

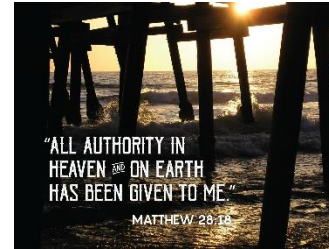
Prayer Concerns

First Responders	Brian R.
Victims of natural disasters	Susan W.
Those suffering from mental illness	Bill & Vince, lifted by Reba Y. Jim, friend of Marilyn & Bill R.
Those affected by gun violence	Connie C.
Those who are homeless	Adrienne, lifted by Tom M.
Stephen Ministers and Care Receivers	Selene, lifted by Carole A. Viola C.
Our condolences to the family of Bradley following his passing, lifted by Sally C.	Donna, sister of Carol N. Donna, friend of Judy K.
Kifah, friend of David L.	Andy, Faye W.'s son
Jeff, friend of Judy K.	Israel, Sarah J.'s student
Jeff & Sharon B., lifted by Janis J.	Bev, lifted by Josh O.
Bob, Carole B.'s son	Zack, son of Jennifer G.
Josh O.	Steve, Mary Ellen M.'s son
Donald R.	Kevin, friend of Barb & Ron C.
Mary Lou L.	Dusty, nephew of Reba Y.
Danielle, lifted by Alice & Andy	Darlene, friend of Barb A.
Sheryl, lifted by Sally S.	Sterling B.
Scott, Barb L.'s brother-in-law	Dawn, friend of Susan W.
Keith A.	Carol B., lifted by Ray & Jane
Gwen H.	Matthew F., USAF
Frank M.	Lt. Col Bill G., USMC
Danielle, Gwen's granddaughter	Christopher Y., USAF

This Week's Birthdays

November 8 Andy Walsh November 14 Andy Moore

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<https://youtu.be/a8-yTjiWQuI>

November 8, 2020 23rd Sunday after Pentecost

Welcome and Passing of the Peace

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

And also with you.

Ministries and Missions Announcements

Prelude

Awake, My Soul

Lani Smith

Marlene Dirksen

Call to Worship

L: Trust in the Lord and do good.

P: **May the Lord give strength to the people!**

L: O taste and see that the Lord is good!

P: **God is our refuge and strength.**

Unison Prayer

Almighty and everlasting God, in whom we live and move and have our being, you created us for yourself, so that our hearts are restless until they find rest in you. Grant to us such piety of heart

and strength of purpose that no selfish passion may hinder us from knowing your will, and no weakness from doing it. In your light may we see life clearly, and in your service find perfect freedom; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Old Testament Reading Psalm 46

Hymn *Stand Up and Bless the Lord* UMH 662
(vv. 1-2, 4-5)

Vocalist: Gabriela Martinez; Pianist: Javier Gonzalez

Prayers of the People

Prayer Concerns (back of bulletin)

Pastoral Prayer

Prayer of Confession

Almighty and all-loving God, through your Son Jesus Christ you have reconciled the world to yourself. Help us now to be reconciled with one another, that again we might dwell in the warmth of your love. Inspire us with your Holy Spirit to put aside the cloak of pride and put on Christ, that we might forgive and be forgiven; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Words of Assurance

L: In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven.

P: In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven.

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

The Offering with Prayer

Please continue to be faithful with your financial gifts by sending your stewardship contribution to the church office to the attention of the Financial Secretary, Ed Brewster.

Hymn *Seek Ye First* UMH 405

Vocalist: Gabriela Martinez; Pianist: Javier Gonzalez

New Testament Reading I Corinthians 13

Gospel Lesson Matthew 28:16-20

Sermon "So, Now What?" Rev. Hoyte Wilhelm

Hymn *Blessed Assurance* UMH 369

Vocalist: Deb Chermonte

Benediction

- L: May the presence of God the Creator give you strength;
P: **May the presence of God the Redeemer give you peace;**
L: May the presence of God the Sustainer give you comfort.
P: **May the presence of God the Sanctifier give your peace.**
Amen.

Postlude *It Is Well with My Soul* arr. Robert Thygeron

Marlene Dirksen

Our Guiding Principles

- We appreciate and invest in our youth.
- We actively serve our neighbors in the North Olmsted community and the wider world.
- We provide varied opportunities for people to grow in their faith.
- We welcome and nurture a diverse congregation who become extended family.
- We foster lasting personal relationships, which are especially important in a digital world.

Our Faithful Journey

