

## UNITED IN PRAYER

This week we are praying for:

**Short-Term Prayer List:** *These are rotated off after 3 weeks unless updated*

Paul and Sharon Housley

Lisa Davis

Cori Rice

Jean Johnson's family

**Long-Term Prayer List:** *This list is for cancer, chronic illnesses or long-term recovery from injury or illness. Updates are asked for at least quarterly.*

FFH Families

Bob Benoit

Karen Benoit

Sandra Brown

Max Beavers

Dana Johnson

Marquez Family

Don & Millie Raymond

Silvas Family

Janie Zavala

Maxine Blooding

Landon Weeks

Caleb Ridgeway

Keith Peters

Nan Beard

Sister Eva A

Marsha Bonney

Rhonda Covington

Bev Klein

People Of The World

Rachel Castro

Rose B

Maxine Smith

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### Armed Services:

SSgt Kurtis Campbell, USMC serving in North Carolina.

SSgt Jared Rice, in the Air Force in Alamogordo, NM, brother of Jake and Cori.

SSgt Andrew Guthart, USMC, serving in Afghanistan, friend of Jake & Cori.

Matt Nichols, nephew of Laurel & Frank Kubin, in the Navy.

Capt. Clayton Gubler, military police, serving in Kuwait.

Joseph Withers, in the Air Force in Japan, grandson of Violet Marquart and Philip Vadnais.

CW3 Daniel Raymond, assigned to South Korea.

Colonel Sarah & Jim McKay, serving in the Army in Hawaii.

Capt. Emily Cathey, in the Navy, serving in San Diego.

Brandon Gutsche, in the Navy in England, grandson of Dwight and Brenda Gutsche.

Blake Jackson, serving in the National Guard in California.

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### Staff:

Minister: Rev. Leah Coleman

Children's and Youth Ministries: Cori Rice

Music Director: Jean Johnson

Treasurer: Trish Haugen

Organist: Kevin Utter

Joyful Noise Belles: Contact Sherry Butler

Nursery Attendant: Valerie Utter

Office Admin: Janis Holler - Jessie Bergen

Morning Glory Preschool Director: Molly Rench



# CHRIST UNITED

## METHODIST CHURCH

WHATEVER IS *true,*  
WHATEVER IS *honorable,*  
WHATEVER IS *just,*  
WHATEVER IS *pure...*  
IF THERE IS ANYTHING  
*worthy of praise,*  
THINK ABOUT THESE THINGS.

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SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

July 27, 2025 10:00 a.m.

**ALL WORSHIPERS:** Please register your attendance in worship by signing the pad with your name, address, email, and phone. Pass the pad back down the pew and greet each other by name!

**\*INDICATES THOSE WHO ARE ABLE MAY STAND**

**A TIME OF PREPARATION**

**WORDS OF WELCOME** Rev. Leah Coleman

**PRELUDE** “Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart” (Marion) (UMH NO. 161) Kevin Utter  
Plumptre/Messiter, arr. Kevin Utter

**LIGHTING OF CANDLES**

**CHILDREN’S TIME**

**CALL TO WORSHIP** Gloria Williams, Liturgist

Leader: As the sun rises in the morning,  
**People: As the cool breeze ushers in the evening,**  
Leader: As the heat of the noonday sun spreads across the land:  
**People: God is present with us.**  
**People: Let us worship God.**

**\*HYMN OF PRAISE NO. 2088** (black hymnal) “Lord, I Lift Your Name on High”

**JOYS AND CONCERNS**

**PASTORAL PRAYER** Rev. Leah Coleman

**THE LORD’S PRAYER:**

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

**PRAYER RESPONSE NO. 2032** (black hymnal) “My Life Is in You, Lord”

**PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE**

**SCRIPTURE READINGS** Psalm 121:1-2 and Philippians 4:8 (O.T. 571, N.T. 198)  
Liturgist

**MESSAGE** “Holy & Hilarious: Faith Like a Sunflower” Rev. Leah Coleman

**OFFERING AND OFFERTORY** Improvisation on hymn NO. 688 Kevin Utter  
“God, That Madest Earth and Heaven” (Ar Hyd y Nos)

**\*DOXOLOGY NO. 94** (red hymnal) “Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”

**\*PASTORAL PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING** Rev. Leah Coleman

**SENDING FORTH**

**\*HYMN OF COMMITMENT NO. 2173** (black hymnal) “Shine, Jesus Shine”

**\*BENEDICTION/BLESSING** Rev. Leah Coleman

**\*CHORAL BENEDICTION** (back of red hymnal) “May the Good Lord Bless ...”

**POSTLUDE** Improvisation on hymn NO. 126 Kevin Utter  
“Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above” (Mit Freuden Zart)