PRAYERS FOR THE CHURCH AND FOR THE WORLD:

For Family and Friends:

Taylor Ball JoAnn Garrett Don Hall Mac Kirkpatrick Tom McLaughlin Zulla Russell Hazel Sisk Dougie Thompson Wickerson family Roger Daniels Debbie Hall Avis Kessler James Matthew Teresa Pyska George Ryder Roy Sisk Larry Underwood Savannah Wickert

For Those Who Grieve:

the Ronny Payne family the Wilson Family the Upshire Family the Johnson Family the Tyson 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

Joseph Pisarcik, Saturday, September 18th

Anniversaries

None.

UPCOMING MEETINGS and EVENTS

Worship Committee – Tuesday, September 14th at 10:00 am Board of Trustees – Wednesday, September 8th at 6:00 pm SPRC – Thursday, September 16th at 7:00 pm

RECTORTOWN UMC PICNIC

When we can, we will schedule another picnic! Watch here, and on the website, for further information!

RECTORTOWN HOMECOMING TIME CAPSULE

It might seem like it's going to be a long time yet before Homecoming 2022 – but it's never to early to get ready – particularly when it comes to the Time Capsule! If you have any items that represent our church and/or community past, present and future history that you'd like to put into the Capsule, please get them to the Church Historian, Diane Harrington. The success of this project depends on everyone's participation!

MIDDLEBURG-RECTORTOWN COOPERATIVE PARISH CHARGE CONFERENCE

It's that time of year again! Things will look quite a bit different as we gather for Charge Conference due to the ongoing pandemic and the fact that our District is now twice as big as it was last year!

So, here's some words from our new DS – Rev. Dr. Victor Gomez:

"All charge conferences will be via zoom. The advantage of Zoom is that anyone can also dial in. We have six groups. In each group four charges are assigned to a time and date (two from Winchester and two from Harrisonburg). Those four charges will be together at the appointed time for worship led by me. Then each charge will be sent to a break-out room where an Elder will preside an individual charge conference. I will visit each room. Please note that each Elder will preside their own charge conference plus one or two"

Our Charge Conference is at 7:00PM on October 21st. Signed forms are due in the District Office by October 12th.