"Growing God's Kingdom"



TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

November 13th, 2022 **MESSIAH LUTHERAN CHURCH**

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TODAY'S INTRODUCTION: The end is near. There is no doubt about it. The warnings are dire. The tone of today's texts is ominous. But the baptized know how to live in the meantime. The baptized are strengthened for the living of these days in word and sacrament. The baptized rally around the invitation of the apostle: "Do not be weary in doing what is right."

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THANKOFFERING SUNDAY November 13, 2022 – 10:30 a.m.

*Please Stand as YOU Are Able

PREPARATION

CHIMES
GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS
PRELUDE

[Please use the prelude as a quiet time to prepare yourself for worship.]

VETERANS DAY RECOGNITION PRAYER

Lord of Justice, Lord of Mercy, we remember and give thanks today for all those who have served our nation keeping us safe from those who would threaten us with harm. Bless the men and women of each generation who have responded and served our nation on land, sea and in the air. Keep them safe in their duty and keep us all mindful of our obligation to them to provide for them, their families, and when injured for their care. Help us to provide for their needs as they have for us. Most of all, grant that we may be at peace with our neighbor and your kingdom prevails. Amen.

INTRODUCTION

Women of the Lutheran church have been gathering for Thankoffering services since the early 1900's. It is a tradition grounded in our celebration of community. We meet together as faithful women to joyfully give thanks and praise for what God has given to us. This year, in celebration of our 34th anniversary, the Thankoffering service features prayers, and litanies from Thankoffering services in years past.

* LITANY FOR GATHERING

- WL In the name of the Triune God
 - C Let us remember the discipleship of courageous women of faith. Amen.
- WL The Lord delights in all those who come to the house of the Lord to praise and glorify God's holy name.
 - C Happy are those whose hearts are filled with joy in serving the Lord!
- WL The Lord gives wisdom to those with humble and simple hearts. How wonderful it is to celebrate the discipleship of our faithful women.
 - C Happy are those whose hearts are filled with joy in serving the Lord!
- WL Listen, children of God. How mighty are the deeds of the Lord, which transform the hearts of the faithful.
- ALL Happy are those whose hearts are filled with joy in serving the Lord!

 O God, pour out your wisdom once again upon the young and old, the faithful and courageous women of this congregation. Bless them so that their spirits are strengthened and renewed through the celebration of this Thankoffering service; through the merits of your beloved son, Jesus Christ, we beseech you for your guidance. Amen.

* PRAYER OF THE DAY

WL Almighty God, you created the wind to carry the seed, the rain to water the plant, the sun to nourish the fruit; in these miracles we see the pattern of your holy presence in all that we have. Keep us mindful of the source of our possessions and accomplishments, that we may eagerly share your gifts with those in need. In the name of Christ we pray.

ALL Amen.

THE SERVICE

* ENTRANCE HYMN "Come, Ye Thankful People, Come" #407 Green Hymnal

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON: Deuteronomy 8:7-18a

The First Lesson is from the 8th chapter of Deuteronomy.

THE LESSON READS:

⁷For the Lord your God is bringing you into a good land, a land with flowing streams, with springs and underground waters welling up in valleys and hills, ⁸a land of wheat and barley, of vines and fig trees and pomegranates, a land of olive oil and honey, ⁹a land where you may eat bread without scarcity, where you will lack nothing, a land whose stones are iron and from whose hills you may mine copper. ¹⁰You shall eat your fill and bless the Lord your God for the good land that he has given you.

¹¹"Take care that you do not forget the Lord your God by failing to keep his commandments, his ordinances, and his statutes that I am commanding you today. ¹²When you have eaten your fill and have built fine houses and live in them ¹³and when your herds and flocks have multiplied and your silver and gold is multiplied and all that you have is multiplied, ¹⁴then do not exalt yourself, forgetting the Lord your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery, ¹⁵who led you through the great and terrible wilderness, an arid wasteland with poisonous snakes and scorpions. He made water flow

for you from flint rock. ¹⁶He fed you in the wilderness with manna that your ancestors did not know, to humble you and to test you and in the end to do you good. ¹⁷Do not say to yourself, 'My power and the might of my own hand have gotten me this wealth.' ¹⁸But remember the Lord your God, for it is he who gives you power to get wealth, so that he may confirm his covenant that he swore to your ancestors, as he is doing today.

