Prayers 12/03/23

Praise & Thanksgiving

Jeff & Liz, our son & daughter-in-law, who are expecting their first child and our first grandchild. Teri & Jim Morgan

Barb Knight, with thanks for her faithful service as Secretary to PUMC's Leadership Board. **Board Members**

PUMC Staff, who work so diligently to prepare for our Advent and Christmas celebrations. **PUMC's Pastors**

PIN Clearing House Volunteers, as they distribute Christmas gifts, food, and winter coats to families in need.. **PUMC**

The Cookie Walk, as the Lily Circle led our congregation to bake and sell cookies to raise funds to support our mission partners. **PUMC**

Denise Reece, our friend, with gratitude as she begins her treatment at rehab. **Connecting Threads**

Comfort, Healing, Discernment, Strength & Peace

Linda Dewan, my sister, that she be surrounded by peace and the armor of God as she goes through chemo for Non-Hodgkin's Lymphoma. **Nancy Cohagan**

Jim Crawford, my friend, hospitalized with COPD. Shirley Sykes

Richard Penwell, my friend, who is receiving chemo for pancreatic cancer to shrink the tumor so he can have it removed. **Jeanne Rocco**

Jamie & Lynn & John, my friends, for Jamie who has a recurrence of cancer and for Lynn and John, his caregivers. For strength, comfort and peace. **Jeanne Rocco**

Sandy Hay, my friend, recovering from surgery. Barbara Buckley

Jana Shoaf, Brandon's mom, with thanksgiving that she is now resting and recovering at home after nearly three weeks in the hospital, now beginning her new routine of weekly dialysis. **Brandon and Kris Shoaf**

Sharon, our family friend, who is battling an unidentified pancreatic disease. **Alex Dumm**

Sympathy

The family of Marge Bennett, our friend and long-time member, upon her death. PUMC The children & grandchildren of Madaline Miller, my sister-in-law, upon her death. Shirley Sykes

Growing Together in Faith

Confirmation Students, as they gather to consider our Methodist understanding of Grace, may the Holy Spirit guide them as they learn and grow in their faith. **PUMC**

Sharing God's Love & Changing Our World

Casual Christmas, as our children prepare to share their musical gifts, enjoy fellowship with their family and friends, and create crafts to take home. **PUMC**

Ladies Night Christmas Party, as the women of our church gather for fun and fellowship during this busy season. **PUMC**