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WELCOME TO YOUR NEW HOME

The Khat Khai Family

Keep on loving one another as brothers and sisters. Do not forget to show hospitality to strangers, for by so doing some people have shown hospitality to angels without knowing it. — Hebrews 13:1-2



Greeting Khat and Zen and their children at the airport!

Our Orientation meeting of the 3 churches with the family!



We were so blessed to be part of a wide community of welcoming refugees! The Zomi Christian Church, KRM, and members of First Christian, First Presbyterian and Bardstown Road Presbyterian were all present to welcome the Khat Khai family. We greeted them with balloons, signs, stuffed animals, and flowers AND lots of enthusiasm. After we had shaken hands with over 10 people, we started worrying that we didn't have enough beds. It turns out there were 2 families arriving and that Catholic Charities was welcoming the second family. Glad we had enthusiasm for both families and that we had enough stuffed animals for both families!!

The family of 8 (Khat, Zen, Don, Suam, Mung, Vung, Hau, and Cing) are originally from Myanmar. The Zomi ethnic group has been discriminated against because of their ethnicity and religion (Christian). Khat left Myanmar in 2007 and has lived as a refugee for the last 11 years in Malaysia. The rest of the family joined him in 2012. So we are happy to welcome them into their home at 121 East Woodlawn Ave in Louisville. Thank you to everyone who provided furniture, supplies, and helped financially. A resounding thank you to all of you who helped get the house ready - a hot sweaty and dirty task!!

We have recently had the opportunity to introduce them to the waterfront in downtown Louisville and very much enjoyed the outing. We learned that Hau (12 year old daughter) won first place in the Zomi Idol competition in 2016. She is hoping to continue singing!

AUGUST 2018
REVISED COMMON LECTIONARY
FOR SUNDAYS & FESTIVALS

We are encouraged and invited to read and reflect on these scripture passages as a part of our preparation for each worship service.

11th Sunday after Pentecost—August 5
18th Sunday in Ordinary Time / Proper 13

Semicontinuous

2 Samuel 11:26–12:13a
Psalm 51:1–12
Ephesians 4:1–16
John 6:24–35

Complementary

Exodus 16:2–4, 9–15
Psalm 78:23–29
Ephesians 4:1–16
John 6:24–35

12th Sunday after Pentecost—August 12
19th Sunday in Ordinary Time / Proper 14

Semicontinuous

2 Samuel 18:5–9, 15, 31–33
Psalm 130
Ephesians 4:25–5:2
John 6:35, 41–51

Complementary

1 Kings 19:4–8
Psalm 34:1–8
Ephesians 4:25–5:2
John 6:35, 41–51

13th Sunday after Pentecost—August 19
20th Sunday in Ordinary Time / Proper 15

Semicontinuous

1 Kings 2:10–12; 3:3–14
Psalm 111
Ephesians 5:15–20
John 6:51–58

Complementary

Proverbs 9:1–6
Psalm 34:9–14
Ephesians 5:15–20
John 6:51–58

14th Sunday after Pentecost—August 26
21st Sunday in Ordinary Time / Proper 16

Semicontinuous

1 Kings 8:(1, 6, 10–11) 22–30, 41–43
Psalm 84
Ephesians 6:10–20
John 6:56–69

Complementary

Joshua 24:1–2a, 14–18
Psalm 34:15–22
Ephesians 6:10–20
John 6:56–69

ADVENT ALREADY??

Wouldn't you love an Advent Devotional Book? Wouldn't you ADORE one written by your friends here at First Presbyterian of Shelbyville? LET'S DO IT!

All we will need is 24 folks to volunteer to write one short entry! It can be your favorite Christmas memory, a challenge for us, a meaningful scripture for you, etc. Each day will be different! Let's keep it to 600 words or less, so it fits on a half-page. We hope to have our youth help decorate the pages if possible. But you are encouraged to submit your own art as well!

