

## THE FRIEDBERG FOLIO

#### **News from the Hill of Peace**

#### Friedberg Moravian Church

Winston-Salem, North Carolina

**Our Mission Statement:** We are a congregation grounded in Biblical truth, honoring our heritage and deep faith in the Lord Jesus Christ by proclaiming openly the Gospel through worship, witness, Bible study, missions, fellowship and service to the community.

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#### We may give little thought to the unfolding of time, But the fact is every passing second we are investing our lives in something.

-Quote from the book:

When Worlds Collide - Stepping Up and Standing Out in an Anti-God Culture

Have you ever thought about the fact that every one of us invests our lives in something? The question for us is *What* are we investing in? *What* could I - or should I - be doing so that I invest wisely? *What* - if anything - will I do differently in this new year ahead of me so that I invest my life in something (or Someone) worthwhile?

It really comes down to a question of *What* is worth investing my life in? Anyone who has a Christian background, and anyone who has taken the step to accept Jesus as the Savior of their souls and have surrendered themselves to Jesus as the Lord of their lives, knows that the things that people in the world chase after are only temporary and will not last forever. So it seems to me that it would be an easy choice - a 'no-brainer" - to understand that we are to use all of our "passing seconds" for the furtherance of God's Kingdom and that we are to wisely use the resources He has provided for us to help in that furtherance of the Kingdom of God.

Most of us who claim to be Christian know this Truth from an intellectual level, but in the book, "When Words Collide...." Mike and Daniel Blackaby contend that Christians respond to a world that needs Jesus in one of three ways:

- 1] There are Christians who are *Cave-Ins*. They succumb to the temptations and pressures of society and they "cave-in," they walk away from God and they live according to the worlds standards..
- 2] There are Christians who are "Cave Dwellers." These people attend worship and enjoy the fellowship with other Believers on Sunday, but during the week they become "Cave-Dwellers" when it comes to their faith. No one would know they are followers of Jesus.
- 3] Then there are "Colliders," those that because of their faith "Collide" with the values of the world. They aren't contentious or snarky, instead they let their Light shine for Jesus and thus show the world what real joy looks like, what true grace feels like and what a forgiven, purposeful life is all about.

The world we live in needs to experience the Love of God, the forgiveness of Christ and the assurance of life everlasting with Them in Heaven. So lets commit to NOT being "Cave-Ins" or "Cave-Dwellers." Instead lets be "Colliders" sharing the Good News of Jesus Christ this coming year. Let's "Collide" with our culture and lets expose our neighbors to a better - in fact the ONLY, TRUE - answer to victorious living.

Pastor Dan

Congratulations to Michael and Elizabeth Faircloth on the birth of their daughter, Olivia Leigh Faircloth born on Saturday, December 2, 2023. Mike and Sarah Faircloth are her grandparents.



On Sunday, December 17, 2023, we rejoiced in welcoming new members to the Friedberg Church family. We look forward to the gifts and blessings that they will bring to our church family.

Warren Alden Blower, II (Rusty) joined by reaffirmation of faith. Rusty is an auto body shop owner of Eagle Auto Body. He is married to Sheila and has two children, Marilyn and Calvin. He enjoys riding off road, motorcycles, coaching youth baseball and baking cheesecakes. His address is 1511 Enterprise Road, Lexington, NC 27295.

John Edward (Ed) and Edith Crook joined by transfer of membership. Ed is a retired project manager from RJR. He enjoys metal working and working with his tractor. Edith is retired from raising children and from 20 years working for Wachovia. She enjoys the Bethel studies, raised bed gardening and crafts. Their address is 3270 Peters Creek Parkway, Winston Salem, NC 27127.

**Samuel D. (Sam) and Carrol (Denece)** joined by reaffirmation of faith. Sam is retired and enjoys golf and the guitar. Denece is also retired and enjoys walking on the beach at OBX and spending time with their grandchildren and family. Their address is 5929 Moravia Road, Winston Salem, NC 27127.

**Peggy McMahan** joined by reaffirmation of faith. Peggy is a retired teacher from the Lexington City Schools. She enjoys working outdoors, particularly gardening. Her address is 1891 W. Clemmonsville Road, Winston-Salem, NC 27127.

