

## IN NEED OF PRAYER?

If you have a prayer requests or are in need please call and let us know.

### OFFICE HOURS:

Monday-Thursday

8:00 AM-4:30 PM

Friday

8:00 AM-12:00 PM

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### Shepherds:

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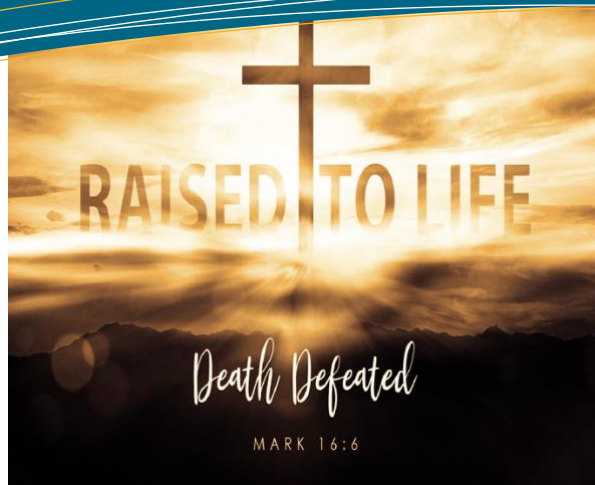
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### ONLINE SERVICES

SUNDAY 8AM

WEDNESDAY 6PM



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## PRAYER CORNER

- ◇ Miles Vann has asked for prayers for his teaching partner, Jim Allsup. He is in Decatur hospital with severe lung issues, not confirmed to be COVID-19 but it is very serious.
- ◇ Sympathy is extended to Shirley Ross and family, for the loss of her brother in law, Larry Latimer of Wichita Falls.
- ◇ Prayers for all affected by Covid-19 physically, spiritually and emotionally.

Betty Atkins – Ron Choate - Sunny Coleman - Sue Fox –Patsy & Willard Howell – Billy Ince – William Leonard – Sonny Prince - Callie Slagle - Hanna Stetler - Erma Thompson - Faye Whitaker - Mary Wright – Judy Camp, Mary Dunn’s sister – Larry Latimer, Shirley Ross’s brother-in-law - Knox Lowe, B. D. Lowe’s brother – Paul Ridenour, friend of Connie Acord & the West Family - Alexis Taylor, Bob Rheinfeldt’s niece - others in nursing homes & shut-ins.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### • DROP BOX

For your convenience, we now have a drop box outside the church office for after hours or “social distancing” drop offs.

### • YOUTH GROUP

Tonight at 7pm the youth group will be connecting through the ZOOM app, if you would like more information contact Jacob.

### • SERVICES AVAILABLE

We have several members who have volunteered to assist in shopping, deliveries or other errands to our members who are higher risk or just need assistance.

### • SERMON and DEVOTIONAL on DVD's

We have DVDs of sermon and devo available weekly for members without internet access. If you are interested in a printed copy of sermon, that is also available. Call the office and we can make sure you get what you need to stay connected.

# GOOD NEWS!!

A beautiful story about sharing the Good News  
of Jesus Christ during the unsettled times of the pandemic.



## Slovenian Policeman COVID-19 Conversion

Estera Pogacnik, EEM's key contact in Slovenia, shared an amazing story from her church in Nove Mesto, Slovenia, near the Croatian border.

When things started to shut down due to the COVID-19 pandemic in Slovenia, Estera's church decided to spend a week in prayer and fasting for Slovenia and all the other countries in the world affected by the pandemic. They also did this to discern how they could continue to share the gospel in this new situation.

During one of the meetings, a neighbor called the police. The neighbor was under the impression that religious (large) meetings were banned even though, at that point, they were not. The police came to check out what was going on and Estera's group leaders, Dennis & Milena Turk, explained what they were doing. They also shared the gospel with the two officers and offered each of them a Christian book. One of the officers accepted the book and later called Dennis back and said he wanted to give his life to Christ and study the Bible more!

Dennis & Milena Turk

While the police were still at their house, a reporter for an online news organization who happens to live in the neighborhood saw the police cars and came to check things out. He thought it was a burglary. He asked them what was going on and Dennis and Milena were able to share the gospel with him as he interviewed them. He then published an article titled *"From the Police to the Blessing"* and included the video of Dennis sharing the Gospel with him!

Though times are certainly challenging due to COVID-19, it is encouraging to see how Christians and churches respond with faith and try to do what they can to share God's loving message.

Slovenian police responding to COVID-19  
related complaint

The Bible. We Want Everyone To Get It.<sup>SM</sup>

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If you've not already seen the [#HOPEWEPROFESS video series](#) on EEM's Facebook page I encourage you to watch these 60-second videos! Our European and stateside employees and board members share how God is using this pandemic to open our eyes in new ways. Thanks for your partnership especially "in such a time as this."