Advent starts December 2 this year, so we need someone to volunteer daily from Dec. 2-25. The sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board in the Fellowship Hall. Sign up today—choose two days if you like!

Many thanks!
Ann Greenwell and Libby Pollett
Session members and Advent Enthusiasts



SEPT. 30-OCT. 5 2018

FALL CRAFT WEEK

Register today!

MONTREAT.ORG/FALL-CRAFT-WEEK

Years ago M. C. Richards, renowned potter, came to Black Mountain College to teach poetry but ended up with her hands in clay. In her book *Centering in Pottery, Poetry and the Person* she defines the word craft. "...Craft, as you may know, comes from the German word *Kraft*, meaning power or strength. We can't fake craft. It lies in the act."

Come celebrate with us the profound idea of "craft." Create with your hands, gain proficiency in an art form, and enjoy the community of other artists during a fall week in the mountains. Mark your calendars now, and plan to join this community of artists as we create our own craft!

Classes Include:

Embellishments for You Leslie McCarthy

Scarves, jewelry, totes, and bags!
There's a little something for everyone.

Dulcimer Making Dick Porter &
Howard Moore

Come join us to make a classic four-stringed Appalachian mountain lap dulcimer and display stand.

Colorful Adventures in Art Journaling Deb Guess

Spend a week totally transforming a traditional bound book into an explosion of color, texture and design.

Come Join This Circus: An Adventure in Writing Ina Hughs

We will encourage class members to explore ways to say what you always wanted to say, but didn't know how.

Fun with Photography Joye Ardyn Durham

Enjoy photography full of pure fun and experimentation.

Creating with Stained Glass Roger Maness

Whether learning the basics or improving your skills, join us to build your own beautiful stained glass creations.

Get Away...With Clay! Becky Garrity

Grow your skills with clay on the pottery wheel and in hand building.



8/02 Fran Neal
8/02 Addy Pippin
8/02 Claire Rempe
8/06 Paul Caudill
8/08 Bob Chapman
8/09 Harper Kelly
8/10 Ed Drane
8/10 Janet Kalmey
8/10 Joyce Kalmey
8/11 Gene Fouts
8/14 Sara Harris
8/16 Stephanie Schmidt
8/18 Gillian Shepard
8/19 Abby Rigney
8/23 Maree Collins
8/24 Flora Sherrod
8/24 Ellen Sparrow
8/24 Leesa Stivers
8/30 Mike McCardwell
8/30 Ryan Munoz
8/30 Emma Wakeman
8/31 Lucy Long
8/31 Morry Searcy



8/14 Hubert & Libby Pollett
8/17 Vic & Judy Schostkewitz
8/21 Boyd & Susie Phillips
8/28 Mike & Ellen Smith
8/29 Alex & Bridget Green

If you know of someone whose birthday or anniversary aren't included, please contact the church office so we can add their information to our records.

AUGUST GREETERS & USHERS

August 5—Mary Ann Soergel, Meme Lafferty, and Judy Schostkewitz

August 12—Janet Kalmey, Joyce Kalmey, and Ruth & Doug Welch

August 19—Mary Steinhilber, Duke Owens, and Diane Palmer

August 26—Barbara Troyer and The Jasper Family

A GREAT SUMMER FOR CROPS, OF BABIES, THAT IS!

Last month, we welcomed Henry James Redmon to Emma & Austin Redmon. Since then, meet:

William Vincent O'Malley (Liam), born July 16th to Mark & Jaymie O'Malley. His grandparents are Jim & Sue O'Malley.

Brandon Robert Ohs, born July 10th to Jason & Sarah Long Ohs. His grandparents are Linda Long and the late Rob Long.

Joseph David "JD" Tucker was born June 27th to Jeremy & Kate Matthews Tucker. JD's grandparents are Alan & Rosetta Matthews. His great grandparents are the late Bob & Betty Matthews.