**Ruth Kathleen Myers** joined by letter of transfer. We are happy to welcome Ruth back to Friedberg. Ruth lost her beloved husband, Frank, in November of 2023. They were married 70 years. She enjoys sewing and baking. Her address is 943 Enterprise Road, Lexington, NC 27295.

Christopher (Chris) and Jessica Smith along with their children Gabe and Rory joined by letter of transfer. Chris is a medium Equipment Operator for the City of Winston Salem. He enjoys sports, games (board and video) and cooking. Jessica is a paramedic for Davidson County EMS. She enjoys cooking, camping and handbells. Gabe is a student at Northwest Elementary School. He enjoys taekwondo, soccer, flag football, playing games, swimming and playing with his brother. Rory is also a student at Northwest Elementary School. He enjoys Bluey, Peppa Pig, playing with his 2 cousins, dancing, swimming and playing with his big brother. The Smith's address is 269 Farmbrooke Lane, Winston Salem, NC 27127.

Josh and Melissa Webb and their twins Sawyer and Lucy joined by transfer of membership. Josh is a biomedical technician/image engineer with Trimedx at Forsyth Medical Center. He enjoys amateur radio and camping. Melissa is an account manager at the law firm of Craig, Jenkins, Liipfert & Walker. She enjoys running, plants and board games. Sawyer is in the 2<sup>nd</sup> grade at Wallburg Elementary School. He likes cars, riding his bike and swimming. Lucy is also in the 2<sup>nd</sup> grade at Wallburg Elementary School. She likes to draw, write books and board games. Their address is 244 Willowcrest Drive, Winston Salem, NC 27107

Charles (Chuck) Ray Willard joined by reaffirmation. Chuck is retired. He enjoys camping, roller speed skating, sound engineering and photography. His address is 710 West Clemmonsville Road, Winston Salem, NC 27127.

**Unity Prayer Watch** is an unbroken chain of prayer that has been a vital part of the life and ministry of the Moravian Church for decades. Friedberg's assigned portion of the prayer watch is **Thursday**, **January 4**, **2024**, from midnight – 8:00 a.m. Please consider making a commitment to pray for one or more 30-minute segments of time. A sign-up sheet, along with an extensive list of prayer concerns, is posted on the bulletin board across from the church office.



inspiration, and breakfast! First Friday Breakfast is January 5th, 7

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Year

New

AM sharp. Pastor Dan Nelson will provide the inspiration. You bring the fellowship, and we'll provide the breakfast.



As our 250<sup>th</sup> Anniversa ry celebration comes to a close - we are celebrating 22 episodes and over 1,500 downloads of our church podcast!

As part of our 250th Anniversary celebration, we are excited about our new church podcast — History From The Hill of Peace! This bi-monthly podcast offers a glimpse into the history of Friedberg Moravian Church. Our guests take an audio journey from Friedberg's humble Moravian roots to where we are today, while celebrating generations of God's goodness, faithfulness, and love. New audio episodes are released twice a month! Be sure to listen to our new two episodes, released in August:

Episode 21: WWI Solders & Veterans Memorial-Featuring: Jimmie Snyder, Donald Cockerham, Charles Ketner, & Paloma Battle - We briefly revisit the church's historical room and talk about a piece of furniture hidden in plain sight. Friedberg's Church Historian, Jimmie Snyder, also discusses Friedberg's 14 World War I veterans, whose names were published in The Wachovia Moravian, and he asks for the public's help in finding out more information about these individuals. We also chat with Donald Cockerham and Charles Ketner about the development, construction, and dedication of Friedberg's stunning Veterans Memorial and Flagpole Terrace. It honors and recognizes all past, present, and future men and women of Friedberg Moravian Church who have served in the United States Military - honoring their bravery and sacrifice - and sharing their legacy for future generations.

#### **Episode 22: Moravian Lovefeast & Head Dieners**

Featuring: Jimmie Snyder, Thomas Brann, & Carter Stone - One of the most beloved Moravian traditions is Lovefeast. Based on the Agape, the "Meal in Common", of early Christians, it is a simple meal served during the singing of hymns as a symbol of love and fellowship. Today, Moravian Lovefeast consists of warm mugs of sweetened coffee and buns - but that hasn't always been the case. In this episode Friedberg's Church Historian, Jimmie Snyder, discusses the history of the Moravian Lovefeast, beginning with the first Lovefeast held in Bethabara on November 17, 1753. He also shares some personal anecdotes from his six years as Head Diener. Thomas Brann, Friedberg's current Head Diener, also reflects on his recent Lovefeast memories and discusses his aspirations for Friedberg's future.

