

Bluemont United Methodist Church Newsletter

April 2021

West Loudoun Charge (Bluemont UMC & Roszell Chapel UMC)

Certified Lay Speaker Bill Orndorff

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WELCOME Bill Orndorff, our lay speaker, who will be with us through the month of June. We are blessed to have Bill and his wife, Amy, join us. Please plan to come and meet him soon.

Mission Outreach

Our contributions to Loudoun Hunger Relief (our local food bank) for March was **\$300**. Please support this needy cause by sending donations by check payable to Loudoun Hunger Relief and mail to BUMC, PO Box 255, Bluemont, VA 20135 or put in the offering plate on Sundays.

Winnie will mail the checks to them each month. During the pandemic we are not able to donate food, but Loudoun Hunger can purchase the food much more economically than we can. Thank you & God bless you!

We make a monthly contribution to the Tree of Life which services western Loudoun County with support for food, shelter, life skills, healthcare and relief to local residents. Thanks to Rick Sutermeister who volunteers there once a week!

Please keep our missionaries in prayer. Missionary offering is the first Sunday of each month. We continue to support the Dornans servicing the medical needs in Nepal. We have also added contributions to "Missionaries Around the World" fund, which offers support to missionaries as needs arise. Contributions for missionaries can be made by mail payable to BUMC or deposited in the collection plate with missions on the memo line..

Mark Your Calendars

March 28, 2021 – Palm Sunday service

April 4, 2021 – Easter Sunday service; please join us to celebrate the resurrection!

Good News: Rob & Linda Brown welcomed their second granddaughter, Aurelia Grace, on Saturday, 3/20. She arrived quickly and Josh delivered her at home! Aurelia was full term weighing 5 pounds, 10 ounces. Trivia: Julius Caesar's mother was named Aurelia.

Prayer Concerns

David & Patsy Spring, Neal Siebert, Tracey Kline, Dean Harris, Eddie Ramsey, Wilbur Glascock, Janice Watson, Kelly Carroll, Judy & Rick Palladinetti, April Witkowski, Barbara Beasley, Stona Cosner, Nancy Orndorff & Hunter Clark.

Please contact Judy Anderson for any additions or corrections.

Care Groups: Remember to be in touch with those in your care group. (Contact Winnie Kelley with questions). We are "the church". "Therefore encourage one another and build one another up, just as you are doing." 1 Thessalonians 5:11 ESV

Our Men and Women in Uniform

Owen Aronhalt – US Navy, Florida, grandson of Butch & Nancy Aronhalt

Chris Baldwin – US Army, Kansas, nephew of Janice Watson

Taylor Beasley – US Air National Guard, Virginia, granddaughter of Barbara Beasley and daughter of Gail & Allen Beasley

Mackie Brownell – US Army, cousin of Joyce Beck

Dan Hilferty – US Air Force, nephew of Rick & Judy Palladinetti

Bobby Hubbard – US Coast Guard, grandson of Teccie Denny & nephew of Tinadawn Cosner

Margaret Milbourne – US Army, granddaughter of Jean Milbourne

Hayes Powell – US Air Force, son of Rusty & Linda Powell

Dylan Sisk, US Navy, son of Scott Sisk

Chase Sisk, US Navy, son of Scott Sisk

David Bentley (do you know this person?)

Paul McClain (do you know this person?)

Please advise Judy Anderson of any changes or additions to this list. We want to keep it current.

Also in our Prayers: Boulder Crest Retreat, for the staff, volunteers, and guests who come to the mountains to refresh, renew and heal.

Residents of Texas. **If you wish to assist UMCOR (United Methodist Committee on Relief) with their disaster relief efforts in Texas, please donate online or send a check to the VA Conference, PO Box 5605, Glen Allen, VA 23058 marked Advance #901670 on the memo line. All funds go directly for relief and are tax deductible. Bless you for helping this worthy cause.**

Happy Birthday to:

April

Richard Falknor	April 1
Jeremy Carter	April 3
Tyler Martin	April 3
Cheri Clark	April 7
Judy Palladinetti	April 8
Dale Reid	April 9
Jaime Hoggatt	April 17
Winnie Kelley	April 28
Allison (Farris) Ambrister	April 29
Tim Owens	April 29

Happy Anniversary to:

Donnie & Joyce Sours April 22 (1960)

Please advise Winnie Kelley 540-554-4845 of any additions or corrections.

If you have any news you would like included, please contact Judy at 540-955-8331 or email to anderson.judy@comcast.net. Thanks!