William Lindsey Logan, V was born to Will & Rosa An Logan and big sister, Olivia Wren, on July 4th. His grandparents are Lindsey & Debbie Logan, and great grandparents are Bill and the late Ann Logan.

Mark O'Malley, Sarah Long Ohs, Kate Matthews Tucker and Will Logan grew up in this church and were very active in all the youth groups. An extension of their family is an extension of ours! This would have made Bobbye McCarthy so very happy to see all these babies!



Outreach



Ministries

**JOIN US ON
Wednesday, AUGUST 1
Anytime between
12:00 noon & 4:00 p.m.
At the Serenity Center,
98 7th Street**

**Help distribute food to Shelby
County residents.**



**Serenity Center
Food Bank**

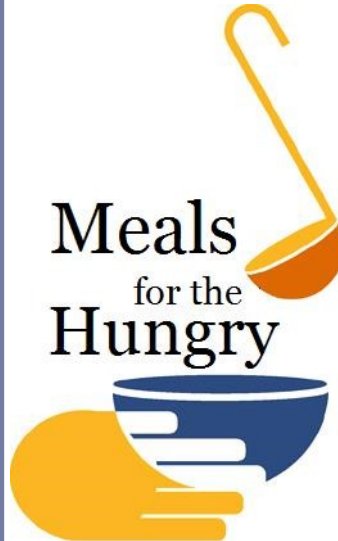


**HELPING OUR
NEIGHBORS
IN NEED**

**AUGUST 12
Remember
Love Sunday**

Funds collected on Love Sunday are used to help many individuals in the community needing assistance with utilities, prescriptions, school supplies, and more. Payments are made directly to the vendors, and cash is never given to an individual. Individuals may request assistance once in a 12-month period with a \$ limit per request. Make your checks payable to First Presbyterian Church and mark it for LOVE SUNDAY.

**Meals
for the
Hungry**



**VOLUNTEER TO SERVE
LUNCH AT
GOD'S KITCHEN
715 Main Street
Downtown Shelbyville**

**THURSDAY, AUGUST 9
10:30 A.M.**

**INTERESTED? Talk to Boyd
or Susie Phillips about how
you can help. Desserts are
always needed.**



THE OUTREACH COMMITTEE REPORT

JULY 2018

One family was helped with gas this month.
Eggs are available from the Allen family.

A Place to Sleep

- 127 children have received beds in 2018 making a grand total of 1586 children, with 85 on the waiting list.
- There have been many volunteers during the June which include our own youth as a Bible school activity who helped sort and fold baby blankets. Youth from Harvey Brown Presbyterian Church, Highland Presbyterian Church, and Beulah Presbyterian Church all spent time helping. A group from 1st Baptist Church from Morristown, Tennessee returned again this year to help deliver beds.
- A Place to Sleep is registered for "Give for Good Louisville" which occurs on September 13. Jessica Collins and Lynn Whittaker will be attending a training session to discover ways to increase donations.
- The next delivery date will be July 29 with the help of Christ Community Church on their "Love Shelbyville" day.

Give a Kid a Brighter Day

- Cadence is using the summer for planning.

Serenity Center

Our next Wednesday to help distribute food at the Serenity Center on 7th Street is August 1, the first Wednesday of each month. Volunteers need to be at least 16 years old or old enough to work with little supervision and accompanied by an adult. Carlen Pippin has been sharing extra food with God's Kitchen, Father's Love, Colonial Hall, the Women's Renaissance Center, and A Loving Choice Pregnancy Center.

Music Ministry

103 instruments have been donated and placed in the schools.

God's Kitchen

Our July date to volunteer at God's Kitchen is July 12. We appreciate the volunteers who continue to help supply food and come to serve. Our special volunteers for June were Libby Pollett with Lawson and Callaway Zaring who worked hard serving and spreading smiles. The Rice Krispy treats were enjoyed by all. Leftovers are always taken to Colonial Hall. The next day for us to serve at God's Kitchen will be August 9. Anyone with desserts should bring them to the church by 10:00 a.m., and those wishing to help serve should be at Victory Baptist by 10:30 a.m.

