

**Home Instead Senior Care**, servicing Will and Southern Cook County, provides non-medical care for seniors in their homes. They are actively hiring community CAREGivers to join their Team - to provide in-home, supportive care for their senior clients. Ideal candidates will be caring, compassionate and patient. If you are interested, please contact:

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 JRG 4, Inc.,  
 d/b/a Home Instead Senior Care  
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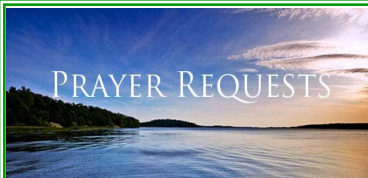
### 2018 Offering Envelopes

are available in Parks Friendship Hall (at the top of the stairs on the right). If you don't find a packet of envelopes with your name on them and would like to use them throughout the year, please contact Cheryl Henbest, Financial Secretary, (815-436-9651) and she will provide them. If you give through EFT, you will not receive envelopes.



The numbered envelopes make record-keeping easier, and they are also less expensive than the pew envelopes, so we encourage you to use them.

If you are interested in giving via EFT, please contact Cheryl. Thank you for your continued support for PUMC, it's missions & ministries!!



**PLEASE KEEP THESE PEOPLE IN YOUR PRAYERS:**

- \*Fern Angelos' nephew, Ken Vallrugo & friend, Phillip Smith
- \*Becky Casey's mom, Phyllis Ackerman
- \*Russ & Louise Corey
- \*Jeanne & Darryl Dupre's friend, Donna Hendrickson
- \*Carole Holloway's husband, Bob, and friend, Sam Madia
- \*Tammy Jiménez's sister & family
- \*Ron Lee
- \*The Madden Family, at the passing of their dog, Vidalia
- \*Ruth Marcks
- \*Belinda (Joe) Maranowicz's father, Bill Courter
- \*Misty Martin
- \*Carol May's daughter, Melissa Ronczkowski
- \*Harriett & Rick Nelson's friend, Mr. Janke
- \*Bonnie Rogers' brother-in-law, Terry Rogers
- \*Jessie Topalov's business
- \*Donna Morrow's son-in-law, John Vanderhoek
- \*\* Victims of mudslides in California
- \*\* People who are depressed or lonely
- \*\* Victims of war, famine & oppression
- \*\* Our military, police, fire fighters & first responders
- \*\* Homeless people throughout the world

**If you would like to include someone on the prayer list, please complete a Prayer Request Card.**

**2018 Sign-up Sheets for Coffee Hour Hosts and Altar Flowers are posted in JBFH.**

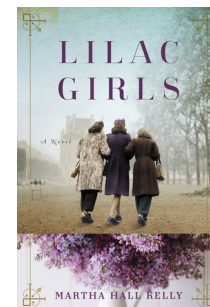


Thank you to everyone who signed up last Sunday! Let's keep it going.

Thank you for helping to keep PUMC a welcoming place of warm hospitality!



**LILAC GIRLS** - by Martha Hall Kelly. This book, based on a true story, is the tale of a New York socialite who championed a group of concentration camp survivors known as the "Rabbits." This acclaimed debut novel reveals a story of love, redemption, and terrible secrets that were hidden for decades.



Join Women's Book Group this Thursday, January 18th, at 7:00pm, as we meet at church to discuss this thought-provoking story.





The Reconciling Ministry Team's **Straw Poll** was emailed last Sunday afternoon. Please remember to click on the link and offer your feedback. The Committee would love to hear from everyone!

If you did not receive the Poll via email, it likely means you are not signed up to receive emails from PUMC. In that case...or if you had trouble linking to the Poll from email...you may either complete a paper copy, (available in the Church Office), or you can paste this web address directly into your browser:

<https://goo.gl/forms/R1zCpek9w5HMEvC3>

Please be sure to complete the Poll only once. Thank you for helping to ensure all voices are heard!

**PUMC Loves You!**

...which is why we're reminding you to please make sure you have working smoke and carbon dioxide detectors in your home. Batteries should be changed at least twice a year, when we switch back and forth between Standard Time and Daylight Savings Time. Remember, "Change your clock; change your batteries!"



Also, remember to have an up-to-date fire extinguisher on-hand!



Many thanks to our **Sunday School Staff** who, week-after-week, help us to understand the Word, and plant seeds of faith within our learners of all ages.

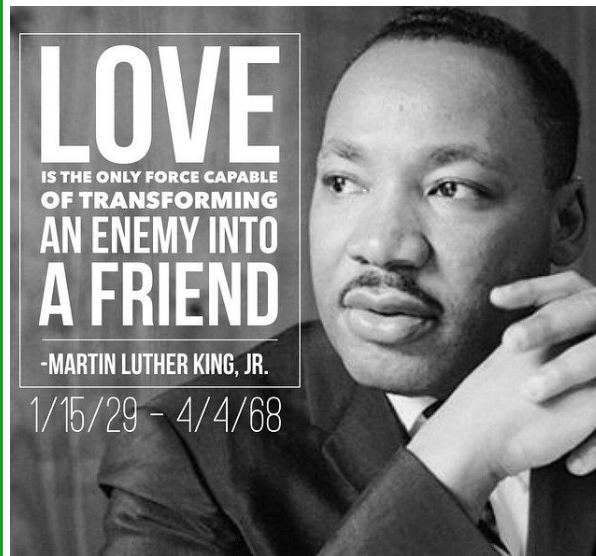
These seeds of faith - like that of a mustard seed - helps us to grow sure, steady and mighty in the faith.

And, finally, thanks to our Acolytes, for leading and lighting the way at worship each Sunday.

*We appreciate YOU!*



The church office will be closed on Monday, January 14th, in honor of Dr. Martin Luther King's birthday.



**PUMC CALENDAR**  
January 14th through January 20th

Sun., 1/14	12:15p	Baptism Orientation (C/L)
	6:30p	Jr./Sr. High Youth Group (206/207)
Mon., 1/15	6:30p	Y.M.A.P. (C/L)
	6:30p	Education Committee (Offsite)
Tues., 1/16	6:15p	God & Family Class (106)
	6:30p	Stewardship Mtg. (206/207)
Weds., 1/17	8:15a	Men's Group Breakfast (Offsite)
	6:00p	Children's Choir (Choir Room)
	6:00p	Worship Band (Sanc.)
	6:30p	Gentle Yoga (203)
	6:30p	WHAM! (202, 204)
	7:00p	Chancel Choir (Choir Room)
Thurs., 1/18	7:00p	Planned Giving (106)
	7:00p	Women's Book Group (C/L)
Sat., 1/20		** DUE DATE FOR FEB. NEWSLETTER
	8:30a	Bellissimo (Sanctuary Balcony)