**Friedberg's Blessing Box** supports members of the local community, as they can take what they need and replace it with something for someone else, if they can. We've all needed a little help in our lives, and as Christians, we are instructed to love our neighbor as ourselves.

The Blessing Box Requested Item of the Month for January is **Warm Clothing.** Some of the suggested items are gently used or new:

Gloves, Winter Hats/Toboggan Scarves Socks. Everyone is encouraged to donate to the Blessing Box, as this is a physical ministry opportunity located on the church property. Donation bins are located around the church. Please contact any member of Women's Fellowship Circle 4, for any questions.

#### **BWM 2024 Watchword**

Are any among you suffering? They should pray. Are any cheerful? They should sing songs of praise. James 5:13. For centuries, Moravians have had a tradition of choosing daily watchwords that are printed in our Daily Textbook and used for daily devotions. Many Moravians also chose watchwords for the year, which is generally done around the new year. Watchwords are scripture texts, randomly selected, that invite us to reflect on how God might be guiding and leading us. For 2024, the Watchword chosen to lead and guide the Board of World Mission staff invites us to pray in times of suffering and sing songs of praise when there is joy. Right now, the BWM staff is seeking to provide clean water where there has been consistent flooding in Honduras, purchasing medical debt to eliminate this burden for families in the US and Honduras who cannot pay, and providing stipends for teachers in Ukraine as the war continues. We are also singing songs of praise for the outpouring of support for these projects from all over the US and Canada. Your giving allows the Board of World Mission to be an answer to the prayers of those who are suffering and to join them in singing songs of praise for God's never-ending love.

February Folio newsletter items are needed by Friday, January 19. please.

## Monthly Church Financial Update (Through 11/30/23) Budget:

\$ 922,405.18
\$ 929,043.28
\$ -6,638.10

**Mission Fund:** 

Beginning Balance 1/1/23: \$ 14,728.02
Receipts: \$ 63,763.47
Expenditures: \$ 65,849.79
Ending Balance: \$ 12,641.70

Love Learn Serve

Director of Youth - Karen Hill

High School Boys – David Hopkins and Sean Tatman

High School Girls – Melissa Davis and Michelle Decker

Middle School Boys - Riley Hill

Middle School Girls – Chloe Williamson and Katie Hill

### **Friedberg Moravian Youth Mission Statement**

FM Youth will **LOVE** one another as Christ loves us, we will **LEARN** about God, so we can use our gifts and talents for His purpose, and we will **SERVE** others as an expression of Christ's love, and we will **SHARE** the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

## Confirmation Class Weekend January 5<sup>th</sup> - 7<sup>th</sup>



The confirmation class is traveling to Laurel Ridge for a weekend of learning about the Bible, John Hus, Zinzendorf, Moravian Covenant for Christian Living and share communion together. This is a great opportunity for confirmands and mentors to gain a better understanding of Moravian background, grow closer to each other and grow

their faith in Jesus. The confirmands and mentors will also continue their study in Luke. On Friday, January 5<sup>th</sup>, all confirmands, mentors, and staff to meet at the church at 4:30.

## Parent/Youth Covered Dish January 14<sup>th</sup> 4:30-6:30 (Fellowship Hall)

Parents and Youth are invited to attend a covered dish meal on January 14<sup>th</sup>. Please bring a dish to share with everyone. This meeting will kickstart our Winter/Spring Semester. During this meeting, we will discuss the semester plans, sign up for activities, answer questions, and fellowship with one another.





# **Back to Youth January 21<sup>st</sup> 4:30 – 6:30**

The youth will begin a new study on what Jesus meant by "take up your cross and follow me". Jesus said in Matthew 16:24 "Then said Jesus unto his disciples, if any man will come after me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross, and follow me."