New Business

A motion was passed to support Lynn Whittaker on her efforts to get rid of trash and make the residents of Marion Village feel part of the community.

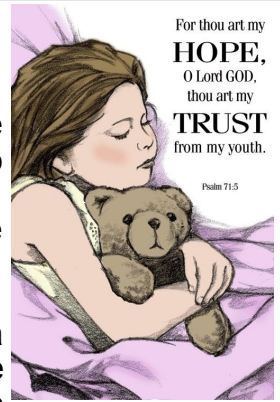
- Coupons are being collected for the military.
- Flip tops are collected for Ronald McDonald House.
- Donations for the Backpack Project and BooBoo Buddies are being collected.
- Cancelled stamps are being collected.
- Shoes are being collected for the water project.
- Magazines are collected for A Second Time Around.
- Plastic caps are being collected by Carlen Pippin for a bench for the Park.
- The next meeting will be August 12.



Go out and preach the Gospel, using words if you have to.

A Place to Sleep

We have helped 137 children so far in 2018, making a grand total of 1,596 since December 2009. And, as it always is, there are 71 children on the waiting list. To serve these 71 children and the expected 41 additional through the end of the year, we will need to raise some money, lots of money, around \$25,000 just to purchase the frames, mattresses and foundations.



We are joining with hundreds of other non-profits in the Shelbyville and Louisville area to participate in Give for Good Louisville on September 13. This is a 24 hour on-line giving day. Go ahead and mark it on your calendar to go on-line September 13 to GiveforGoodLouisville.org and make a donation to A Place to Sleep (search in the upper right-hand corner.)

We'd love to increase our donations by having volunteers run their own "mini-campaign" that day. The more volunteers we have do this, the larger our giving circle becomes. It's simple, and we have lots of tools for you to use on-line. You simply share why you support A Place to Sleep with your email and social media friends, then give them the link to donate on-line. All we need are 25 volunteers to set a goal for \$1,000 each during Give for Good Louisville. Can you get 10 of your friends to donate \$100 each? How about 20 friends to donate \$50 each? Maybe 40 friends to donate \$25 each? Let Lynn Whittaker know how you'd like to help (502-321-7116 or email jwhit731@gmail.com).

The Community Foundation of Louisville has secured sponsors for "prizes" throughout the day. These "prizes" amount to additional \$\$\$ for A Place to Sleep, but only donations made between 12:01 a.m. and 11:59 p.m. on September 13 count toward these prizes. **We are looking for businesses to make matching donations that could potentially double your's!****

BECOME A PEER-2-PEER FUNDRAISER FOR A PLACE TO SLEEP

As an added incentive for those of you willing to host your own "mini online campaign" for A Place to Sleep on September 13, anyone who does raise at least \$1,000 will be entered into a drawing for this beautiful four piece La-Z-Boy patio set donated by our friends at Casual Living Brands in Simpsonville. This challenge also goes out to anyone who doesn't use the internet, but still brings in at least \$1,000 in donations. **** (Matching donations do not count toward prize amount.)**



Bring La-Z-Boy Outdoor to your patio and experience the relaxing comfort and quality known to La-Z-Boy. The Bristol collection has classic style and bold garnet color putting the perfect accent on your outdoor space. The Bristol 4 Piece Seating Set is built to last, featuring a frame of hand-woven wicker over heavy-duty steel that is double coated for maximum rust protection. The Loveseat and Lounge Chairs have plush cushion backs and supportive seat cushions covered with the soft feel and durability of all-weather outdoor Sunsharp fabric. Sunsharp is durable; stain, mildew and fade resistant; with anti-fading, bright, vibrant color. The stripe of the Toss and Lumbar Pillows blends butter, rust, red of the cushions and

chocolate brown of the wicker. The coffee table has glass top with wicker edge and 2nd tier for storage. Stay cool and calm in your La-Z-Boy Outdoor Bristol 4 piece Seating Set.