L: The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God. (spoken)

PSALM: 103 (vs. 1-5, 19-22)(responsively)

¹Bless the LORD, O my soul, and all that is within me, bless God's holy name.

²Bless the LORD, O my soul, and forget not all God's benefits—

³who forgives all your sins and heals all your diseases;

⁴who redeems your life from the grave and crowns you with steadfast love and mercy; ⁵who satisfies your desires with good things so that your youth is renewed like an eagle's.

¹⁹The Lord's throne is established in heaven; God's dominion rules over all.

²⁰Bless the Lord, you angels, you mighty ones who do God's bidding, who obey the voice of God's word.

²¹Bless the Lord, all you hosts of God, you servants who do God's will.

²²Bless the Lord, all you works of God, in all places where God rules; bless the Lord, O my soul.

* EPISTLE LESSON: 2 Corinthians 9:6-15

The Second Lesson is from the 9th chapter of 2 Corinthians.

THE LESSON READS:

⁶The point is this: the one who sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and the one who sows bountifully will also reap bountifully. ⁷Each of you must give as you have made up your mind, not regretfully or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. ⁸And God is able to provide you with every blessing in abundance, so that by always having enough of everything, you may share abundantly in every good work. ⁹As it is written, "He scatters abroad; he gives to the poor; his righteousness endures forever."

¹⁰He who supplies seed to the sower and bread for food will supply and multiply your seed for sowing and increase the harvest of your righteousness. ¹¹You will be enriched in every way for your great generosity, which will produce thanksgiving to God through us, ¹²for the rendering of this ministry not only supplies the needs of the saints but also overflows with many thanksgivings to God. ¹³Through the testing of this ministry you glorify God by your obedience to the confession of the gospel of Christ and by the generosity of your partnership with them and with all others, ¹⁴while they long for you and pray for you because of the surpassing grace of God that he has given you. ¹⁵Thanks be to God for his indescribable gift!

L: The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God. (spoken)

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION (sung)

Al-le-lu-ia. Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of e-ter-nal life.

Al-le-lu-ia. Al-le-lu-ia.

- * GOSPEL: Matthew 25:35-40
 - P The Holy Gospel according to Matthew, the 25th chapter.
 - C Glory to you, O Lord. (spoken)

³⁵for I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed me, ³⁶I was naked and you gave me clothing, I was sick and you took care of me, I was in prison and you visited me. ³⁷Then the righteous will answer him, 'Lord, when was it that we saw you hungry and gave you food or thirsty and gave you something to drink? ³⁸And when was it that we saw you a stranger and welcomed you or naked and gave you clothing? ³⁹And when was it that we saw you sick or in prison and visited you?' ⁴⁰And the king will answer them, 'Truly I tell you, just as you did it to one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did it to me.'

- P The Gospel of the Lord.
- C Praise to you, O Christ. (spoken)

HOMILY
HYMN OF THE DAY
"Praise and Thanksgiving"
#409 Green Hymnal

* APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit, and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. On the third day he rose again, He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

* PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

WL With the whole people of Christ Jesus, let us call upon God for the sake of the church, the world, and all in need of prayer.

God our Creator, you made us to be caretakers and stewards in your creation and in the church. Give us the courage and commitment to provide for the people, the places, and the ministries that you have entrusted to our care. Draw us together in the light of faith and hope so that we may recognize our calling to this work.

We pray in abundance.

ALL Lord, hear our prayer.