# Winter Retreat January 26<sup>th</sup> – 28<sup>th</sup>

The youth are headed to Glade Springs Resort in WV for a weekend of devotions, fun and a winter blast on the slopes. Whether you are a first timer or a next level skier, there's plenty of fun on the mountain. The youth will engage in a weekend study on *Evangelism*. We all love to share funny videos, pictures, encouraging words, and our time. But what about sharing the good news of Jesus Christ? When Jesus left the earth, he commanded us to go and make disciples of all nations. We'll explore different fun and creative ways to share the good news.



## Sunday School (9:45 – 10:45) Sunday, January 7<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup>, 21<sup>st</sup>, 28<sup>th</sup>

The middle and high school youth will be studying *Christ Up Close and Personal* by Josh McDowell. Through this study, the youth will gain a better understanding of what Jesus requires of Christians. We'll take a closer look at what Jesus came to

earth to show us and what the Holy Spirit instructed the apostles to write to all generations. We'll unlock the secret of Holy living and why it's so important.

The youth would like to say thank you support. Because of your support, the able to help 36 children at Christmas and blessing box. We are beyond grateful for support you demonstrate through monetary gifts and encouraging words. and a Happy New Year.



for your youth were stock the the love and prayers,



We pray you have a Merry Christmas



# Church Basketball Jan. 8<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup>, 29<sup>th</sup>

Please see the schedule on the next page. We have two teams: Friedberg Gray and Friedberg White. Games will be either at Faith Church or First Alliance.

#### **Youth Birthdays**

- Eddie Wardlow Jan. 6th
- Zeke MacLeod Jan. 11th
- Amelia Battle Jan. 18<sup>th</sup>
- Michael Johnson Jan. 24<sup>th</sup>
- Facebook Friedberg Moravian Youth
- Facebook Friedberg Moravian College Age
- Instagram Friedberg\_Youth
- Instagram Friedberg moravian college age
- Reminds type @friedbergm to 81010
- Email khill@friedbergmoravian.org

### **College Age Birthdays:**

- Emma Eggers Jan. 3<sup>rd</sup>
- Jack Cockerham Jan. 18<sup>th</sup>
- Jacob Foltz Jan. 18<sup>th</sup>





### The Chosen Bible Study

Beginning, Sunday Jan. 7<sup>th</sup> at 4:30 pm and January 10th @ 9:00 am, Lisa Jackson and Debbie James are starting season 2 of The Chosen Bible study. All are welcome to join the Bible study even if you missed season one. Contact Lisa or Debbie for more information.



#### North Davidson Church Basketball Schedule: 2023-2024

#### Week 1: Monday, November 27

Games at Faith
6:30 MS game
7:30 Faith Black vs. Faith Orange
Games at First Alliance
6:30 Center vs. Holloway
7:30 Friedberg Gray vs. Friedberg White

#### Week 2: Monday, December 4

Games at Faith
6:30 MS game
7:30 Faith Orange vs. Center
Games at First Alliance
6:30 Faith Black vs. Friedberg Gray
7:30 Friedberg White vs. Holloway

#### Week 3: Monday, December 11

Games at **Faith 6:30** Faith Black vs. Friedberg White **7:30** Faith Orange vs. Holloway
Games at **First Alliance 6:30** Center vs. Friedberg Gray **7:30** MS game

#### Week 4: Monday, December 18

Games at Faith
6:30 Center vs. Faith Black
7:30 Faith Orange vs. Friedberg White
Games at First Alliance
6:30 Friedberg Gray vs. Holloway
7:30 MS game

#### \*\*\*NO GAMES DEC 25 or JAN 1\*\*\*

#### Week 5: Monday, January 8

Games at **Faith 6:00** Friedberg White vs. Center **7:00** Holloway vs. Faith Black **8:00** Faith Orange vs. Friedberg Gray

#### Week 6: Monday, January 15

Games at **Faith 6:00** Friedberg Gray vs. Faith Black **7:00** Holloway vs. Friedberg White **8:00** Center vs. Faith Orange

#### Week 7: Monday, January 22

Games at **Faith 6:00** Fridberg Gray vs. Center **7:00** Holloway vs. Faith Orange **8:00** Friedberg White vs. Faith Black

#### Week 8: Monday, January 29

Games at **Faith 6:00** Faith Black vs. Center **7:00** Holloway vs. Friedberg Gray **8:00** Friedberg White vs. Faith Orange

#### **Tournament Schedule:**

**Feb. 5** - 1<sup>st</sup> Round (#1 & 2 teams get a bye) **Feb. 12** - 2<sup>nd</sup> Round **Feb. 19** – Championship Game

#### Notes:

- 1. Middle School players will play a separate game the first 4 weeks. Teams will be decided each night. Pinnies will be used so official t shirts will not be given out to MS teams/players.
- 2. If Davidson Co. schools are canceled for the day because of weather, we will not have games regardless of the actual weather that evening.
- 3. The first team listed is the home team. They are responsible for a 2–3-minute devotional at halftime.

