

Dear Friends,

Greetings from Chapel Hill, North Carolina!  
I pray that you are all healthy in Body, Mind  
and Spirit!



I'm up here attending the third session of  
the Reynolds Leadership Program, a course of study seeking to  
enhance the leadership capabilities of United Methodist Clergy.  
It's an awesome learning process. My colleagues come from  
churches in North and South Carolina, Florida, Georgia, and  
Virginia. A great group of people! Please pray for our continued  
development as leaders within our beloved United Methodist  
Church!

Speaking of leaders, I'm overjoyed to report that Madeline Baum  
has passed her interviews and will be ordained as an Elder in the  
United Methodist Church in June. Let's all pray a prayer of  
gratitude and congratulations for her tremendous  
accomplishment! The Elder track is long and sometimes arduous.  
It's truly a joy to see her flourish in ministry to our Lord and  
Savior!

My prayer for Trinity is that God sends us more leaders for us to  
raise and send as the years pass - not just clergy, but leaders for  
our local Church, our District and the Florida Annual Conference.  
Our wider UMC needs people from different backgrounds with a  
variety of gifts. Let's pray that Trinity raises, teaches and sends  
the next generation of Disciples of Jesus Christ! Pray on this!

"May mercy, peace, and love be yours in abundance." - Jude  
Anil