WL God our renewer, where we lead and follow, make us open to renewal and change. As we celebrate 34 years of Women of the ELCA, inspire us with the stories of our foremothers—ALC Women, Lutheran Church Women, and Women in Action for Mission—who came together in 1987 to give life to new mission and ministry as Women of the ELCA. May we be women who adapt to change with grace and curiosity. We pray in abundance.

ALL Lord, hear our prayer.

WL God our provider, you have made us to share what we receive. Thank you for the ministries of Women of the ELCA. We believe our offerings are needed, are valued, and will be used to faithfully further the mission and purpose of our churchwide women's organization. Guide us to be generous and thoughtful with our donations, our prayers, and our participation.

We pray in abundance.

ALL Lord, hear our prayer.

WL God our light, help us see into the darkness where so much wrong is done, especially the sins of domestic violence, neglect, and abuse of all kinds. Help us to follow your light into lives and situations that we might otherwise ignore.

We pray in abundance.

ALL Lord, hear our prayer.

WL God our inspiration, you call us to act boldly on our faith and you give us examples in the lives of bold women like Katie Luther and Leymah Gbowee. May we see in them our own potential to act boldly.

We pray in abundance.

ALL Lord, hear our prayer.

WL God our companion, turn our heads to see the people around us now, all gathered at this Thankoffering service to give thanks and praise to you. Bless them to know they are loved, free them from burdens too great to bear, and urge them to live in the fullness of life. We pray in abundance.

ALL Lord, hear our prayer.

ANTHEM

* PEACE

P The peace of Christ be with you always.

C And also with you.

(The congregation may greet one another in the name of the Lord from their pews at whatever level of physical contact with which they are comfortable).

OFFERING PRESENTATION

The Women of the ELCA's Thankofferings show gratitude for God's blessings and support our partnership with God in making Christ known to all the world. We are called to offer with joy and thanksgiving what God has first given us.

(The loose offering will be given to the Messiah Women of the ELCA)

* OFFERING PRAYER

WL Merciful God,

C you have shown us what is good and showered us with abundance. Accept these offerings, that, nurtured by your Word, filled with your spirit of compassion, and fed at your table, we may share with gladness and joy all that you have shared with us, until all creation is satisfied and content, through Christ our Lord. Amen

MEAL

- * COMMUNION DIALOGUE (from Isaiah 55)
 - P Let us give thanks to the Lord.
 - C For through these gifts he comes to feed us.
 - P All you who are thirsty, come to the waters. You who have no money, come, receive bread, and eat.
 - C Come, without paying and without cost, drink wine and eat.
 - P Let us come to his table with joy,
 - C for we come as God's invited guests!

* EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

P Holy, mighty, and merciful Lord, heaven and earth are full of your glory.

In great love you sent to us Jesus, your Son, who reached out to heal the sick and suffering, who preached good news to the poor, and who, on the cross, opened his arms to all.

In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me.

Remembering, therefore, his death, resurrection, and ascension, we await his coming in glory.

Pour out your Holy Spirit, that by this Holy Communion we may know the unity we share with all your people in the body of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

Through him, with him, in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all glory and honor is yours, almighty Father, how and forever.

C Amen.

* THE LORD'S PRAYER (all)

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

(If you desire, you may take a gluten free wafer located on the oak pedestal on the step in the front of the chancel).

DISTRIBUTION

["At the Chancel Rail" – come forward by the CENTER aisle; take a communion cup from the table by the front pew. Approach the altar to partake, then move to the chancel rail to pray. Then, return to your seat using the left or right SIDE aisle]. (Fellowship cups are available for those who wish to remain in your seat for communion)

- * COMMUNION BLESSING
 - P God bless you with courage, with peace and with love, that you may be empowered to freely live for God and freely give for others.
 - C Amen.
- * PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION
 - P Let us pray.
 - C O God, we give you thanks that you have set before us this feast, the body and blood of your Son. By your Spirit strengthen us to serve all in need and to give ourselves away as bread for the hungry, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

SENDING

- * BLESSING
 - P Almighty God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, bless you now and forever.
 - C Amen, Amen, Amen. (sung)
- * SENDING HYMN