Faith Church – 1078 Gumtree Rd. Winston-Salem

First Alliance Church - 1370 Arnold Rd, Lexington



#### Children's Leaders

David and Hellen Bee
Daniel Everhart
Norian and Caroline Hanes-Fordham
Holli Rhoney
Jason and Katrina Romblad

## C.R.O.S.S. KIDS WINTER/SPRING EVENTS FOR JANUARY Sunday, January 14, 21 and 28 from 4:30-6:30pm

We are going to begin a new semester of C.R.O.S.S. Kids this month and will be focusing on "I Am!" During this semester we will be looking at all of the things we are and taking them out in to the community to show how everyone can be those same things! Our topics this month will be as follows:

January 14: Introduction to "I Am!"

January 21: "I Am Kind" January 28: "I Am Brave"

We welcome you, your family and friends to our times together as we learn more about the Bible with Bible Trivia games, devotions, praise and worship

and dinner each night we gather! Come ready to have fun as we learn more about Jesus and "I Am!"



#### **CHILDREN'S CHURCH**

Sunday, January 7, 14, 21, and 28 during the 11:00am service



Children's Church will continue in January by beginning in the Sanctuary for the first little bit of the worship service. If there is a Children's Chat that day we will leave afterwards to go to the Children's Church room. If there is not, then there will be a specific time in which we will leave to go down together. Pick up will be in the Children's Church room by the parents after the service. During our time together we will praise God through music, have a small snack and participate in an activity

focused on our verse of the month. This month we are learning about Matthew 17:20, So Jesus said to them, "Because of your unbelief; for assuredly, I say to you, if you have faith as a mustard seed, you will say to this mountain, 'Move from here to there,' and it will move; and nothing will be impossible for you."

#### **SUNDAY SCHOOL**

Every Sunday from 9:45-10:45am in various classrooms on the lower level

We invite you to join us for Sunday School each Sunday morning as children split up into more age specific small groups and dive deeper into our monthly verse and themes. They have loving Sunday School teachers with awesome plans ready to go for them to help each child learn more about what plans God has for



each of their lives. Our Little Explorers (2 and 3 year olds) are continuing to learn from the Little Bible Heroes and will be meeting David and the Little Maid this month. The rest of our classes will look at Faith and how it connects with the verse from Matthew 17:20. It's a great time to gather together in a smaller group on Sunday mornings!

#### January's verse to focus on will be:



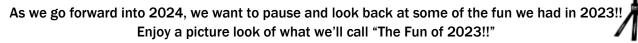
So Jesus said to them, "Because of your unbelief; for assuredly, I say to you, if you have faith as a mustard seed, you will say to this mountain, 'Move from here to there,' and it will move; and nothing will be impossible for you."

Matthew 17:20

The mustard seed...so small, yet in this verse it is made to be so big! Can you think about something you had to put all of your faith into? Can you think about something you put little to no faith into? Which one was easier to deal with? Think about that as we go through the month of January with your family. Try putting your faith into more of the uncertain things you come across since those are the things we tend to forget to have faith in. Watch that "mustard seed" move mountains!

## SPOTLIGHT ON THE CHILDREN OF FRIEDBERG...

"The Fun of 2023!!"





