Prayers 01/09/22

Joy & Thanksgiving

My family, that we were able to be together on Zoom for a late Christmas in spite of this unusual time. **Kim La Rue**

Comfort, Healing, Discernment, Strength & Peace

Daleen Dotson, my dear friend, for strength and health to allow her body to rest and recover. **Rebecca Brownlee**

Nell Ragland, my 95-year-old mother in Richmond VA, & her husband, Otho, as he has been diagnosed with Stage 4 pancreatic cancer and is given 3-4 months to live; for strength, perseverance, and peace in their lives as they cope with this change. Harry Poston John & Donna Osborn, for continuing healing for John's cracked hip bone. Dave Woodyard Bob & Daleen Dotson, for her continued healing of her lung transplant and recovery of COVID. Dave Woodyard

Laurie Collins, my friend Suzie's daughter, for strength, healing and stamina as she recovers from spinal surgery and goes through difficult rehab. **Shirley Sykes**

Catherine Dutkiewicz, for upcoming carpal tunnel surgery on 1/25. Myself

USA & the world, that we find our way back to God and that peace reigns bringing us hope and comfort. **Catherine Dutkiewicz**

Lt. Riley Bush, my son, for safe travels and peace as he and his company deploy to Kuwait, 1/16. **Joe Bush**

Dean Miller, my brother, as he begins chemo on 1/10. **Pastor Justin Williams Nancy Musick,** my mom, for her multiple health issues due to aging. **Marilyn Dennis Daleen, Pat, & Sue,** our quilting sisters, who are going through challenging times. **Connecting Thread**

Colton, 13-year-old boy, hospitalized again following a liver transplant because his body is rejecting the liver. **Patty**

Cecelia, my friend, having a difficult pregnancy. Patty

Mona, my neighbor, healing for her heart, lungs and pancreas. Patty

Ryan, Bob & Alan for healing from severe depression and anxiety, Patty

Alan, Anita & Jim, and Tom & Lindsey, all recovering from COVID. Patty

Pat, prayers that she does not have COVID. Patty

Helen & Scott, both suffering with cancer. Patty

Mary Beth & Greta with back issues. Patty

Tom, my husband, that he doesn't have cancer. Patty

Sympathy

The family of Jack Parren, especially his wife, Pat, upon his death, 1/7. PUMC

Wes Emrick, Joan's brother, that he would feel God's presence as he grieves the passing of Sara, his wife. **Tim & Joan Kreps**

The family of Ellen Thomas, our friend, for comfort and peace upon the death of her father, Rev. Oluf Kongshaug, who died suddenly, 1/7. The Hasting, Hainrihar, Wahls & Shoaf families

The family of Marianne Cox, my friend Jami's mother, who passed away this week. **Lori Kipfer**

The family of Terrance Lynch, my daughter-in-law's father, on his passing. Karen Thompson The family of Brad Phillips, our friends, upon his sudden death leaving a wife and two elementary school-aged daughters. The Stiffler family

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Responding to the Reality of God

GriefShare participants & facilitators, for comfort and strength as they begin journeying through the difficult grief process with faith together. **PUMC**

HOPE letter writing ministry, that relationships between those incarcerated and PUMC letter writers will be blessed with encouragement, authentic faith sharing, and informed mentoring. **PUMC**

Our confirmands, as they continue their journey together, learning, serving, exploring faith, and connecting with God, each other, and the church. **PUMC**

Those who are worshipping regularly online or in person, as they experience the blessing of God's presence and love. **PUMC**

Ongoing

Our daughter, that she finds her way by believing in herself and not being so hard on herself. **Mom & Dad**

Those who are praying, reflecting, raising awareness, sharing in conversations, & making their voices heard, around the issues of racial injustices in our world. PUMC Those working in law enforcement, for protection as they face difficult situations and violence. Unsigned

Pat Foss, our friend, as she continues treatment. Jane Chelena & Connecting Threads.

Our country as a whole, for peace. Unsigned

Shari Rakestraw, our son-in-law's mom, sedated and fighting COVID in ICU; may God grant healing. **Tom & Rita Stevenson**

Haiti, for the crises happening in this country, may they sense God's presence with them.

Catherine Dutkiewicz

Betty Kirk, my friend, as she continues physical therapy and awaits a treatment plan when she will have appointments with her doctors. **Anne Crabbs**

Victims of crime and their families, for healing. PUMC's All In Community Team

The people of the Middle East, for healing in the midst of grief and fear. May God help them to find a peaceful and just way forward. **Faith Williams**

All those suffering with anxiety & depression. Congregation member

Those jailed or incarcerated and their families, for all that imprisons them; that the church becomes a supportive and healing community for them. **PUMC**

Those impacted by mental illness, that they experience comfort and healing through expressions of love and support. **PUMC**

Shelly Eden & my family, for answers, healing, peace and a way forward as I still experience symptoms and am awaiting results. **Myself**

All those serving in the military and their families. PUMC

For those on the path to recovery from addiction to alcohol and drugs. Unsigned