

***Ruth said [to Naomi], "...Where you go, I will go; where you lodge, I will lodge."
~Ruth 1:16b***

Prayers for healing, health & peace for Ron & Mary Whitney; Mark, Karen, Katherine, Hannah Stvang; Abby, Michael, Jacob, Jordan; Claire, Debbie A., Shelli, Tamara & Judd, Russell Christian, Jacovi, Willa; Dave, Cynthia; Ron & Kathy, Helen Heins' family; John, Eddie, Al Pitt, Bob, Gordy; Curtis, Zachary, Trevor, Missy, Whitney, Chuck Graham; Bill, Jackie, Ron; Greg, Chase, Chandler, Cortland, Kristin & Lucas, Kathy & Jim, Virginia, Gene & Marilyn; Greta Johnson; Lila, Bob, Jodi, Tammy, Rob, Andrew, Jim, Ann; Molly, Chelsea, Eric, Susan and family, Greta, Carol; Ann & Dennis, Marty, Joe, Milt & Donna, Yolanda's family; Scott, Amy, Ramona; AO, DW; Panchuk family.

Prayers:

- ♥ For our country, and the people of Palestine, Israel, Ukraine.
- ♥ For our leaders to act with wisdom for peace among the nations.
- ♥ Of blessings for rides to church.
- ♥ For family traveling.
- ♥ For our church families. This week we pray for: Deanna Albrecht; Karen Aldana; Greg & Debbie Allison, Tessa; Jim & Mary Angerer; Micheline Aske & Kim Reavis.
- ♥ For our residents at Crista Shores: Elisabeth Baric, Annette Isaksen, Marilyn Thorson, Isabelle Haskin, Jim & Evelyn Levey, Deanna Albrecht.
- ♥ For Roland Sanchez and the crew of the USS Nimitz; for Simon Grey and the crew of the USS America; the crew of the USS Ohio; for the crew of the USS John C. Stennis; for the crew of the USS Carl Vinson; for Lou (Rachel) DeMarco at NBK-Bangor; for Chris Gracey at Air Station Port Angeles; for Will Gratz, 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.

Today at the 10:30am service we welcome Beckham Ryan Hinz into the family of God in baptism. Beckham is the son of Jacob & Rachel Hinz. His sponsors are Ryan & Odessa Daniels and Sam & Ericka Byers.

Altar flowers are given to the glory of God by Amy Kvaalen in memory of her daughter, Olivia.

PFLC Happenings this week:

- April 22 at 9:00am – Monday Morning Ministry (MMM) in the Social Hall
- April 23 at 10:00am – Quilters in the Fireside Room
- April 23 at 6:30pm – Bible & Brew at Western Red Brewing
- April 24 at 7:00pm – Cathedral Choir in the sanctuary
- April 27 at 9:00am – Synod Educational Gathering in multiple locations throughout the building

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- **[Giving to the ministries supported by PFLC can be done through pflc.org's Tithe.ly portal, Venmo, Paypal, or by check.](#)** Thank you for your continued faithfulness in giving! Your generosity continues to make God's kin-dom known in the world.
- **Our monthly benevolence focus** for April is Lutheran Community Services Northwest (LCSNW), which offers services in the areas of behavioral health, family and community support, refugee and immigrant care, child welfare, aging and independent living, and crime victim services.
- **Would you like to be in this year's Poulsbo Viking Fest parade?** If smiling, handing out candy, hand waving, and having fun sounds good to you then we need YOU! Meet at PFLC at 1pm on May 18th and we will walk to Lions Park for the start of the parade route. If you can't come and want to donate individually wrapped candy for the parade we will gladly accept them. Please email Pauldavis@pflc.org with any questions.
- **Take me out to the ballgame!** We only have a few seats still available for the June 1st Mariners game against the Angels. Tickets are only \$10! The deadline to sign up is April 28. You can sign up on the bulletin board or by emailing pauldavis@pflc.org
- **Registration is now open** for PFLC's all-ages summer camp at Olympic Lutherhaven the weekend of July 26-28. The deadline to sign up is **TODAY**. More details can be found in the Grapevine, on the bulletin board, or by emailing pauldavis@pflc.org.
- **Facebook users:** PFLC's page now has daily posts! These posts are a daily invitation into the scripture text for the following Sunday, so you can live in the Word all week. They're also a great way to engage in

intentional digital community. If you're not seeing them in your feed, search for the PFLC page and react or comment on the posts. The more you do that, the better chance you have of seeing them organically in your feed!

- **Got faith questions?** PFLC's ministry focus on the TikTok platform will be to talk about questions of faith. If you have questions you'd like to have discussed or that you think the world wants to know about, please talk to Scarlett Madamba or [email Pastor Alison \(pralison@pflc.org\)](mailto:pralison@pflc.org).

Do God's work in God's kin-dom:

- **Donate altar flowers:** Sign up for on the bulletin board by the office (**May 5, 19, and 26 are available**), donate \$45 to PFLC (designated for altar flowers), and on that Sunday afternoon, a Care Minister will deliver the flowers to our residents in a care facility.
- **Knit Wits** are requesting donations of pink & purple yarn. They are out of those colors! Other colors will be accepted as well. Bring donations to the church office labeled "Knit Wits".
- **Help on Sunday mornings:** There are sign-up sheets with descriptions of each volunteer position at the table in the back of the sanctuary or in the narthex.
- **PFLC is looking to donate** a working condition Riso machine to another non-profit. If you know of a local group that could use it, please contact the church office.
- **Lutheran Disaster Response (LDR) uses your support** to assist with disaster response and recovery. They are on the ground with assistance in the Holy Land especially at Augusta Victoria hospital providing housing for Gazans who cannot return home after dialysis treatments. Go to [ELCA Disaster Response](#) to learn more about the ELCA's helpful hands in these emergencies and to donate. As always, 100% of your donation will go to onsite help. Administration costs are covered by our regular offerings.

Justice and Serving:

- **Lutheran Immigration and Refugee Service (LIRS)** is responding to the refugees fleeing Ukraine and those fleeing from Afghanistan by supporting the organizations in neighboring countries caring for the refugees. If you feel called by Jesus to help, go to LIRS.org and click the "donate" button. Your donation is tax deductible.
- **Lutheran Community Services Northwest (LCSNW)** also aids in settling and relocating refugees and immigrants. Offices in SeaTac. Go to <https://lcsnw.org> for more information.

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