



# Holy Cross Weekly News

**THIS WEEK AT HOLY CROSS:** 6/2/24 ————— 6/9/24

**SUNDAY- PENTECOST 2 | GODPARENTS' DAY**

- 8:30AM - Communion Service
- 9:45AM - Sunday School / Membership Class
- 10:45AM - Communion Service
- 12:30PM - Pastors & Guardians of Israel (Sanctuary)

**MONDAY-**

**TUESDAY-** 6:30PM - Colonial Quilters (FH)  
 7:00PM - Property Committee (Ofc)

**WEDNESDAY-** 4:00PM - Prayer in the Parlor  
 6:00PM - Worship & Music (Ofc)  
 7:00PM - Pastors & Guardians of Israel  
 (Choir/Youth rooms)

7:30PM - AA (TR)

**THURSDAY-** 12:00N - AA (TR)

**FRIDAY-** 10:00AM - Bulletin Brigade (Ofc)  
 5:30PM - Pastors & Guardians of Israel (Sanctuary)

**SATURDAY-** 9AM—3PM - Material Girls (ASSR)  
 7:30PM - AA (TR)

**SUNDAY- PENTECOST 3**

- 8:30AM - Praise Service
- 9:45AM - Sunday School / Membership Class
- 10:45AM - Praise Service
- 12:30PM - Pastors & Guardians of Israel (Sanctuary)

**Pastor David:** Wednesday (all day),  
 Friday (morning, afternoon) & by Appt.

**Office Secretary:** M-Th 4-6PM, Fri 9AM-5PM / Sat 9AM-12

**Bookkeeper:** Wednesday 4:45-7PM or by appointment

**Attendance:** 5/19/24: 49 (32+17) 5/26/24: 42 (22+20)

## SERVANTS OF THE LORD NEXT SUNDAY (6/9/2024)

GREETER: 8:30-Sarah B / 10:45-Sharon B	ALTAR: Alyce & Patty
SOUND: 8:30-Josh M / 10:45-Ken Y	LIVESTREAM: 8:30-Mike Z
SONG LEADER: Pr David	SEXTON: <i>Volunteer needed</i>
LITURGIST: 8:30-Seth / 10:45- <i>Vol. needed</i>	PRAYER CARE: Ruthann K
LECTOR: 8:30-Penny M / 10:45- <i>Vol. needed</i>	CHILDREN: Ruthann K
PHONETREE: <i>Volunteer needed</i>	COUNTERS: Karen B, Jan S
GRASS: Tom B, Larry W, Melissa Y	PRAYERS: Mike Z

**WEEKLY  
 SCRIPTURE  
 MEMORY  
 VERSE**  
 What happened  
 on the cross:  
 Smitten by God  
 Isaiah 53:4-6

**Scriptures for NEXT SUNDAY (6/9/24):** Psalm 130  
 Genesis 3:8-15 2 Corinthians 4:13-5:5 Mark 3:20-35

# Holy Cross Prayer List

## 6/2/24 — 6/9/24

### PRAYER CHAIN

*If you need prayer, call any number below to activate the prayer chain.*

**Pat Gilbert 610-867-7759**

**Yvonne Frankenfield 610-691-1960**

**Darlene Treisner 610-866-3824**

**Sally Stein 610-867-6599**

**Jennifer Hero 610-691-5282**

### Home Bound/Nursing Home

*Linda Jo Albertson Marty Erney*

*Alan Gilbert Marilyn Harding*

*Sally Lerch Bob & Shirley Stuber*

*Marlene Thomas Wendi Wonderly*

### Praying For You:

*Donald Sell*

*Teri Smith and family*

*Herbert & Sally Stein*

*Richard & Alyce Stein*

### Mission District:

*Canby Lutheran Church,*

*Bloomsburg PA*

### Missionary:

*All Godparents!*

### Schools:

*Nitschmann Middle School*

*Covenant Christian Academy*

*Fellowship Christian Secondary  
School*

### Serving in Armed Forces:

*A1C Ryan Stein*

*1st Lt Jennifer Dolak (Jan S)*

*Sgt Keaton Westwood (Wonderly)*

*Meg Brown (Pr David)*

*Lt Col Colin Schneck (Stenhouse)*

*Thanks to all veterans who served.*

If you'll be hospitalized or would like a pastoral visit, please call the church (610-867-6231).