Heidi Everhart Director of Children's Ministry heverhart@friedberg.church

"I have no greater joy than to hear that my children are walking in truth." 3 John 1:4

	January 2024 Friedberg Activity Calendar				<u>ir</u>	
	1 New Year's Day Church Office Closed	2 6:00 PM Women's Fellowship Executive Board Mtg.	3 9:00 AM Chosen Bible Study @ Home of Lisa Jackson 7:30 PM Choir Rehearsal	4	5 7:00 AM First Men's Breakfast  Confirmation Class Retreat @ Laurel Ridge	6 9:00 AM Circle 3-Discovery Cl Confirmation Class Retreat @ Laurel Ridge
7 Communion/Installation of Church Officers 9:15 AM Band Prelude 9:20 AM Prayer Partners-Parlor 9:45 AM Sunday School 11:00 AM Worship/Livestream 4:30 PM Chosen Bible Studay @ Home of Debbie James Confirmation Class Retreat @ Laurel Ridge	8 6:30 PM Girl Scouts 6:30 PM Friedberg White @ Faith 7:00 PM C.E. Board 7:00 PM Joint Board Metting Followed by separate mtgs. 7:00 PM Boy Scouts 8:30 PM Friedberg Grey@ Faith	9 10:00 AM Circle 1 10:00 AM Circle 5 6:00 PM Circle 2-Discovery Class 6:30 PM Circle 4	9:00 AM Chosen Bible Study @ Home of Lisa Jackson 7:30 PM Choir Rehearsal	11 7:00 PM Men's Basketball	12	13
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## FRIEDBERG WF CIRCLE 2

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## FELLOWSHIP JUBILEE

## Saturday – April 27 2024

Join us for an evening of decorated tables, hors d'oeuvres, speaker Ms. Jennifer Tuttle Gentle (Ms. NC Senior America 2023) Entertainment by Friedberg Quartet, Raffle & more!

# ALL Congregation Members are invited to host a table

## All proceeds reserved for Missions

Contact: Vicki Jo Kimel #336-971-1847

Julia Hedgecock #336-408-1620

or any Circle 2 Member for more information



#### **Pray Every Day January 2024**

- 1. You see, at just the right time, when we were still powerless, Christ died for the ungodly. Pray for Charlie and Vicki Brent in Texas.
- 2. For all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God. Pray for Anna Faircloth with Young Life Ministry.
- 3. And hope does not disappoint us, because God has poured out His love into our hearts by the Holy Spirit whom He has given us. Pray for Moravians in Nicaragua.
- 4. But where sin increased grace increased call the more. Pray for Joey Yokeley with Fellowship of Christian Athletes.
- 5. Therefore, there is now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus. Pray for the Unity Women's Desk.
- 6. What a wretched man I am! Who will rescue me from this body of death? Thanks be to God through Jesus Christ our Lord! Pray for the Harrisons with Greek InterVarsity.
- 7. We ourselves, who have the first fruits of the Spirit, groan inwardly as we wait eagerly for our adoption as sons, the redemption of our bodies. Pray for the Board of World Mission.
- 8. That if you confess with your mouth, 'Jesus is Lord' and believe in your hear that God raised Him from the dead, you will be saved. Pray for Kevin and Charity in the Middle East.
- 9. Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved. Pray for the Hoffmans in HIV/AIDS Ministry.
- 10. Do not conform any longer to the pattern of this world but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Pray for PEC members, bishops and other church leaders.
- 11. Love must be sincere. Hate what is evil; cling to what is good. Pray for Adopt A Village in Tanzania.
- 12. Do not repay evil for evil. Be careful to do what is right in the eyes of everybody. Pray for disaster relief volunteers.
- 13. Rejoice with those who rejoice; mourn with those who mourn. Pray for Phil and Eunice Raiford in Mexico.
- 14. For I resolved to know nothing while I was with you except Jesus Christ and Him crucified. Pray for the Clinica Evangelica Morava in Ahuas.
- 15. For we are God's fellow workers; you are God's field, God's building. Pray for the Rajpur Foster Child Project.
- 16. Love is patient, love is kind. Pray for Moravians in Labrador.
- 17. The sting of death is sin, and the power of sin is the law. But thanks be to God! He gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ. Pray for seminarians and candidates for ordination.
- 18. Always give yourselves full to the work of the Lord because you know that your labor in the Lord is not in vain. Pray for the Blessings Flow project.
- 19. Be on your guard; stand firm in the faith; be men of courage; be strong. Do everything in love. Pray for short term mission teams.
- 20. Therefore, do not lose heart. Though outwardly we are wasting away, yet inwardly we are being renewed day by day. Pray for Aaron and Amy Linville in Canada.
- 21. Therefore, if anyone is in Christ; he is a new creation; the old has gone, the new has come! Pray for children's and youth ministries.
- 22. You know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though He was rich, yet for your sakes He became poor, so that you through His poverty might become rich. Pray for Brian and Heather Marx with Mission Aviation Fellowship.
- 23. This service that you perform is not only supplying the needs of God's people but is also overflowing in many expressions of thanks to God. Pray for Annie B Missions and Star Mountain.
- 24. Let him who boasts boast in the Lord. Pray for Alan and DeeDee lobst in France.
- 25. My grace is sufficient for you, for My power is made perfect in weakness. Pray for Anthony's Plot community.
- 26. I no longer live but Christ lives in me. Pray for the Sineaths in Campus Outreach.
- 27. But do not use your freedom to indulge the sinful nature; rather, serve one another in love. Pray for the Teshes in Kenya and Ray of Hope.
- 28. Let us not become weary in doing good. Pray for your local homeless shelter.
- 29. For we are God's workmanship, created in Him to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do. Pray for Moravians in Cuba and the Armando Rusindo Foundation.
- 30. Be completely humble and gentle; be patient, bearing with one another in love. Pray for Safiatu Braima and Sierra Leone.
- 31. Make every effort to keep the unity of the Spirit through the bond of peace. Pray for Michael and Brenda Brent in Croatia.