VALUE \$799.00



Thank you, one and all, for a wonderful Bible School 2018! We had multi-generational fellowship four Sundays after worship in June & July followed by Bible study and service. After youth and adults had separate Bible study time, we went together to:

Colonial Halls to decorate their sidewalks, play corn hole in their yard and share ice cream sandwiches together.

Greenway Trail from 7th Street to the soccer fields on Washington Street, picking up trash.

A Place to Sleep to sort and fold bedding.

Serenity Center to tour the facility, help put away the food collected at church, and find ways we could serve in the future.

Special thanks go out to:

Cindy Green, Stephanie Schmidt, Joyce & Janet Kalmey, and Abby Dew who provided our lunches.

Ruth Welch who oversaw the kitchen to make sure we had the supplies and staff needed.

Barbara Troyer and Martha Flood who cleaned up after each lunch so the learning could begin on time.

Boyd and Susie Phillips for ice cream sandwiches to share with our friends at Colonial Halls.

Cindy Green, Stephanie Schmidt, Linda Shepard, and Beth Herrinton-Hodge who taught Old Testament lessons to our children.

Stephanie Schmidt who researched and planned the children's Old Testament lesson each week.

Paul Schmidt, Sally Zaring, Jay Hodge and Libby Pollett who led adult Bible study.

Lawson Zaring and Cecilia Jones for providing fun and games for our youth after study time.

Carolyn Clayton who played hymns for adult worship each time she was needed.

Frances Hall and family who provided a nursery each week during worship.

Lynn Whittaker and Sally Zaring for helping plan our outreach/mission activities.

Lynn Whittaker who arranged for us to help at A Place to Sleep and arranged our tour of Serenity Center.

And especially to Sally Zaring for her continued support and ability to make things happen.

Look at the pictures on the following page and share the joy!

Willing to Serve



Above, Ben Hall and Kennedy Collins carefully check the labels on donated items to make sure they are placed in the proper section on the shelves at the Serenity Center. These items were donated by members of First Presbyterian Church.

Left, Todd Hall and Mark Whittaker help Callaway Zaring find the correct area for a box of cake mix, while Katie and Sam Hodge explore the shelves for placement of their items. Meanwhile, Abby Dew and Libby Pollett, in the background, are plotting their escape! (Just kidding, they were helping sort and place items, too.)




And a couple of repeats....

AWAKE MINISTRIES

houses both men and women (in separate houses) recovering from addictions and have ever present basic house needs. If anyone is so inclined, donations of the items below would be greatly appreciated. Items may be dropped off or delivered to:

Awake Ministries
 701 Washington Street
 Monday-Friday
 8:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m.



Grocery List

- Laundry Detergent, _____
- Fabric Sheets, _____
- Tall Trash Bags, _____
- Liquid Hand Soap, _____
- Coffee, _____
- Powered Creamer, _____
- Sugar Packets _____



**ITEMS NEEDED FOR
 PAINTED STONE
 ELEMENTARY
 ART CLASSES**

From Maree Collins

Thank you for all you've done to help make the art classes at PSE possible, enjoyable and educational. The students have learned that when you don't have a lot of money to spend, be creative and recycle!

After cleaning out my supply cabinets, what we **DO NOT NEED MORE OF ARE:**

Plastic containers
 Cereal boxes
 We have plenty of these on hand right now. **THANK YOU!**

WE CAN ALWAYS USE:

Empty toilet paper, paper towel and wrapping paper tubes

Paper of all kinds (construction, bond, water color, sketch, card stock scrapbook, etc.)

Needlepoint, embroidery, and crochet supplies of all kinds, including hoops.

Please feel free to drop items off at Painted Stone during the regular school day OR place in the red storage tub near the back of Fellowship Hall.

