PLEASE KEEP IN PRAYER ...

Ernie & Nancy Bear, Richard & Linda Hicks, Helen Kamp, Betty Johnson, JR & Linda Melvin, those in our Military, our Curlew church family, the United Methodist Church, our country, and those still fighting the pandemic.

Contact information for church family shut-ins can be obtained by calling the church office and are published monthly in the "Curlew Courier".

Mary DeDea, Eileen Huntington, Vivian Cox, Barbara Bardua, Esther Besch

Luke 6:27-38

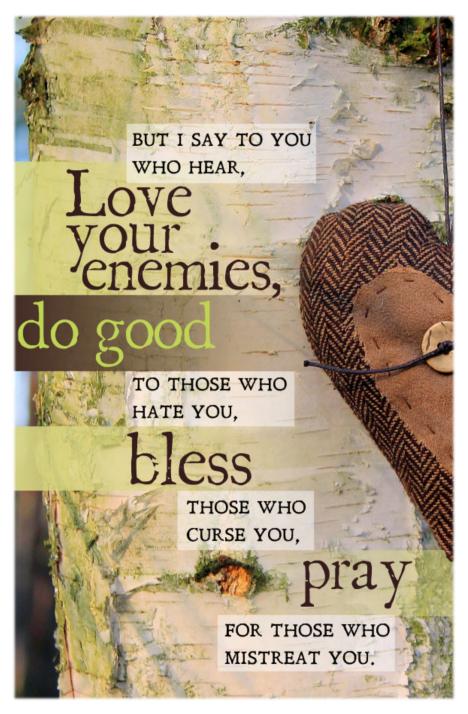
²⁷ "But I say to you that listen, Love your enemies, do good to those who hate you, ²⁸ bless those who curse you, pray for those who abuse you. ²⁹ If anyone strikes you on the cheek, offer the other also; and from anyone who takes away your coat do not withhold even your shirt. ³⁰ Give to everyone who begs from you; and if anyone takes away your goods, do not ask for them again. ³¹ Do to others as you would have them do to you.

again. ³¹ Do to others as you would have them do to you. ³² "If you love those who love you, what credit is that to you? For even sinners love those who love them. ³³ If you do good to those who do good to you, what credit is that to you? For even sinners do the same. ³⁴ If you lend to those from whom you hope to receive, what credit is that to you? Even sinners lend to sinners, to receive as much again. ³⁵ But love your enemies, do good, and lend, expecting nothing in return. Your reward will be great, and you will be children of the Most High; for he is kind to the ungrateful and the wicked. ³⁶ Be merciful, just as your Father is merciful.

³⁷ "Do not judge, and you will not be judged; do not condemn, and you will not be condemned. Forgive, and you will be forgiven; ³⁸ give, and it will be given to you. A good measure, pressed down, shaken together, running over, will be put into your lap; for the measure you give will be the measure you get back."

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Curlew United Methodist Church July 11, 2021

7th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

All are welcome as we come together to worship in the House of the Lord.

Organ Selections

Announcements

Birthdays: 7/12 Zuhra Brand, Bob Floyd; 7/15 Lee Swenson; 7/17 Rev. Rachel Hughes, Rhonda Click

* Greeting and Sharing the Peace

* Congregation

"Seek Ye First"

UMH 405

GOD'S WORD PROCLAIMED

Prelude Praise Band

* Call to Worship (based on Psalm 51, Psalter p. 786) Liturgist

Leader: Create in me a clean heart, O God, and put a new and right spirit within me.

People: Cast me not away from Your presence and take not Your Holy Spirit from me.

Leader: Restore to me the joy of Your salvation, and sustain in me a willing spirit.

People: Then I will teach transgressors Your ways, and sinners will return to You.

Leader: Deliver me from death, O God, God of my salvation, and my tongue will sing aloud of Your deliverance.

People: O Lord, open my lips, and my mouth shall show forth Your praise.

Leader: For You have no delight in sacrifice; were I to give a burnt offering, You would not be pleased.

All: The sacrifice acceptable to God is a broken spirit; a broken and contrite heart, O God, You will not despise. Amen.

* Affirmation of Faith The Apostles' Creed UMH 881

* The Gloria Patri UMH 70

Prayers and Praises

Pastoral Prayer Pastor Rachel Hughes

Tithes and Offerings

*The Doxology UMH 95

Special Music "Lord, I Hope This Day Is Good" Praise Band

Scripture Luke 6:27-38

The Message Pastor Rachel Hughes

A GPS for Your Life

WE GO FORTH TO WITNESS

* Hymn of Adoration "Freely, Freely" UMH 389

* Benediction Pastor Rachel Hughes

Pastor Rev. Rachel Hughes
Director of Music Ministries Ben Winkler

* Stand as you are able

The altar flowers today are given by Bob & Rhonda Click in celebration of Rhonda's birthday on July 17th and Bob's birthday on July 19th!

All men of the church are invited to attend the **Men's Breakfast** this Saturday, July 17. They will meet at the Chatterbox North Restaurant, 2710 Alt. US 19, Palm Harbor, at 9:00 am.

There are **hand-held prayer crosses** and **New Testaments** on a table in the Narthex. If you or someone you know would be blessed by either of these items, please feel free to take as many as you need.

Special Music "Teach Me to Love"

Susan Yocum