

Read Mark 1:29-31

Where is Jesus at? _____

What does Jesus do there? _____

What happens after Jesus heals Simon's mother-in-law? _____

How can sending greeting cards give someone an experience of Jesus' hand reaching to them? _____

What are typical times we send greeting cards in our society? _____

Homebound members

- Don Reynods
- Margy Moburg
- Wendell and Lorene Nelson
- Marlys Dobry
- Pat Root
- Linda Ellison
- Ila Roseberry
- Delores Johnson



Valentine's Day—February 14th

A day on the church calendar that has become a commercial and cultural holiday moreso than a church celebration.

Originating on the church calendar in 496, the date honored the death of a saint named Valentine. Though who Valentine was is

not very clear.

Other members to consider

- Anna Lovdahl
- Loretta Reynolds
- Margaret Hackspacher
- Marlene Moulden
- Eloise Swisher
- Carol Hanson

Various stories record miracles performed by a man named Valentine who, in the third century, was sentenced to death for simply having faith in Jesus.

One story has Valentine healing his jailer's daughter's sight. And writing a note to her before his death which he reportedly signed, "Your Valentine."

Most of what we associate with the romance of Valentine's Day began in the 14th and 15 centuries. In the mid 18th century images of the heart and doves became connected with the holiday in England, and in the 19th century mass-produced cards took over from personalized hand-written cards.

(This list is not meant to be complete ... who else are you thinking of at church that should receive a Greeting card?)

Share a Valentine's Day Greeting this year with a member of our church. Let them know you are thinking of them and can't wait until we can all be reunited with in-person worship.