**SERENITY
 CENTER
 FOOD BANK**

Volunteers with a truck are needed to pick up food donations from our local Kroger and/or Walmart for the Serenity Center. Contact Gerald Sebree at 647-5555 for more details and information.



**DARE TO CARE
 FOOD BANK**

You can volunteer to help sort items for Dare to Care with the Serenity Center volunteers. Second Monday of each month, meet at the Serenity Center on 7th Street at 7:45 a.m. Carpool to Dare to Care in Louisville. Done and back home by noon. Try it once. You might find you enjoy it!

In Our Hearts & Prayers



Since our last issue, we lift up the following in our prayers:

Everyone as school starts, especially teachers and students
 Gary & Mary Steinhilber
 Janis LeMaster
 Jewell Davis
 Nancy Finney
 Sam Eyle
 Sue Davis' brother, Kip
 The families living in Marian Village Apartments, Shelbyville
 The Family of Bill Adams
 The Family of Geoff Long
 The Herrinton Hodge Family

We continue to lift up:

Anne Armstrong & Family
 Becky Bura
 Bob & Jacquie Lier
 Bob & Nancy Pearce
 Brenda Seacat
 Carolyn Chesher
 Carolyn Clayton
 Charlene Herrinton
 Dottie Segretto
 Jeff Quire
 Jeff Simpson
 Jewel Davis & Daughter, Brenda
 Jim & Jan Bonner
 Joyce Dotson
 Libby Sears Nethery
 Linda Casey
 Lisa Beasey
 Lynne Chenault
 Marie Ridgeway
 Rodman Brown
 Ruth Wilson
 The Garbat-Welch Family
 The Family of Jerry Tygrett
 The Jasper Family

PURE OF HEART PEACEMAKERS INHERIT THE EARTH
 MEEK
 CHILDREN OF GOD POOR IN SPIRIT
 SATISFIED
 THE KINGDOM OF HEAVEN
The Beatitudes SEE
 MOURN HUNGER AND THIRST
 OBTAIN COMFORTED
 MERCY OF RIGHTEOUSNESS PERSECUTED

We give thanks to God for:

Abbey Hall starting classes at UofL and working at UPS
 All those celebrating birthdays, including: Abby Dew, Kristy Hall, Geo Cook, and Cecie Jones
 Amelia and Sam White & family visiting
 Chris Dew's family visiting
 Jon Avent sharing his musical talent during worship
 Mark & Lynn Whittaker celebrating the 40th anniversary
 Michelle Fulton sharing her gift of singing
 Steve, Alaine and Seth Shepard visiting in KY
 The continued recovery of the Herrinton Hodge Family (*Volunteers to prepare meals are no longer needed. The family is thankful for all everyone has done.*)
 The joy seen in the Myanmar Refugee Family who have come from a terrible situation to a place of hope.
 The Redmon Family bringing baby James to worship
 Tiffany Walker bringing an inspiring message during worship
 Tom Seacat



