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Good Morning TUCC!

Memorial Day – A New Perspective

No doubt that this Memorial Day was different than those previous. There was less celebrating on our part (due to the corona virus pandemic) for the greater good of humanity. Overall, we are doing a lot less "living" then we are used to. A very small sacrifice, however, compared to those that served our Country. Every day of every year there is a service member separated from their family, missing out on important moments – first steps, graduations, weddings, and funerals. Although Memorial Day is about honoring and mourning those who died while serving in the United States Armed Forces, it is also important to consider the totality of the sacrifices made, the loss of life but also the loss of "living". Let us continue to remember those that *gave* for our Country.



Prayer and Praise

Prayer Requests:

For those who mourn alone. <u>Mary Thompson</u> continues treatment at Roswell, further evaluation on June 19. <u>Brian Cottrell</u>, Linda's son, is COVID19 positive. So far no symptoms. Larry Berg, Lee's mother, <u>Mary Bland</u> is in the hospital. Rick Reed, friend, <u>Rich</u> is COVID19 positive and in the hospital. <u>Pete Cardamone</u> is in rehab following surgery. For Farmers and our food supply.

<u>Continued prayers for</u>: <u>Mary Rapp</u> kidney transplant; Lydia Aris's mother, <u>Zdena</u>, recovering from COVID-19, <u>Linda Cottrell</u> knee injury; <u>Ken Hoogs</u>, dementia, and caregiver Sharon; <u>Renata Gaddis</u>, lung cancer; <u>Pam Falge</u>, Jim and Kay Butkus' daughter, cancer; <u>David</u>, Goddard's friend, kidney cancer; <u>Linda Long</u>, neighbor of the Hillenbrands, cancer; <u>David Klem</u> cancer; <u>Nancy Colonna</u>, Butkus's good friend, cancer; <u>Angie Fratesch</u>; <u>Joe Puccia</u>; <u>Beverly LaForse</u>; <u>front line</u> <u>workers</u>, <u>health care workers</u>, and <u>all of us</u> facing these uncertain times.

Joys shared:

Marley Burduhn, granddaughter, Molly Marin is 1 year old today. Staci MacCrea's niece, Malory Haskins, graduated from college and plans a Pre-Med future. Carrie Burgett, daughter of John and Cathy, voted Teacher of the Year in St Louis, MO. Praise for a sunny day Praise for small ways to see people at a safe distance. Are you, or someone you care about, in need of prayer? Please email the church, <u>tullyunitedcc@gmail.com</u>, and we will include your need.

Trustees – No More Drips or Gushes!

The Trustees have contracted with R. Shaw Mechanicals to fix the water line. This (\$7000) is a major expense for the church and one that was not budgeted. Please consider making a special donation to this need making checks payable to TUCC, memo line *Water Line Replacement*. Thank you.

Council Update

Council will be looking at the logistics of re-opening for in person services. There are many factors to consider and a decision that requires great care. There is <u>no</u> timeline as of now for re-opening, but we will keep you informed as one develops.

Ways to Support Your Church and Community

Ministries come in many forms. Some take time, some take money, and some take both! Here are some suggestions for giving to others:

- 1. Offerings to TUCC mail or drop off at church; pay through electronic bill pay of your bank
- 2. St. Leo's Food Pantry and Outreach, POB 574, Tully, 13159. Attn: Cheryl Paccia. Pantry needs monetary donations for fresh produce, meat, and dairy
- 3. Donate sauce, tuna, canned veggies, PB, jelly, toiletries, paper products, etc., for the Food Pantry. They can be left just inside St. Leo's hall between 9am 2pm or just outside the door
- 4. Shop *smile.amazon.com* and select TUCC as your non-profit. A percentage is returned to the church!



Birthdays and Anniversaries – May 27th-June 3rd, 2020

Birthdays-May 28th-Daniel Burt & Mark York; May 29th-Alex Wilmot; May 30th-Sydney Mackenna Holden; May 31st-Zachary Chawgo & Hudson William Borchert; June 1st- Barb Kohberger ; June 2nd-Ziggy Thomas Tiffany & Staci MacCrea

Anniversaries- May 27th-Brad & Beth Ann Smith; May 29th-Joe & Marcia Martin

		Looking Ahead	
June 3	Peter's Weeders	Wednesday, 9AM – 1030AM	
June 13	Red Cross Bloodmobile	Saturday, call for appointment	

Meditation and Sunday Service

Our sanctuary is open daytimes for prayer or meditation. Hand sanitizer is provided by the door. Homemade masks are available for you to wear <u>and take</u> for added protection during COVID19.

The Zoom link for all Sunday services is: <u>https://us02web.zoom.us/j/135746765</u> Meeting ID: 135 746 765

The <u>Youtube sermon link</u> is sent a day or two before via email. Search for sermon by date as they are not listed chronologically.

Remember:	Wash your hands.	Wear your mask in public.	Keep 6' between you and others.