### Ill. Accidents, Surgery, Hospitalized

Jesse & Ryan Albertson-salvation/healing

Linda Jo Albertson-pain (Heritage Point, Doylestown)

Kathy & Ron Ballek-healing

Jeff, Ryan & Joel Beilfuss (Brown)-healing

Sharon Branigan-healing severe back and hip pain

Chuck Branigan III-healing

Colleen-support & guidance with new life changes

Lois Crooks-healing (rotator cuff)

Cynthia (Brown)-healing

Dan-guidance in new job

Marty Erney-healing from COVID, Pneumonia

Marie Eshbach-pain relief & successful treatment

Claire Farkas' Daughter-financial wisdom/priorities

Mary Fernandez-eye surgery

Don & Yvonne Frankenfield -healing

Rev. Michael Frost-recovering from surgery

Gary Graham-healing

Bob & Dora Groscup (Brown)-healing

Barb & Ed Gubich-healing

Eleanor Gunkle-healing from stroke

Vince-physical healing & the Lord's provision

Alice Hahn-COPD

Bob Haines (Sands)-comfort and healing

Marilyn Harding-guidance, healing, finance

Jennifer Hero-successful treatment & healing

Irene Horvath & family-strengthen faith & body

Rich Hulock-healing

Sydney, Malaki & Lincoln (Hulock)-protection

Kayleen (Glasmire)-healing from addiction

Kelly (Glasmire)-healing from addiction

Ann Keefer (Dawn S)-healing & medical guidance

Doug Kelley (Jan S)-melanoma treatment

Larry Kelley (Jan S)-recovery from stroke

Carter Knowlton (Dawn S)-healing

**\*Sharon Koch (STP)-healing**

Sandra Krisanda-healing

Sharon Miller (Wonderly)-healing from surgery

Marie Mueller-guidance & healing

Ted Nowark (Wonderly)-healing

Dave Ori and family-guidance & healing

Laura Peters-peace

Rosalie-Healing and Guidance

Joe Reeser-healing

Carson Reinhard-Lymphoma

Glade Schroeter-healing (home)

Gail & Earl Stein-healing & rehab

Bob & Shirley Stuber-healing (Phoebe, Allentown)

Bettie Tkacik-healing from cellulitis

Wanda-guidance & healing

**\*New addition | +UPDATE**

Other Concerns: Our AA Guests

Church Council-wisdom, discernment & unity

President, Nation's Leaders & Military,

Judges, State & Local Official

## *Help Needed*

**SEXTON** - This is a paid position. Please let us know if you are interested in the position or if you can be part of a team of volunteers to cover things until we find a replacement.

**TREASURER** - Council elected officers for 2024, but we haven't found anyone to serve as Treasurer. The Treasurer does not do the day-to-day accounting (the Bookkeeper does that) and does not need to be on Council. The Treasurer needs to be able to read financial reports, but doesn't need to generate them. Please consider whether God is calling you to serve in this capacity. Contact an Executive Committee member if interested.

## *Ongoing & Upcoming Events*

**HOLY CROSS CHRISTIAN PRESCHOOL** is enrolling students for the 2024-25 school year. If you know anyone interested, look for the brochures in the rack in the Gathering Place.

**MEMBERSHIP CLASS** - Meeting today! Speak to Pastor David if you are interested in becoming a member of Holy Cross.

**GAME NIGHT** - Friday, June 14th, 6:30-8:30PM. Invite family and friends.

## *Giving Opportunities*

**BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN** to benefit Bright Hope Pregnancy Support Centers began on Mother's Day and will conclude on Father's Day.

**VBS SPONSORSHIPS** - We are seeking donations to help cover the cost of VBS 2024. Children's t-shirts are \$5.50, staff shirts \$12, and \$20 will fill a backpack to send to disadvantaged children in the DC area. Simply mark your envelope "VBS".

**JUNE 2, 2024**

**PENTECOST 2 / GODPARENTS' DAY**

**SERMON:** *"The Sabbath = Freedom"*

A. Jesus and the Disciples Get in Trouble Quickly

1. Not Fasting
2. Picking Grain on the Sabbath
3. Healing on the Sabbath

## B. Jesus' Response

1. New Wineskins Needed for New Wine
2. "The Sabbath was made for man"
3. Healing Is Entirely Appropriate on the Sabbath
4. Jesus is Lord of the Sabbath
5. Anger

## C. A Look at the Sabbath Command

1. First Telling (Sinai) - Exodus 20:8-11
2. Second Telling (2<sup>nd</sup> Set of Tablets) - Exodus 31:14-16
3. Third Telling (Moses Farewell) - Deuteronomy 5:12-15
4. Other Key Old Testament Passages

## D. How Does Jesus Want His Followers To Keep the Sabbath?

1. Transformed, but NOT Abolished
2. Six Day You Shall Work
3. Delight in the Lord
4. Do NOT Be Legalistic and Judgmental
5. Do Acts of Mercy
6. Collect Tithes and Offerings
7. Personal and Family Time