PRAYER SHEET

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 17, 2024

IN OUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS

Abbey, Joseph and Charlie – Healing for health concerns (Pat Abbey's husband and son)

Carpenter, Al & Bradley – Healing for health concerns (Al Blood Clot)

Carpenter, Pat – Healing for health concerns and travel mercies (with Lonna)

Carreno, Pat - Healing for health concerns

Cottril, Nancy's family

Fuller, Jeffery – Healing for health concerns

Humbert, Don – Healing for health concerns (WSBC neighbor)

Hunter, Russell - Healing for health concerns

Janway, Jack and Nelda - Healing for health concerns

Lynch, Scott – Help with employment (Nancy Ohse's son-in-law)

Manfield, Tom & Jan - Passing of Virginia Mansfield

Mauck, Jan and Doug – Healing for health concerns

May, Nancy and Dick – Healing for health concerns

May, Renea and Steve - Healing for health concerns

Perkins, Ed – Homeless and health concerns

Poe, Becky and Terry - Healing for health concerns

Thomas, Lisa – Healing for health concerns

Tollefson, Martha - Healing for health concerns (Nancy Lindberg's friend)

Wabaunsee, Rosalind-Healing for health concerns (Lindsey's daughter)

Israel and Gaza War - Conflict in the Holy Lands

Civil Government, First Responders, Fire Department, Police, Sheriff, and State Patrol

Displaced Persons and Refugees

Holistic Small Groups – Natural Church Development minimum factor

Human Trafficking / Sexual Slavery

International Ministries and Missionaries (Global Servants)

National Guard and Military Personnel – Active Duty and Veterans

National Leaders - President and Administration, Congress, Courts

State of Kansas, Governor, County, City, and local governments

Veterans & Persons Missing in Action

Worldwide Evangelism

HOMEBOUND & CARE CENTERS

Hunter, Russell

THE ECUMENICAL PRAYER CYCLE - Praying for each place on earth and its people at least once a year, we affirm our solidarity with Christians worldwide, brothers and sisters living in diverse situations, experiencing various problems and sharing diverse gifts:

World Council of Churches

April 21-27 Armenia, Azerbaijan, and Georgia



This Eastertide, the fifty days between Easter and Pentecost, we will focus on the Old Testament texts that prepared the people of God for the coming of the Son of God. Join us for a **sermon series** on the "Seven Revelations of Jesus in the Old Testament" starting Sunday, April 7 at 10:30 am. We will see the evidence of God's grand story of Jesus Christ's life, suffering, sacrificial death, and resurrection from beginning to end! I pray you will be able to join us on Sunday mornings!

QUARTERLY BUSINESS MEETING – Sunday, April 21 at Noon, Potluck: Proposed BYLAW addition for the standing committee of the Diaconate. See the proposed change on the bulletin board outside the Church Office.

IT'S COMING...GLOBAL MISSION ENCOUNTER – Save the Dates – Tuesday, MAY 21 at 7:00 PM and Wednesday, May 22 at 10:30 am.

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NEWS IN THE PEWS

ELIZABETH "BETH" SMITH SVERCL MEMORIAL SERVICE - It is with deep sadness that we announce the passing of our dear Christian sister, Elizabeth "Beth" Kay (Smith) Svercl. He passed peacefully into the arms of Jesus on February 15, 2024, at the age of 70 in Anoka, Minnesota. Beth was a beloved wife, mother, and friend. MEMORIAL SERVICE: A Celebration of Life service will be held on Saturday, April 20 at 11:00 am in West Side Baptist Church, 1008 SW 4th St., Topeka, KS.

NAOMI JEAN BROOKS MEMORIAL SERVICE AT FIRST BAPTIST TOPEKA - It is with deep sadness that we announce the passing of our dear sister, Naomi Jean Brooks, a member of West Side Baptist Church in Topeka. She departed this earthly life peacefully on February 17, 2024. While we grieve her passing, we also celebrate the promise of eternal life given to her by faith in the Glorious Resurrection of Jesus Christ. MEMORIAL SERVICE: Her family will be having a memorial service on the date of her 99th birthday, April 27, 2024, at the First Baptist Church, 3033 SW MacVicar Ave., Topeka, KS.



VIRGINIA LEE WELLS MANSFIELD MEMORIAL SERVICE - was born July 15, 1926, to George Ernest Wells and Edith Dorothy Miller Wells. She grew up in Topeka. She graduated from Topeka High School in 1944. She married V. Victor Mansfield on July 16, 1944. They had four children: Phillip Mansfield, Thomas Mansfield, Gerald Mansfield, and Nancy Mansfield Merritt. They divorced in 1959. Virginia graduated from Stewarts Beauty College and worked in the Pelletier's Beauty Shop. She worked at the at the Children's Detention Home. She later worked at Topeka State Hospital before working at the Veteran's Administration Hospital.

She retired from the Veteran's Administration Hospital as a Licensed Mental Health technician after 25 years of service. She also did some private-duty nursing. She was a long-time member of West Side Baptist Church having joined in the early 1950's. She was a member of Phi Sigma Alpha for several years. She belonged to the Oakland and East Topeka Senior Citizens group for about 20 years. She volunteered as a member of the special projects committee for Doorstep. She volunteered in the retail shop for Dovetail. She was a volunteer at Friendship Meals. She belonged to Country Quilters. She enjoyed traveling, reading, cooking, sewing, and the theater. She was blessed with a family that she loved dearly. She had a heartfelt gratitude to her church for loving and nurturing her and her family and for the privilege of having so many loving friends with whom to share her journey here. Memorial contributions may be made in her honor to the West Side Baptist Church 1008 S.W. 4th Street, Topeka, KS 66606. **Arrangements are PENDING with Penwell-Gabel Cremations, Funerals & Receptions.**

SHAREFEST - Come join members from churches all around Topeka from 8:00 am until



noon on April 27th to work on projects for the Topeka Public Schools. There are opportunities for landscaping, painting, construction, and prayer groups. Register at sharefesttopeka.com or sign up on the bulletin board outside the sanctuary if you plan to come. Pick your site to work at and what you would like to work on

and your T-shirt size. If you have any other questions, see Jack Janway.

WWW KIDS' BIBLE CLUB BINGO!!!!! - WWW would appreciate donations of BINGO prizes from the congregation. Small prizes, snacks, and pop are favorites for winners of this game. **April 24 is the last night of WWW for this spring semester.** It will be a Bingo night. All adults are welcome to join the children in this fun game. Children playing alongside their parents...exciting! Donations can be dropped off in the church office. If you have any questions, see Marty Stevenson or Pat Carpenter.

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