

April 30, 2023  
**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

We pray for all in our congregation who are grieving and in need of care, as well as those who provide care to the grieving and those in need, especially our Stephen Ministers.

Please lift up to God those who have asked for our prayers:

*For the sick and in need:* especially Linda Barnett, Steve Barnett, Ajay and Joy Brewer, Page Nance Brock, Stacy Burrs, Butch Butler, John Cook, Vicki Driscoll, Paula Cramer Edmunds, Tom Evelyn, Mary Fox, Jessica Friend, Jennifer Griffith, Helen Hill, Thomas Lucente, Anne Malone, Don Marsden, the Martin family, Bunky Miller, John Murphy, Carol Piersol, Ethel Powell, Courtenay Reynolds, Mickie Rumsey, Sondra Salmon, Joyce Sandberg, Larry Sandberg, Phil Sherrod, Bobbie Smith, Bradford Smith, Josh Spain, the Stone family, Emily Tafel, Meriel Thornley, Langdon Tollett, Anne Turnbull, Bobbie Ukrop, Carol Wendling, Nelson Williams, Susie Witter, Erin Wright, Zara Zareva, I-janée, Josh, Kevin, Leigh, and Sethan

*We pray for renewal and refreshment for John while he is on sabbatical.* May his time away be life giving and restful.

*In the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer:* for the congregations and Clergy of Church of Buck Mountain in Earlysville, Christ Church in Alexandria, and St. Andrew's in Arlington

*For the newly born:* especially Edward Massie Kane-West (“Ned”), son of Sazshy and Jonah Kane-West and grandson of Margaret and Massie Valentine, Charles Stewart Patton and Rhett Randolph Patton, sons of Lawson and Anne Stewart Patton, brother of Lawson Patton, and grandsons of Liz and Jay Patton, and Virginia Selden Talbott (“Selden”), daughter of Emily and Frank Talbott, who were born recently.

*For the recently married:* especially Anne Garland, daughter of Kitsie and Bobby Garland and Ren Schiffman, son of Becky and Laurence Lane Schiffman who were married here last week.

*For all celebrating their birthdays this week, especially those who celebrate their birthdays today:* Leah Martin, Elizabeth Reynolds, and CeCe Way