"We All Are One In Mission"

#755 WOV

- * DISMISSAL
 - P Go in peace, Christ is with you. **C Thanks be to God!**

POSTLUDE

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NEXT WEEK'S LECTOR – Diana Wise

NEXT WEEK'S ALTAR GUILD - Linda Leister & Bethanie Beward

NEXT WEEK'S ACOLYTES – Stella Reed & Nick Reed

NEXT WEEK'S COMMUNION/OFFERING PRESENTERS – Sofia Reed, Gabby Reed & Hope Miller

NEXT WEEK'S MANNA BREAD BAKER - Jenn Hutchinson

WELCOME TO ALL!

VISITORS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME to worship at Messiah. We invite you to register your visit in the guest book provided in the Narthex. If you are seeking a church home, please speak to the Pastor. Our fellowship in Jesus Christ is open and extended to all persons who confess His Lordship over all life. Thank you for worshiping with us.

VISITORS ARE INVITED TO COMMUNE with us if they are baptized, and if with us in our faith, they trust Jesus' promise of the presence of the Body and Blood of Christ.

TODAY IS OUR ANNUAL WELCA THANKOFFERING CELEBRATION – A special thanks to the Messiah Women of the ELCA for organizing our worship service and to all who participated. All loose offering received plus all the Thankoffering envelopes that are included with your bulletin today will go to the churchwide Women of the ELCA for their many projects. Extra envelopes are available on the table in the Adult Sunday School Room. Please make checks payable to "Messiah Women of the ELCA." Thank you for your generosity.

AS WE MAKE OUR THANKOFFERINGS TODAY, we share in a tradition that goes back to the 1800s or even earlier. Then, when it seemed that there was not enough money to carry out the work of the church, the women would act together as "cent" or "mite" societies. Each woman would set aside offerings at home throughout the year in thanksgiving for blessings received. And on occasion, the women would come together as we do today, joining their offerings together to support ministry of many kinds. When Women of the ELCA was formed in 1987, we committed to continue this tradition of giving in gratitude for blessings. Each year, in thousands of congregations, Thankofferings are given to support the life-changing ministries of Women of the ELCA. Together, we do more than we could ever do apart. In gratitude for all God has given to us, and with the hope for all that is to come, let us now give our Thankoffering.

WE WELCOME JANE NEFF as our guest speaker today – Jane was born in Pennsylvania. She has been married for 39 years, is the mother of 3 and grandmother of 6. She earned a BA in Psychology and a MA in Education Administration as well as a credential in theology. Jane created and directed an Early Childhood Facility for 20 years and has been the Executive Director of Shelter Service, Inc. since 2016. She and her husband have been serving the Mount Union Community for the past 19 years. Jane is grateful to be invited to share about the mission at Shelter Service, Inc.

ALTAR FLOWERS are presented to the Glory of God and in memory of Max Ernest, Sr. by daughter Eleanor.

JUST A THOUGHT – John Calvin, French Reformer and Father of the Presbyterian Church (1509 – 1564): Baptism is the sign of initiation by which we are admitted into the fellowship of the church.

CONGREGATIONAL NEWS

THE DEADLINE FOR ALL ITEMS TO BE INCLUDED IN THE SUNDAY BULLETIN IS <u>THURSDAY NOON.</u>

PRAYER CHAIN – If you wish to be included on the email recipient list for the Messiah Prayer Chain, please send an email to Vicar Leister at sleister@gmail.com.

PRAYER REQUESTS will be placed in the Sunday bulletin for <u>one month</u>. If you wish to have someone included in the prayer list for an additional month, please contact the church office at 436-6213 or <u>mlchurchoffice@gmail.com</u>. If you have anyone who is a "last minute" addition after the bulletin has been printed on Fridays, please fill out an orange prayer card in the pew and lay it on the stand where the gluten free wafers are placed PRIOR to the morning worship service.

