risen Christ!

Grace and Peace,
Pastor Matt