

## PRAYER REQUESTS:

### OUR CONCERNS:

Bishop Moore-KoiKoi, DS Freymoyer & EPA Staff as they lead us  
Laity and Clergy of the UMC  
Unity & love in the church universal & the UMC  
Healing & peace for divisions over race, class, gender, sexuality, politics & fears  
Wisdom & safety for government officials globally  
President Donald Trump and VP JD Vance  
Peace in Israel, Palestine, Ukraine, Russia, the Middle East, Nigeria, Venezuela, Syria, Somalia, Yemen, Iran, etc.  
For peace & wisdom in areas of conflict  
Veterans and Service Members  
Civilians, leaders, and soldiers in war torn regions  
Police officers and their families  
Folks harmed in interactions with police  
All first responders & medical staff  
For an end to violence in all forms  
Victims & families involved in violent crime, sexual abuse, racism, and harassment  
Abusers and their families  
All those affected by violence and hate  
All affected by natural disasters & disease  
Stewardship of our environment & climate  
Refugees & huddled masses yearning to be free  
Security and immigration reform  
People who are hungry and unhoused  
Prisoners, Prison Leadership, Judges & Attorneys  
Reform for Education Funding, Criminal Justice, and Foster Care Systems  
Teachers, Students, Families & Campus ministries  
Members of AA, NA, & AlAnon and their families  
All struggling with addictions, finances, mental health illnesses, anxiety and stress  
All those caring for sick loved ones  
Those grieving the loss of loved ones  
Members currently in jail or returning home  
Udobo School in Durban, South Africa  
NarSarah Village and Clinic, Sierra Leone  
Mary Shenk for Alzheimer's  
Alfredo Vega, Jr – safety while on active duty  
Mary Ann Unangst for healing and strength  
Peace for those dealing with anxiety and stress  
Eileen Williams – muscles  
Terry Kofroth for upcoming test for continued pain  
Craig & Nancy Hathaway  
Peggy Burley regaining strength

Those with cancer: Cyndi Campbell, Dean Grove, Mark Reitzel, Duane Lehman, Ruthie, Martin Campbell, Dorcas Kamanda, Adam Malik, Joan (Nancy's sister-in-law), Isaias Maldonado (Ramonita's Uncle), Missy Landis; Marc Barley (Diane's cousin), Heather Williams, Nat (friend of Wikers), Kole; Pat Oglesby (Laura G's sister); Eileen Landis; Janet (friend of Lisa); Bob Black – lung & liver cancer; Priscilla Rice – lung cancer; Craig friend of Bob Lawrence  
Ray Carpenter – heart surgeries and broken femur  
Ruthie Johnson for Health  
Beth (Amy's friend) – recovery from back surgery  
Garnett for health & balance issues  
Kimberly Ann Wenger, healing  
Kathy, friend of Natalie, who had a stroke  
Tom Boehm and Sheila Scriven – home and healing  
Sandy Patschke – health and recovery from fall  
Alex's (a friend of Bryan) grandmother in hospice  
Vickie (friend of Natalie), regaining strength after heart attack  
Dixie & Denny recovering from falls & knee surgery  
Amy Boughter's niece's friend's mom Lisa in hospice care and her son having brain surgery  
Daryl Hawthorne – healing from knee surgery  
Kathie Rittenhouse recovery from surgery  
Carol Baldwin's 3-year-old granddaughter broken leg  
Cora Miller, broken leg  
Patte Lund, friend of Diana Valentine, healing from multiple myeloma, stage 3  
Diana Valentine healing from hand surgery & back issues  
Pastor Trevor Webster & Christiana UMC during this transition as he comes to serve here July 1  
Kathy Brandyberry healing from kidney stones  
Melodie Dearolf back issues & pain  
Philbin family & friends on passing of Linda  
Marilyn Jones' daughter's significant other Larry healing from liver cancer  
Bob Black healing after liver surgery  
**OUR PRAISES:**  
Amy Weaver for regaining strength  
Red, child of Christina Street home from hospital, recuperating from emergency surgery  
All who are healing from various surgeries  
Beauty of the flowers

