

# **Keeping in Touch at SMUMCHH**

Week of January 26, 2025





## Prayers for our Church Family:

**Prayers for Terry FeuIner.** He needs to have another biopsy as the biopsy he had January 15<sup>th</sup> was inconclusive. The next biopsy will be on his liver to see if it's pancreatic cancer and spread to his liver. The biopsy will be done at Huntington Hospital. It might be a couple of weeks before he learns any results. **Please keep Terry (and Joy) in your prayers**.

Thank you for all your prayers for Shane Miller, grandson of Dorothy Persinger. Dorothy reports that Shane is out of the hospital and has now returned to his home and is under the care of his own doctors.

Prayers for Orlen Willoughby. He is still at Orchard Care Home receiving physical therapy.

- **Keep Ruth Feick in your prayers.** She is having issues with mobility and short term memory, but her son Ken reports that she has gained back a lot of strength. Prayers of thanksgiving that Ruth is regaining her strength.
- **Prayers for Lisa,** Orlen Willoughby's daughter, who was diagnosed with cancer in 2023. She's had 4 surgeries and 8 rounds of chemotherapy. Something has showed up on recent PETScan on her hip and she is waiting results.
- Condolences to the family of Pastor Don Roe. Pastor Don passed away in early December. Don's memorial service will be held at St. Matthew's UMC on February 1<sup>st</sup> at 10:30am. A reception will follow in the Fellowship Hall. Don was a huge Dodger fan. His family encourages those attending his service to wear Dodger blue.
- Shiryl Boerlin passed away the morning of December 24<sup>th</sup>. Keep her family in your prayers. Shiryl's memorial service will be held in our Sanctuary on Saturday, February 22 at 1:00pm with the memorial reception to follow in the Fellowship Hall.

# Prayers out into our World:

May EVERYONE in Southern California who is affected by these horrible, horrible fires continue to be surrounded by God's arms!!!

Prayers for World Peace!

### Continued prayers for our Members, Family, and Friends:

Donna Lilly, Pat Griffin, Jean Logan, Doris Sachs, Dorothy Tarvin, Chris Kozak (son of Rich and Denise Kozak), Diane Crawford (daughter of Shirley Butler), Jeff Graves (son of Joe and Patty Graves).



Those whose names are printed in red, have a special celebration this coming week:

January Birthdays: January 27 Johnny Doyle

January Wedding Anniversaries: January 29 David & Sheila Crain

February Birthdays: Feb. 1 Donna Peterson

Feb. 2 Diane Hernandez

Feb. 7 Yuet Yun

Feb. 9 Cindy Fallgren Feb. 25 Jerry Lutjens

February Wedding Anniversaries: Feb. 2<sup>nd</sup> Larry & Jean Howe





Our special musician and Twombly Award Recipient for our January 26<sup>th</sup> Worship Service is Emma Petersen. Emma, 19, started playing the French Horn when she was 12 years old and studied with Louise MacGillivray throughout high school in Saugus, CA. During junior high and high school, she was part of the Hart District Honor band each year. She was also accepted into the Southern California School Band and Orchestra Association (SCSBOA) honor bands and the California All State Honor Bands.

She is now in her second year at Pasadena City College, majoring in music performance in French Horn and is currently studying with Tawnee Lillo. Her professional aspiration is to become a study musician.



#### **Coffee Fellowship Hosts and Hostesses**

January 26 Linda Hall and Larry and Jean Howe

February 2 Denise Moran

February 9 Jerry and Eileen Casterline

February 16 The Robles Family

February 23 Larry and Judy Vroman

If you would like to host our Coffee Fellowship Time after Worship on any Sunday, please contact or see Carol Rogers.





Pastor David continues to offer Free Music Lessons to our community. Learn how to play the keyboard, guitar or drums. Call the church office at 626-333-6656 or email the office at <a href="mailto:smumchh@gmail.com">smumchh@gmail.com</a> for more information.



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