

IN OUR PRAYERS

Imogene Giles, Kathy Darnell, Robbie McClure (Marie Dunnam's brother) Elizabeth Christensen (Kathy Skillen's niece), Arthur Skillen (Kathy Skillen's brother), Bob Hartness (Rev. Audrey's dad), and Clifton Mabry

CHRISTIAN SYMPATHY

We extend great Christian sympathy to Barry and Kim Burden and their families as his father, Rev. Dale Burden, entered the church triumphant last week. We lift them in prayer and pray for God's peace that passes all understanding to surround them during this time.

MEMORIALS

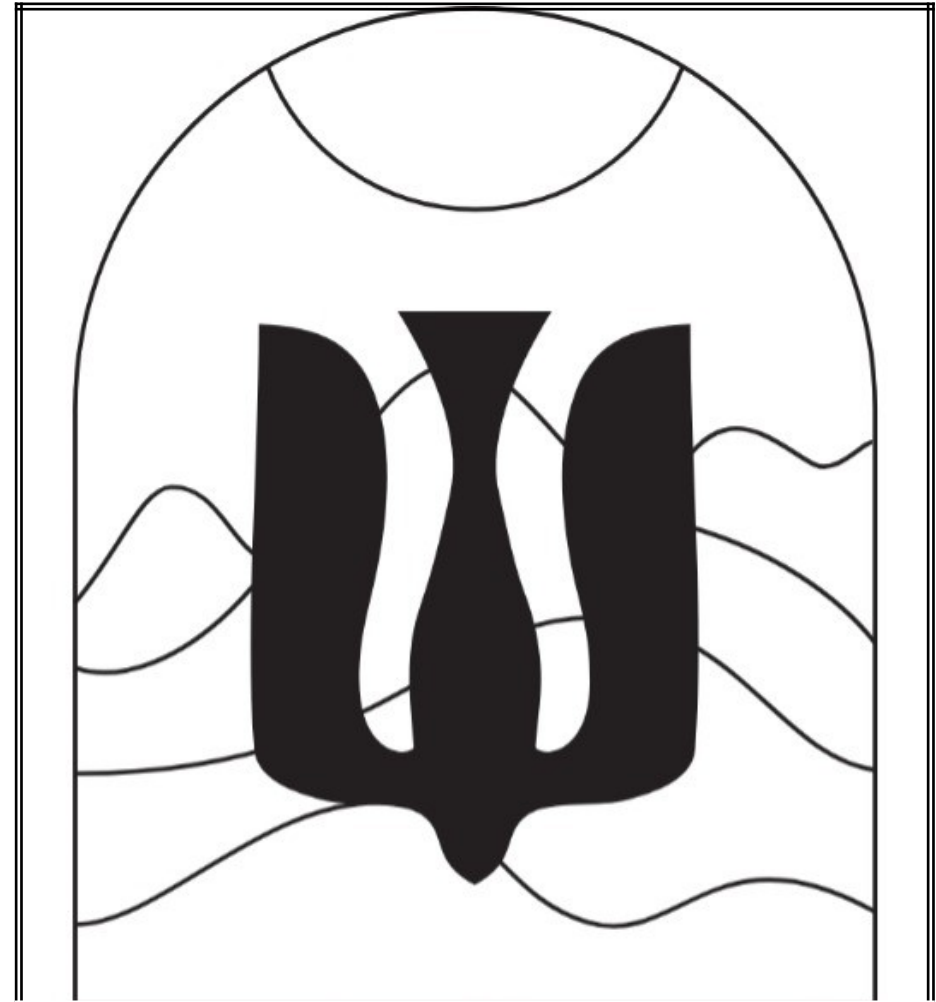
The following memorials have been given in memory of Rev. Dale Burden, Barry's father: Pat and Joey Roeder, Ann and John Merritt, and Les and Trish McCoy.

APPLE FESTIVAL THANK YOU

Many thanks to all who volunteered to make this year's Apple Festival a huge success! Whether you prayed for our safety, made pie filling, assembled the pies, sat at the booth, or did all of the above, we are grateful! A huge thank you to Debbie Therriault for organizing us all!

MISSION TRIP TO PUERTO RICO

Rev. Audrey, Ash, and Debbie Therriault are returning to Puerto Rico October 1-8 with the Tabernacle Puerto Rico. Rev. Audrey will be able to introduce Debbie and Ash to her friends in Guanica, and we will continue some important construction projects and ministry to the families in Guanica. We appreciate your prayers for safety and for God's will to be done! If you would like to contribute to the ministry of this trip, you can just mark your check or envelope as "mission/outreach." As we learn more about some tangible needs, we will update you all about items that we may be asked to donate or bring with us.



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Pentecost

September 12, 2021

11:00 A.M

GATHERING

Prelude: “For the Beauty of the Earth”.....Dix

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

We come here today not because we are clever but because God welcomes the slow learners.

We come here not because we are wise, but because God loves us in spite of our folly.

We come knowing that the greatest persons will be found among those who humbly serve like Jesus did, and that the brightest ideas and the deepest truth will come from those who see themselves as little children in Christ’s school.

O Lord, open up our minds and our hearts and enable our lives to declare your praise.

Prayer of Invocation

***Hymn 462:** “I Love to Tell the Story”.....Fischer

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

Eternal God, in whom we live and move and have our being, your face is hidden from us by our sins, and we forget your mercy in the blindness of our hearts.

Cleanse us from all our offenses, and deliver us from proud thoughts and vain desires. With lowliness and meekness may we draw near to you, confessing our faults, confiding in your grace, and finding in you our refuge and strength; through Jesus Christ your Son.

(a moment of silent reflection)

Assurance of Pardon and Passing of the Peace

THE WORD

Anthem

Prayer for Illumination

New Testament Scripture: James 3:1-12 and Mark 8:27-38

Sermon: “Out of Our Mouths ”Rev. Audrey Reese

Prayers of the People and the Lord’s Prayer

Apostles Creed (*The Glory to God Hymnal p. 35*)

Gloria Patri (*The Glory to God Hymnal, p. 581*)

***Hymn 451 :** “Open My Eyes, That I May See”.....Scott

Offertory: “Lead Me to Calvary”.....Hussey

***Doxology** (*The Glory to God Hymnal, No. 606*)

SENDING

***Hymn 450 :** “Be Thou My Vision”Evans

Benediction

UPCOMING SERMON

Our sermon next week, September 19th, will be “The Harvest of Righteousness ” with scripture readings from James 3:13-18, 4:7-8 and Mark 9:30-37 . Being a friend or friends to join us!

*In lieu of flowers, a donation has been given in memory of
Bruce Malcolm and Joy Chamberlain
By Diana Malcolm and Don Chamberlain*