*Please submit prayer needs, praises, & updates by note or email to the office: [faithumc@hotmail.com](mailto:faithumc@hotmail.com)*



## *Welcome*

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**FINANCIAL UPDATE:** As of March 31, we have received gifts of \$52,962 and \$59,222 in expenses. Our Checking Account = \$29,914 and Mortgage/Debt Reduction Account = \$4,474. To meet our Budget, we need an average of \$3,430/week towards our General Ministry Fund and \$770/week towards our Mortgage / Debt Reduction through 2026. As you consider what to give, we recommend ¾ of your offering being allocated to the General Ministry Fund and ¼ of your gifts to the Mortgage/Debt Reduction Fund. *For example, if you give \$100 per week, we recommend \$75 to General Ministry and \$25 to Debt Reduction.*



You can set up automatic gifts through your own bank, mail checks directly to the church, place an offering in the plate on a Sunday, or donate online by scanning the QR Code or through Online Giving at: [www.FaithUMC.US](http://www.FaithUMC.US)

**GRAB ‘N GO COMMUNITY MEAL** for those in need at Zion Lutheran Church in East Petersburg every Monday. Faith UMC provides sixty meals quarterly. **Our next meal will be June 1st.** Contact Carol Kennedy to help. **We are looking for a volunteer or a pair of volunteers to take the lead on this ministry.**

**SALEM’S LITTLE FREE PANTRY:** Place donations in the box at Faith. The pantry accepts canned goods (tuna, chicken, soup, vegetables, fruit), cereal, shelf stable milk, peanut butter, jelly, boxed macaroni & cheese, ramen noodles, rice, spaghetti sauce & pasta. Pantry is on the porch at Salem Lutheran, 26 Owl Hill Rd., Lititz.

**LONG MEMORIAL FREE GROCERIES** for those in need every week through their Friday Night Food Ministry at 6pm. You can drive up and receive groceries to help support you through the week. *Volunteers Needed.*

**IN NEED OF HELP?** Contact Pastor Jason, dial 2-1-1 or visit [www.211.org](http://www.211.org) to reach the United Way Call Center for social services. The Crisis Intervention Lifeline is (717) 394-2631 or dial 9-8-8.

**CHURCH RECORDS:** Information cards are available on the desk outside the office. If you are new here, we would love for you to fill one out so we can get to know you better. If you are already in the directory please provide updated info. Please return completed cards to the office mailbox. Photos will be updated or taken as needed or you may submit one of your own choosing. Thank you for helping us stay connected!

**DO YOU HAVE ANY JEWELRY THAT YOU NO LONGER WEAR?** Maybe some that is broken? Please donate it to be sold during the May yard sale. There is a table in the purple room for jewelry (inc. parts).

**COMMUNITY CRAFT / YARD SALE, Sat., May 23<sup>rd</sup>, 7AM– 2PM.** There will be dozens of vendors across the church property. Faith UMC will have a variety of items for sale including books, DVDs/CDs, jewelry, toys and other household items. Our Youth Group will sell various items for by donation. *You can donate items by placing them in the purple room in the Education Wing. You can reserve a space to sell your items (20’x20’ in the grass for \$20 (no tables provided)).* Pre-registration of spaces is required (payment due May 23) via <https://forms.gle/i8LF9cr4fc2u2RSE9> or 717-696-5321. *Vendors may not sell food or drinks.*

**FOOD TRUCKS:** On the 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of each month from 4-7PM we will have a different food truck at Oregon Community UMC. On May 27 Papa Sneaux Food Truck will be onsite featuring Louisiana Cooking & music. Invite friends! Following dates will be June 24, July 22, Aug 26, Sept 23 and Oct 28.

**OREGON COMMUNITY UMC “CRAFTS, CRAP ‘N CROPS” on June 6, 7AM – 1PM.** Come out and buy craft items, yard sale items and plants. Stay tuned for registration for vendors and other details.

