### PRAYERS FOR THE CHURCH AND FOR THE WORLD:

# For Family and Friends:

Russell Campbell Roger Daniels Jeff Duff Wanda Hanna Debbie Hall David Hickey Earline Hickey Avis Kessler Mac Kirkpatrick James Matthew Tom McLaughlin Joyce Rauch Zulla Russell Hazel Sisk Roy Sisk Henry Symanski Dougie Thompson Larry Underwood

#### For Those Who Grieve:

the Richards Family

#### For the Church and For the World:

For those with COVID-19, and those caring for COVID-19 patients.

For first responders, and the military, and their families.

For God's People, The Church, and the World.

Prayers for national, state, and local leaders; and for our Nation.

If you know someone you would like to add to our prayer list, please forward your request to the church office by email at: secretaryrumc@gmail.com, or by calling (540) 364-1066.

### **RUMC CELEBRATIONS**

### **Birthdays**

None.

#### **Anniversaries**

Linda and Roger Daniels, Saturday, May 1st

## **UPCOMING MEETINGS and EVENTS**

Healthy Church Team – Tuesday, May 4th at 7:00 pm. Admin Council – Thursday, May 6th at 7:00 pm. Worship Committee – Tuesday, May 11th at 10:00 am Trustees – Wednesday, May 12th at 6:00 pm Homecoming – May 16<sup>th</sup> at 11:00 am (no Sunday School) SPPRC – Thursday, May 20th at 7:00 pm

# **Homecoming 2021**

May 16<sup>th</sup> is fast approaching and you can feel the excitement building as we look forward to our Annual Homecoming celebration! We're very excited to have the Rev. Dr. Bill Wade as our guest speaker and we look forward to warmly welcoming him and Laura Ellen 'home' to Rectortown UMC! If you are intending to be a part of the in-person worship that day, please remember to RSVP to let us know how many you will have with you. If you are a regular attendee, we need you to RSVP as well so we can make sure we can accommodate all of those who wish to attend that day! And, as always, don't forget to invite a friend to come along with you!

# When attending in-person worship services please remember:

- 1) We must maintain a minimum 6-foot social distance between individuals at all times. Family units (those living in the same household) may be closer together.
- 2) We cannot hug, kiss, or shake hands when on church property while we are observing the 6-foot social distance between individuals.
- 3) Two layers of mask must be worn whenever on church property. The only exception is that masks may be removed for no more than 60 seconds to take Communion when it is offered.
- 4) We cannot sing along with the pre-recorded music during indoor inperson worship. We can hum along with the tune if we wish.