

Prayers and Concerns

...pray for each other so that you may be healed. The prayer of a righteous person is powerful and effective.

Crisis in Israel
Thanksgiving for rain
Continued prayers for rain
Natural Disaster victims &
rescuers in America and
worldwide
Crisis in Ukraine
U.S. Supreme Court
Our Country's leadership
Border Crisis
Victory in Jesus over Covid
Medical Personnel
JISD School District

Connie Allgaier
Little Everett Andrews
Rileigh Bennett
Family of Ivon Bowers
Jim Bryant
Caroline Dechert & family
Jerry Dechert
Pam Fieldcamp
Dianna Goodman
Tina Haynes
John Hight
Laurie Hudson
Andrew McMahan

Denise & Bob Moody
Brenda Norton
Patty Pearl
Ed & Peaches Savage
Johnnie & Alice Schmidt
Grant Simon
Johnnie & Nancy Snow
Becky Stapper
Bill & Nita Thedford
Roger Thompson
Patsy Tuer
Bob & Beverly Weitz
Maryn & Kloe Weitz

ONGOING PRAYER REQUESTS

Keisha Allsup
Dallas Alvarado
Carlene Bowers
Jody & Bruce Brookshier
Ken Burkett
Dudley Cardwell
Pastor Steve & Sharon Curry
Dwight Davis
Ricky Davis
Liz Dechert
MiJoe Dechert
Baby Ezekiel (son of Taylor
& Katie Gentry)

Jim Hankins
Dana Harames
Wesley & Minnie Hooker
Kay Johnson
Susan Johnson
Jacob Juarez
Brooke & Peyton
Lambertson
Jimmy Lawson
Megan Long
Johnny Martinez
Sam & Dorothy McAnally

Audra McWhorter
Everett Owen Mogford
Rebecca Nowlin
Stephanie Pearl
Jennifer Rout
Cheryl Simon
Eric Sittler
Betty Smith
Dennis Smith
Frances Taylor
Jesus Vasquez
Yglesias Family

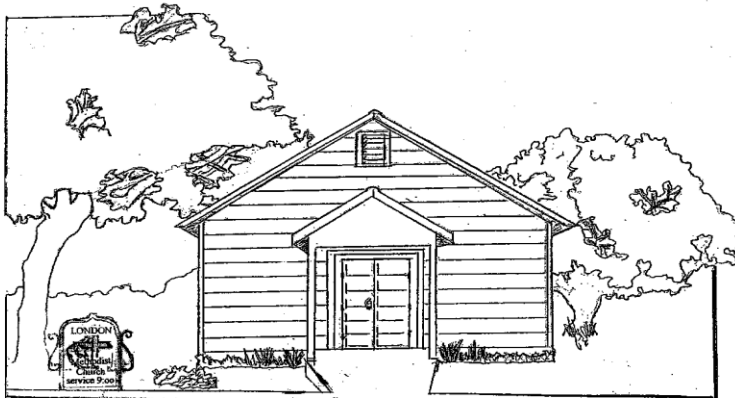
OUR MILITARY

Ben Curry, Texas National Guard, Camp Bullis, San Antonio (Curry)
Dustin Lawler, Army, Stateside Headed to Poland
JD MacIntosh, National Guard (Army Engineers), North Carolina (Booker)
Sarah MacIntosh, Army, San Antonio, Tx (Booker)
Trace Martinez, Arizona
Michael Newton, US Air Force, Hill AFB, Utah (Thompson)
Eric Sittler, Navy, Sasebo, Japan (L. Dechert)
Grayson Stanley, Air Force, PSC 1 Box 5638 APO AE 09009, Germany (Stanley)
Nathanel Warden, Army, Fort Hood
Orion Warden, Army, Starts basic September 3rd, Ft. Lee, Virginia after Basic
Charles David White, Navy, Norfolk Virginia (White)
Byron Williams (Nowlin)

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LONDON METHODIST CHURCH

February 18, 2024

9:00 am

1st Sunday in Lent

Welcome		Pastor Steve
◆ Gathering Hymn	<i>We'll Understand It Better By And By</i>	UMH #525 (1, 3, 4)
◆ The Psalm	<i>Psalm 25:1-10</i>	UMH #757
		Lay Reader
◆ Hymn of Praise	<i>Oh How I Love Jesus</i>	UMH #170
◆ Affirmation of Faith	<i>Apostles' Creed</i>	UMH #880
Invitation to the Lord's Supper		UMH pg. 12
Confession and Pardon		UMH #12
Passing of the Peace	<i>The Family of God</i>	
◆ Hymn of Preparation	<i>I Can Only Imagine</i>	words next page
Children's' Time		
Offering		
Offertory Prayer		
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◆ Doxology		UMH #95
Old Testament Lesson	<i>Genesis 9:8-17</i>	Lay Reader
New Testament Lesson	<i>Mark 1:9-13</i>	Lay Reader
Sermon		
Hymn of Reflection	<i>Sanctuary</i>	words below
Congregational Prayer		
The Great Thanksgiving		
The Lord's Prayer		UMH pg. 895
Breaking of the Bread/Blessing of the Cup		
Distribution of the Elements		
◆ Song of Invitation	<i>Something Beautiful</i>	UMH #394
◆ Benediction		

GRP – Our Great Redeemer's Praise † W&S - Worship and Song † TFWS – The Faith We Sing
Cokesbury – The Cokesbury Worship Hymnal † UMH – United Methodist Hymnal
◆ Please Stand if you are able

"Sanctuary" by Scruggs and Thompson

Lord prepare me to be a sanctuary
Pure and holy, tried and true

And with thanksgiving, I'll be a living
Sanctuary for You (repeat)

TYPICAL WEEKLY SCHEDULE						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<u>9:10am</u> Worship <u>10:15am</u> Sunday School			<u>5:00pm</u> GIG <u>6:00pm</u> Youth Bible Study <u>7:00pm</u> Adult Bible Study			

I Can Only Imagine

Verse 1

I can only imagine, what it will be like,
 When I walk, by your side,
 I can only imagine, what my eyes will see,
 When your face, is before me, I can only
 imagine
 (Chorus)

Verse 2

I can only imagine, When that day comes,
 And I find myself, standing in the Son,
 I can only imagine, when all I will do,
 Is forever, forever worship you,
 I can only imagine, I can only imagine
 (Repeat Chorus twice)

Chorus

Surrounded by your glory, what will my heart feel,
 Will I dance for you Jesus, or in awe of you be still,
 Will I stand in your presence, Or to my knees will I fall,
 Will I sing Hallelujah, Will I be able to speak at all,
 I can only imagine, I can only imagine

I can only imagine, what it will be like,
 When I walk, by your side, I can only imagine