**CAR SHOW:** Deutsche Automotive Event featuring German made vehicles on Saturday, August 8 at Faith UMC from 9AM - 2PM. This Car Show will include a variety of German manufactured cars on display (Porsche, Volkswagen, Audi, Mercedes, etc.). There will be food trucks and music as well. Cars will compete for People's Choice Awards as well as awards from local dealerships and other special guests. **It is only \$20 to show your car and compete for a prize** if you register by August 1 (\$25 the day of the show). This is a rain or shine event. **Registration and payment links will be posted at FaithUMC.US under Events.** Contact Charlie at 717-665-6152 or Melodie Dearolf in the office if you are interested in being a part of this “fun”draiser team! Sign-up sheet for volunteering for the car show is on the table.

### UPCOMING EVENTS:

**Sunday, May 3**

Adult Sunday School, 9AM; Worship, 10:30AM; Junior Church during Worship Youth Group 5-7PM

**Tuesday, May 5**

Bible Study with Kathy, 6PM

**Wednesday, May 6**

Pastor’s Bible Study, 10AM in the Adult Classroom

**Ladies Lunch 11:30AM @ Oregon Dairy**

Worship Team Practice, 6PM

**NO SPRC Meeting**

**Thursday, May 7**

**Trustees Church Workday, 8AM (Rain Date: May 16)**

**Saturday, May 9**

**EPAUMC Annual Conference**

**Tues-Thurs May 19-21**

**Men’s Lunch, 11:30AM at Oregon Dairy**

**Thursday, May 21**

**Book Sale & Yard Sale 7AM -1PM (space rentals available via [FaithUMC.US](http://FaithUMC.US))**

**Saturday, May 23**

**Sunday, May 24**

**NO Youth Group**

**Monday, May 25**

**Memorial Day-Office Closed**

**Thursday, May 28**

**Church Council Meeting 6PM**

**Monday, June 1**

Grab ‘n Go Community Meal at Zion Lutheran - Contact Carol Kennedy to volunteer

**Saturday, June 13**

**Dog Wash, 7AM-1PM**

### ONGOING EVENTS:

**Sundays**

Adult Sunday School, 9AM - *Outlive Your Life* by Max Lucado

Worship, 10:30AM in the Sanctuary and Facebook Live

Junior Church during 10:30AM worship

Youth Group at Faith, 5-7PM

Communion offered during worship service, followed by refreshments

**1<sup>st</sup> Sundays**

Nar-Anon, 7:15-8:45PM at Faith UMC

**1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesdays**

Bible Study on Prayers and Psalms with Kathy, 6PM

**Tuesdays**

Pastor’s Bible Study, 10AM at Faith UMC

**Wednesdays**

Worship Team Practice, 6:00PM

**Wednesdays**

POWER Criminal Justice Reform Team by Zoom, Noon

**Every Other Wednesday**

Women’s Lunch at Oregon Dairy, 11:30AM

**1<sup>st</sup> Wednesdays**

Wing and a Prayer AA Meeting in the Fellowship Hall, 10AM

**Thursdays**

Girl Scouts once a month, 5PM-6:30PM

**Thursdays**

**Staff Parish Relations Committee (SPRC), 6PM - NO Meeting May 7<sup>th</sup>**

**1<sup>st</sup> Thursdays**

Oregon Community UMC Church Council, 6:30PM

**2<sup>nd</sup> Thursdays**

Men’s Lunch at Oregon Dairy, 11:30AM

**3<sup>rd</sup> Thursdays**

**Finance Team** (on even months), 6PM

**3<sup>rd</sup> Thursdays**

**Trustees** (on *even* months), 6PM // **Church Council** (on *odd* months), 6PM

**4<sup>th</sup> Thursdays**

Threads of Faith, 10AM

**1<sup>st</sup> Saturdays**

District Meeting of AI-Anon Leaders, 10-Noon

**2<sup>nd</sup> Sat. (odd months)**

### WORSHIP LEADERS for May 10, 2026

GREETERS: John & Pricilla Rice // USHERS: John & Pricilla Rice

ANNOUNCEMENTS: Michelle Bame // LITURGIST: Michelle Bame

CHILDREN’S TIME: Amy Boughter

JUNIOR CHURCH: Marilyn Jones & Allen Kennedy // NURSERY: Julie Perkowski

YOUTH GROUP: Pastor Jason & Bryan Nelson MEAL: *Volunteer Needed*