PLEASE NOTIFY THE CHURCH OFFICE for any change in addresses, phone numbers, email addresses, or for any requests for building usage. There are a lot of activities and some coordination is needed so events are not "overbooked" in any specific areas of the church (this also applies to church groups who meet in the church). Please contact the office at 436-6213 or email mlchurchoffice@gmail.com for any changes or requests.

IF ANYONE HAS ANY NEEDS OR CONCERNS, please contact Vicar Sam Leister. If you or someone you know is ill or hospitalized, please let Vicar Leister know. He can be reached at 717-436-8589 (home), or 717-348-1020 (cell), or email at sleister@gmail.com.

WEIS AND GIANT GIFT CARDS are available to purchase from the Disciples Class. This is a very important outreach ministry that helps neighbors in need in our own community. We thank each and every one for continued support of this very worthwhile project.

THE NOVEMBER "MISSION OF THE MONTH" at Messiah will again go to Lutheran Disaster Relief, to help those affected in several states by Hurricane Ian. The monies will be sent from Messiah directly to L.D.R so they may continue to serve those whose lives have been turned upside down by Ian. In addition to your generosity, the PPC allocated funds to match congregational donations up to \$1,000.00. This is just one way in which we can continue to extend our mission in Christ's love beyond the walls of our church building.

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS ARE AS FOLLOWS:

Tuesday – 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Thursday – 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Friday – 12:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

A VOTERS' ASSEMBLY will be held on Sunday, November 27, 2022 following the worship service. Business: approval of the 2023 proposed budget and minutes of the boards.

UPCOMING ADVENT SEASON & CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICES

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 27th – First Sunday of Advent. **Voters' Assembly** will be held following the worship service followed by a light luncheon. Decorating of the church will be held after the luncheon.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 4th – Second Sunday of Advent. "Hanging of the Greens" program will be held during the morning worship service. This year's focus will be on "The Meaning of Advent,."

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 11th – Third Sunday of Advent.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 18th – Fourth Sunday of Advent. **Children's Christmas Program** during the morning worship service.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 24th – Christmas Eve Prelude Concert at <u>7:00 p.m.</u> with this year's music provided by Slone Smith and Bob St. Clair. **Service of Candlelight and Communion** at <u>7:30 p.m.</u> Junior and Senior Choirs will provide anthems and "Ave Maria" will be sung by Andrea Cameron.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 25th – Christmas Day "Informal" service at 9:15 a.m. Port Royal Lutheran Parish has been invited to attend our service since they will not be having a service that morning.

WEEKLY OFFERING REPORT:

November 6, 2022 Worship Attendance – (in person 35 – online 48 – Sunday School 0)

		<u>Other Funds</u>	
Total Offering	\$1,752.00	Building Fund	\$ 113.00
Other Funds	276.00	Benevolence	93.00
General Fund	\$1,476.00	Mission of Month	<u>70.00</u>
		Total	\$ 276.00

WOMEN OF THE ELCA

WOMEN OF THE ELCA are sponsoring 6 children for the Christmas Angel Project again this year. The sign-up chart for the clothing and non-clothing items that are needed is on the bulletin board in the kitchenette. Gifts are due at the church by <u>December 4th</u>, wrapped or bagged with a name tag that includes the child's name and number on the tag.

WE WILL CONTINUE to collect donations of clothing for Packages of Hope for local families as well as children entering foster care as requested by Children's Services. The list of clothing items is included below. If you would like to purchase an item or two to donate, please place them in the appropriate storage containers located in the Adult Sunday School Room.

