## "Comfort, O comfort my people, says your God." ~Isaiah 40:1

# WELCOME to worship at Poulsbo First Lutheran Church.

Please take a moment to complete this <u>online Keeping In Touch form</u> to register your attendance at our online worship service and to write your prayer requests in the comment section of the poll or send them via email to <u>welcome@pflc.org</u>.

### PARISH NEWS FOR MAY 10

**PRAYERS FOR HEALING, HEALTH & PEACE FOR:** Janet; Craig Meadors; Richard Sparks; Kim & Brian; Gus & Mac; Kris; Uncle Dale; Tracy; John & Gerry; Sheri; Bev; Chance; Karen D.; Marlene & Rod Nilsson; Anna; Irmgard; Eric Allert; Marni Nicholson; Mary Davis; Karla; Bob; Daniel; Molly; Emily; Eleanor; Mike; Bobby; Cindy; Melinda; Jackson; Ben Faustino; the Hull family; Grant; Mark; Lynda; Al Webb; Coral; Rich; Mike.

#### **PRAYERS:**

- ♥ For blessings, peace and help for all who are feeling disconnected, sad, lonely, fearful, angry or lost during this unprecedented time in our lives.
- For patience and understanding for all so that we can have the best possible outcome and an end to this pandemic in God's time, using what we learn to better forecast other potentially lethal diseases.
- For safety for those who are now more vulnerable to domestic violence since the stay at home orders were put in place, and to the men and women in law enforcement and social services who help these individuals.
- For teachers & students, graduating seniors, and mothers.
- For our military men and women and their families who are serving here or away from home keeping us safe; for the crew of the USS John C. Stennis; for the crew of the USS Nimitz; for the crew of the USS Carl Vinson; for Lou (Rachel) DeMarco at NBK-Bangor; for Chris Gracey at Humboldt Air Station; for Ariel Jose at JBLM, Will Gratz with the 82<sup>nd</sup> Airborne, Matt (Melodie) Martinez, Rory, and Anthony in the Army; Josh, and John in the Marine Corps; for Roy in the Air Force Reserve.
- ♥ For those who serve in leadership of the ELCA, especially Presiding Bishop Elizabeth Eaton, Bishop Rick Jaech of the Southwestern Washington Synod, President Robin Steinke of Luther Seminary, President Allan Belton of Pacific Lutheran University.

### FOR OUR RESIDENT AT MARTHA & MARY: Sue Gray.

## WE LIKE TO CONTINUALLY PRAY FOR OUR CHURCH FAMILIES. THIS WEEK WE PRAY FOR:

Karin & Irmgard Klein; Patti Kratzke & Wendell Koegel; Maxine Krizan; Karol Krueger; Rick Kunz & Laura Plath.

**DURING THE PRAYERS TODAY** there is a time for you to say out loud the names of those for whom you pray. The Lord hears our prayers whether they are spoken or thought, but we speak these names so those around us may also pray for them.

## Sympathies to:

- **†** Liane Johnson and her family on the death of her father.
- † The family of Harland Svare, who died April 4.
- † The family of Vern Frykholm, who died April 24.

**Altar flowers are back in the sanctuary!** This week they are given to the glory of God by Meredith & Laurie Musick in honor of their anniversary and Norma Hanson's birthday.

### **BIBLE STUDY RESOURCES**

God Pause, <u>www.luthersem.edu/email</u>; Enter the Bible, www.enterthebible.org Working Preacher, <u>www.workingpreacher.org</u>; Lift Up Your Hearts, <u>www.worship.ca</u>

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