

Prayer List

We protect the confidential nature of our prayer requests.

The complete list of requested prayers is provided during worship rather than on this "online" bulletin.

You may contact Rev. Ben Shaw or the church office concerning any needs for prayer. You may also email prayer requests.

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Prayer Concerns will remain for two weeks unless otherwise requested.

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During this very unusual time of worship, please remember that prayer requests are confidential and are not listed in this public document.

Sermon Notes

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Welcome to OPC!

*The Congregation stands if able in body or spirit.

GATHERING

Welcome

One: The Lord be with you

Many: and also with you.

Announcements

Call to Worship

Liturgist: Jesus offers a new-old commandment, that we should love each other.

Congregation: With the incredible power and the unfathomable depth of God's love for us, we can, we must, love one another.

Liturgist: And it is in this, our love for one another, that the world will know whom and what we worship.

Congregation: Come, children of God, let us love one another.

Liturgist: Let us worship God.

*Hymn **Where Charity and Love Prevail** #316

Call to Confession

*Prayer of Confession

Love is patient; for our quick-temperedness:

Lord, have mercy.

Love is kind; for our indifference towards others:

Lord, have mercy.

Love is not envious; for our petty jealousies:

Lord, have mercy.

Love is not boastful; for our pretentiousness:

Lord, have mercy.

Love is not arrogant; for our opinionated views:

Lord, have mercy.

Love is not rude; for our crass behavior:

Lord have mercy.

Love does not insist on getting its own way; for our false sense of our own importance:

Lord, have mercy.

Love is not irritable; for our resentful behavior:

Lord, have mercy.

Love does not rejoice in wrong-doing; for our rejoicing in all the wrong things:

Lord, have mercy.

May God show us mercy, forgive us our sins against love and lead us to life that lasts.

**Silent Prayer*

*One: Amen

*Assurance of Pardon

*Gloria Patri #581

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be; world without end, Amen, Amen.

THE WORD

Children's Moment

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture reading John 13:31-35

One: This is the Word of the Lord.

Many: Thanks be to God!

Scripture reading 1 Corinthians 12:27-13:13

One: This is the Word of the Lord.

Many: Thanks be to God!

Sermon

Rev. Ben Shaw

RESPONSE

*Hymn **We Are One in the Spirit** #300

Prayers of the People

Lord's Prayer

Offering

*Doxology #606

Praise God from whom all blessings flow, praise Him all creatures here below, praise Him above ye heavenly host, praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*Prayer of Dedication

SENDING

*Hymn #766

The Church of Christ Cannot Be Bound

*Charge and Benediction

*The Peace

One: The Peace of Christ be with you.

All: And also with you.

One: Please share the peace with one another.

Call to worship adapted from Katherine Hawker. Prayer of Confession from OpenSourceSpirituality. Cover art: Love and peace messages on the John Lennon wall in Prague, Czech Republic.