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
29 Children's Fifth Sunday Outing Uspiritus Fifth Sunday Offering 9:45 AM Sunday School for All Ages 11:00 AM Worship 12:15 PM "Good Grief" 3:00 PM Lascito LYC Concert 7:30 PM NA/AA 12-Step Group Meeting	30	31 3:30 PM Emerging Artists 7:00 PM Boy Scouts 7:30 PM NA/AA 12-Step Group Meeting	1 12:00 PM Food Distribution at Serenity Center	2	3 7:30 PM NA/AA 12-Step Group Meeting	4 12:00 PM NA/AA 12-Step Group Meeting
5 HOLY COMMUNION 9:45 AM Sunday School for All Ages 10:15 AM Choir Rehearsal 11:00 AM Worship 12:15 PM "Good Grief" 7:30 PM NA/AA 12-Step Group Meeting	6	7 3:30 PM Emerging Artists 7:00 PM Boy Scouts 7:30 PM NA/AA 12-Step Group Meeting	8	9 10:30 AM FPC serves lunch at God's Kitchen	10 7:30 PM Emerging Artist Recital 7:30 PM NA/AA 12-Step Group Meeting	11 12:00 PM NA/AA 12-Step Group Meeting
12 LOVE SUNDAY 9:00 AM Outreach Ministry Meeting 9:45 AM Sunday School for All Ages 10:15 AM Choir Rehearsal 11:00 AM Worship 12:15 PM "Good Grief" 7:30 PM NA/AA 12-Step Group Meeting	13	14 3:30 PM Emerging Artists 7:00 PM Boy Scouts 7:30 PM NA/AA 12-Step Group Meeting	15 10:00 AM Congregational Care 12:00 PM Newsletter articles due	16	17 7:30 PM NA/AA 12-Step Group Meeting	18 12:00 PM NA/AA 12-Step Group Meeting
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Are you interested in learning more about what's going on in other churches in our Presbytery? Check out Mid-Kentucky Calling, the weekly newsletter of Mid-Kentucky Presbytery. Upcoming events, service projects, prayer requests, lots of good information. Click below to go to the latest newsletter. If you like it, you can subscribe for free.

<https://mailchi.mp/Oac75f86ba80/mid-kentucky-calling-newsletter-july-24-2018?e=f67eb75773>

Save the Dates



Worship
in the
Park

September 30

WOMEN'S



December 8

A PLACE TO SLEEP

GIVE 
FOR GOOD
LOUISVILLE™

HOSTED BY COMMUNITY FOUNDATION OF LOUISVILLE

THE BIGGEST DAY OF LOCAL GIVING

September 13



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Articles for
September's
First Word
are due by
12:00 noon,
August 15.

We pray for our military family & friends:

Alaine Shepard, medic US Army, wife of Steve Shepard, daughter-in-law of Linda Shepard
Brandon Pettyjohn
Brandon Brouillet, father of Tyler Brouillet
Carmen Aragon Corum, sister of our childcare workers
Daniel Ehrichs, nephew of Joanne Burke
David Luebke
Frank Renner, US Navy, Leslee Bottorff's son
Gabriel Romeo, US Army, brother of our childcare workers
Hannah Riddle, US Air Force, granddaughter of Carlen & Jenny Pippin
Hunter Moore, US Marine Corps, Tom & Brenda Seacat's nephew
Jack Walters
Jared Bentley, US Marine Corps, Tom & Brenda Seacat's nephew
Jonathan Bowman
Lt. Col. Marshall MacClellan, US Air Force chaplain, currently stationed in GA, nephew of Nancy Sears
Matthew Harper, Alaine Shepard's son, US Army
Ryan Donaldson, grandson of Joanne Burke
Seth LeMaster, US Marines, family of Lynn & Mark Whittaker
Spencer Goetzinger, US Army, husband of Bobbie Renner Goetzinger, son-in-law of Leslee Bottorff
Todd Dillon, US Army, friend of the Whittakers



(If you have additional information regarding any of the folks listed above or have someone else to add to the list, please contact Lynn Whittaker or leave with the church office.)

**CONTINUE SAVING
PLASTIC BOTTLE TOPS
FOR THE PARK**

Carlen Pippin is collecting plastic bottle tops to recycle into a bench for Shelby County Parks. Just like you did for Painted Stone Elementary, collect and save all those plastic tops and lids. Give them to Carlen or leave in the Fellowship Hall.

Norma Beasey, self-proclaimed "Bag Lady", is still collecting:

- Box tops** for Education for local schools
- Coupons** current or expired for military personnel
- Old cell phones** for military personnel
- Ink cartridges from ink jet printers**
- Pull tabs** from cans (soda, soup, etc.)
- Postage stamps** cancelled
- Shoes** any condition for Water Step
- Magazines** for Second Time Around
- Eye glasses**, cases, etc.