0-3 Years

- --Socks (2 packs each: sizes 0-3 mo, 3-6 mo, 6-9 mo, 9-12 mo, 2, and 3)
- --Onesies (2 packs each: sizes 0-3 mo, 3-6 mo, 6-9 mo, 9-12 mo, 2, and 3)
- --Pajamas (2 sets of each: sizes 0-3 mo, 3-6 mo, 6-9 mo, 9-12 mo, 2, and 3)

4-7 Years

- --Socks (2 packs each: sizes 4T, 5T, 6T, and 7)
- --Underwear (2 packs each: sizes 4T, 5T, 6T, and 7)
- --Pajamas (2 sets of each: sizes 4T, 5T, 6T, and 7)
- --Short sleeve tee (2 of each: sizes 4T, 5T, 6T, and 7)
- --Long sleeve tee (2 of each: sizes 4T, 5T, 6T, and 7)
- --Sweatpants (2 of each: sizes 4T, 5T, 6T, and 7)
- --Sweatshirts (2 of each: sizes 4T, 5T, 6T, and 7)

8-12 Years

- --Socks (2 packs of each: sizes small, medium. large, extra-large)
- -- Underwear (2 packs of each: sizes small, medium, large, extra-large)
- --Short sleeve tee (2 of each: sizes small, medium, large, extra-large)
- --Long sleeve tee (2 of each: sizes small, medium, large, extra-large)
- --Sweatpants (2 of each: sizes small, medium, large, extra-large)
- --Sweatshirt (2 of each: sizes small, medium, large, extra-large)

13-17 Years

- --Socks (2 packs of each: sizes small, medium, large, extra-large)
- -- Underwear (2 packs of each: sizes small, medium, large, extra-large)
- --Short sleeve tee (2 of each: sizes small, medium, large, extra-large)
- --Long sleeve tee (2 of each: sizes small, medium, large, extra-large)
- --Sweatpants (2 of each: sizes small, medium, large, extra-large)
- --Sweatshirt (2 of each: sizes small, medium, large, extra-large)

(Additionally, we are requesting donations of plastic storage containers to help store and organize all donated items).

WOMEN OF THE ELCA PURPOSE STATEMENT

As a community of women created in the image of God, called to discipleship in Jesus Christ, and empowered by the Holy Spirit, we commit ourselves to grow in faith, affirm our gifts, support one another in our callings, engage in ministry and action, and promote healing and wholeness in the church, the society, and the world.

COMMUNITY

HOLIDAY MEAL DONATIONS THAT ARE STILL NEEDED:

TURKEYS (AROUND 12 LBS.) OR TURKEY BREASTS, WHOLE CHICKENS, HAMS (3-5 LBS.), BOXED BROWNIE MIX, OR COOKIE MIX, BOXED STUFFING, AND TURKEY GRAVY. <u>A \$20 DONATION</u> WILL PURCHASE ONE COMPLETE MEAL!

THIS WEEK AT MESSIAH

Today: -Thankoffering Sunday.

-9:15 a.m., Sunday School & Catechetical Class. -10:30 a.m., Worship, Communion, Jr. Church.

-11:30 a.m., Light lunch following worship service in Fellowship Hall.

Monday: -6:30 p.m., The Knitters in Junior Church Room.

-6:30 p.m., Lions Club meeting in Fellowship Hall.

-7:00 p.m., AA in Disciple's Class. Area.

Tuesday: -6:30 p.m., Quilt Guild in Fellowship Hall.

Wednesday: -9:00 a.m., "The Needlers" in Fellowship Hall.

-7:00 p.m., Choir Rehearsal in Sanctuary.

Sunday: -Christ the King Sunday.

-9:15 a.m., Sunday School.

-10:30 a.m., Worship, Communion, Jr. Church.

PRAYER LIST

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PRAY FOR OUR SHUT-INS

Ken Mummah

- --Jane Marhefka -- Brookline Retirement Village, 92 Village Drive, Mifflintown, PA 17059
- --Gail Henderson & Carol Simonton Brookline Manor, 2 Manor Blvd., Mifflintown, PA 17059
- --Alice Swartz & Rich Smith Berry's Personal Care, 68 Lexi St., Mifflintown, PA 17059
- --Ruth Cisney & Ray Bramm Honneman House, 58 Honneman House Dr., Apt. 108, Thompsontown, PA 17094
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