



Plattville United Methodist Church  
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August 2019

From the Pastor's Pen:

I have preached on "prayer" as found in Matt. 6:9-13 and Luke 11:1-4, "The Lord's Prayer". Take a moment and read these two passages before reading the rest of my script. . . . .

How many times we have prayed to God using this prayer, yet not thinking of the true message we have recited. In the Bible God gave us model after model to live by, yet day after day we stumble and fall because we cannot be quiet long enough to listen to his quiet Voice as we read answers to our problems in the scriptures? Colossians holds many helpful scriptures that will bless your personal prayers and strengthen your prayer life.

### **PERSONAL PRAYERS FROM COLOSSIANS**

- 1:3 Lord God, help me to remember to give thanks to You, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, in all things and to maintain an attitude of prayer.
- 1:4 Build in me a strong faith in You and a love for all the saints.
- 1:9 Fill me with the knowledge of Your will in all areas of my life.
- 1:10 Teach me to walk in a manner worthy of You and to please You in all things.
- 1:10 Help me to bear fruit daily in the work I do and increase in the knowledge of You.
- 1:11 Help me to be strengthened with Your power that I may have endurance and patience.
- 1:13 Help me to always remember that, as a believer, I have been delivered from darkness and brought into the kingdom of Your beloved Son.
- 1:18 I pray that You will have first place in everything in my life.
- 1:23 Father, I ask You to make my faith strong, stable, and fixed on the truth of the gospel.
- 2:2 Please knit my heart together in love with other believers in the body of Christ.

- 2:5 Create in me good discipline and stability of faith in You.  
 2:7 Cause me to be firmly established in You, with a heart of gratitude.  
 2:10 Thank You, Lord, that through Your Son I have been made complete.  
 3:1 Teach me to keep seeking the things above, where Christ is seated at Your right hand.

Prayer, at its root, is listening for the Voice of God in our inmost being. and so, we ask, " Lord, teach us to pray." And if we are listening for the Voice of God in our innermost beings we will hear Him say: "Pause a while and know that I am God." Each day, let us pause a while to say: "Father, may Your Name be held Holy." Remember, PRAYER is NOT optional for us! It is ESSENTIAL!!!

Pastor Terry

## CALENDAR

### August

- 4 10:00 a.m. Worship Service  
 11 10:00 a.m. Worship Service – Praise Band  
 14 7:00 pm Movie Nite  
 17 9 – 2 Sewing Day  
 18 9:00 a.m. Coffee hour  
 10:00 a.m. Worship Service  
 25 10:00 a.m. Worship Service – Praise Band



**\*\*Sept 21 - Ham Supper\*\***

## BIRTHDAYS

### August

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|----------------------|----------------------|
| 4 Dana Jones         | 14 Margo Zmarzlinski |
| 10 Nichole Hardecopf | 15 Jonathan Vickery  |
| 11 Ilissa DeLange    | 28 Sharleen Smith    |

## THANK YOU

In June we collected \$95 for the Kendall County Food Pantry  
June's collection for Imagine No Malaria collected \$54  
July's collection for Joliet Hospice collected \$43

Thank you to Carol Bilinski & the Anderson's for the beautiful garden flowers on the altar this summer.

## NEEDS

On Aug 11 our **Change for Mission** collection will go to UMCOR Disaster Relief helping those who have been affected by rains and flooding this year.

## PRAYER CONCERNS

Clara McLaughlin  
Dorothy Cooper  
Nancy Murley  
Arleen & Glen  
Shannon Tait  
Ed Leifheit  
farming community

Aletha Collins  
Pastor Terry  
Bruce Southcombe Sr  
Beth Fals father  
Brittney  
those suffering with cancer  
travelers

Bonnie Gunterman  
Megan & family  
Dan Thur  
Rose Gruber  
Hope's brother  
prayers for our country  
military personnel

## Troop Appreciation Project

Hope Tait has organized a letter writing & care package campaign for us to participate in.



We will be sending a **letter** once a month to support our troops/caregivers of our troops. The letters for August should be written to Veterans residing at the LaSalle Veterans Home. September letters will go to soldiers who are about to be deployed for the first time

We will also be sending three sets of **care packages** this calendar year - August care packages are to contain items for the soldiers to pass out to their canine units; items to be included – American made dog treats, dog toys, collapsible water bowls, kongs, etc

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pearl Lindlay from Minooka area will be our guest preacher July 28 & Aug 4<sup>th</sup>.

MMDC Sewing Bee – Aug 17 – 9 a.m. – 2 p.m. Debbie Stadel invites you to come sew together.

Bring your sewing machine or serger to make diapers, school bags and receiving blankets. Non-sewers are needed for cutting out diapers & school bags (bring scissors). Lunch will be provided.

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