#### FRIEDBERG MORAVIAN CHURCH

January 2024

"The prayer of a righteous person has great power in its effect." James 5:16b

#### **MEMBERS**

William Boles	Don Faust	Irv Keck	Nancy Rierson
Everlea Bostick	Frances Faust	Yvonne Lemons	Betty Sink
Phil Carter	Mike Hampton	Rebecca Mickey	Clay Sink
Al Coleman	J.T. Hopkins	Reba Payne	Bob & Judy Smith
Tim Conley	Debbie James	Kolton Pennell	Chris Snyder
Emily Essick	Larry Jarvis	Mary Lou Pitts	Larry Snyder
Jerry Evans	Robbie Joyce	Martha Plyler	Jerry & Gail Tolley

#### **MEMBERS AND RELATIVES IN MILITARY**

Dylan Bundy Dylan Coleman Ben Greeson Jennifer Greenwood Dakota Holtzclaw Alex Kennedy Patrick Mickey Daniel Randleman Colton Scott Jon Eric Spaar, Jr.

Ryan Spach Brandon Thompson Aidan Wheeler

## FRIEDBERG MORAVIAN CHURCH PRAYER LIST FOR FAMILY AND FRIENDS

Bill Barham
Payton Eccles
Family of Mike Harrington
Ronnie Hicks
Eddie Johnson

Barbara Koonts Larry Koontz Family of William Marshall Family of Chasey Messick Shelby Miller Mary Alice Myers James & Amanda Newton Spencer Parks Jessica Pherson Don Phillips Roger & Patty Swing Nick Wimmer

All of the names that were on the previous Family and Friends List have been deleted. If the person(s) for which you had submitted a prayer concern still needs prayer, please let the church office know by calling (336)764-1830 or sending Sherri Phillips an email at <a href="mailto:sphillips@friedberg.church">sphillips@friedberg.church</a>. We will be glad to put them back on the prayer list. You can also submit prayer requests on-line on Friedberg's website at <a href="mailto:swww.friedberg.church">swww.friedberg.church</a>. If their prayer needs have been met, please let the office know so we can remove them. These names will remain on the prayer list for 30 days and will then be removed. If they still need prayer, contact the church office and we will add them back each month until their prayer concerns have been met.

Pastor: The Rev. Jim Newsome, Jr. Assoc. Pastor: The Rev. Dan Nelson Karen Hill Acolytes:

Directory of Youth: Children Ministry Director: William Boles Heidi Everhart Joe Landreth **Music Director:** Debbie Foltz Richard Reich Preschool Director: Band Director: Jimmie Snyder April Bundy

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Jo Brann* .	2024	Ike Bra	nn *	2024	Joe Boles*	2024	
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Janet Williamson*	2024	Richard	d Reich*	2024	Missy Beck*	2025	
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Ronnie Hartman	2026	Ray Lambeth		2026			
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