**September Birthdays and Anniversaries**

**September 28th – Iva Palmer**

**October Birthdays & Anniversaries**

**October 2nd – Walter & Ladonna Scheppe**

**October 4th – Melissa & Aaron Clark**

**October 6th – Bany & Diane Harbin**

 **Lauren Abrams**

 **Joe Palmer**

**October 8th – Larry Garrett**

**October 11th – Janet Farr**

**October 15th – Vivian Adams**

**October 20th – Leigh Farr**

**October 21st – Gary & Carol Wright**

**October 29th – Ladonna Scheppe**

**October 30th – Candi Mears.**

*Below is a list of folks who would welcome mail any time of the year.*

***Private Brooks Norton Teresa Standridge***

*HHC BDe,2-2 5B ct Chulio Hills Nursing Home*

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*Box 339559-6 Rome, GA 30165*

*JBLM, WA 98433*

***Julie Moore Mrs. Monte Fricks***

*660 Jolly Road, NW 7276 Marblehead Drive*

*Calhoun, GA 30701 Hudson, OH 44236*

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***Madeleine Vaughn***

***University of Georgia - Morris Mailroom***

***Morris Hall, Room 414***

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***Athens, GA 30609***

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* **Silver Creek Presbyterian Church, P.O. Box 227, Silver Creek, GA 30173**
* **Online giving click here:** [**SilverCreekDONATE**](https://bit.ly/444BFgG)

**Silver Creek Serial September 24, 2023**

**The Sunday worship service continues to be live-streamed and can be viewed on the SCPC Facebook page or the church web page – or click:**

[**SCPC-LIVESTREAM**](https://silvercreekpcusa.org/Livestream)

**There is a non-member wedding in the church on Saturday, October 7th, followed by the reception which will be in the pavilion.**

 **Joys & Concerns**

**What tangible acts of love will you commit to as a continuation of your prayers this week?**

* ***...unspoken prayers.***
* ***Prayers for all those in the path of weather disasters, especially areas of Morocco from the devastation of an earthquake last week.***
* ***Prayers for Lloyd Farr*** *had spinal fusion surgery on* ***Wednesday*** *at Emory Hospital. As of today (Saturday) Lloyd’s wound is still draining so they hope to discharge him on Sunday. His pain is getting better.*
* ***Prayers for Westminster PC*** *as they begin a new pastoral transition.*
* ***Prayers for Trent Norton****, the church custodian, awaiting results of recent heart tests.*
* ***Continued prayers for Cherie Finger*** *who was hospitalized for several days due to abdominal pain/infection. Prayers also for bob, her caregiver. Address:101 Brittany Lane, Rome, GA 30161*
* ***Pastor Camille’s brother Kevin*** *who continues to recover from a TBI from a fall.* ***Kevin*** *has been transferred to a rehabilitation facility in Jacksonville, FL for intensive therapy for his TBI.*
* ***Those grieving the passing of a loved one.***
* ***Sheila Cox*** *alerted us that her* ***neighbor’s grandson, Deshon****, has been hospitalized in critical condition due to his newly diagnosed illness. Please keep this young man in your prayers.*
* ***Prayers for Carol Wright*** *who will have spinal repair surgery in Cartersville on September 26th.*
* ***Prayers*** *for the family of former member* ***Arleen Carden*** *who passed away recently.*
* ***Joy! Leah Sherwin’s*** *cholesterol is down!*
* ***From Pastor Camille: Continued prayers for Brit Weeks*** *and her family. Court proceedings continue. This has been a long and difficult journey for all of them. Please also keep* ***Chris Tenpas*** *in your prayers.*
* ***Prayers continue for the people of war-torn Ukraine and the people of Russia who do not support the war their country is waging.***
* ***Our military at home or deployed.***
* ***Those with health issues: Vicki Blankenship*** *as she continues to recover from complications from a fall****; Banny & Diane Harbin’s*** *friend –* ***Connie Hammond –*** *improving, may be returning to work soon;* ***The Cox’s friend –Doug Orr*** *with GI issues and their neighbor,* ***Gwen Templeton’s grandson Deshon*** *who is being treated for TTP****; Terri Ott’s friend – Becky Sims,*** *memory issues****; Carolyn Holliday’s – brother Cliff –*** *hospitalized for evaluation of health issues and* ***Steve Morre*** *recovering from heart surgery; ;* ***Jason and Beth Costlow’s daughter, Laura Beth –*** *Type 1 Diabetes****; Monte Fricks,*** *health issues****; Marni Neal – Carl’s*** *Parkinson’s****; Larry Garrett –*** *PTSD;* ***Lilly Farr*** *continued health issues and a badly sprained ankle.*
* ***Members*** *requested prayers for those suffering from cancer and their caregivers:* ***The Harbin’s friend Connie*** *who is seeking the option of Johns Hopkins for her condition****; Vicki Blankenship’s*** *friend* ***John Johnston*** *receiving Hospice care****; and Marni Neal’s*** *daughter-in-law****, Jennifer Neal –*** *stomach cancer.*
* ***Our Presbytery and Denomination, Our Church, Reverend Camille, the Session, & Congregation***
* ***Prayers for our President Joseph R. Biden Jr. and Vice-President - Kamala Harris as they lead our nation.***

***Greystone Bible Study***

*All are welcome to join us on the 2nd, 3rd, and 4th Mondays at 1 p.m. for the* ***Lunch and Learn Bible Study at the Greystone.*** *We gather and provide a light lunch with the residents who participate. After lunch Pastor Camille facilitates a discussion of passages from the Book of Luke. The residents enjoy reading the passages aloud for the group before we take time to think about what the passage means to us individually and have an open discussion. We welcome additional congregants to join us tomorrow!*

***October dates – Mondays the 10th, 17th, and 24th***

**Presbyterian Women**

**Bible Study**

**October 2nd at 10:00 a.m. Chapter 6**

***Silver Needles***

**October 16th at 10:00 a.m.**

**The Homeless in our Area**

**There are sandwiches and slices of banana bread in the freezer downstairs and water bottles in the refrigerator upstairs that you are encouraged to give to any homeless folks you encounter when you are at the church.**

**Please give one each at a time.**

**Dear Silver Creek Family,**

Thank you so much for all of the generous donations to our classroom and health clinic at Rome High School.  We literally could not do this without you.  The colored pencils, gluesticks, and scissors have all been put to good use, and most of those supplies are already dwindling down as expected.  I also greatly appreciate the disinfectant wipes and sprays to help keep students healthy when they come to my classroom.  The cepacol lozenges for students coming to the health clinic have been a Godsend.  Unfortunately, the amount of sick students, and faculty for that matter, have been going up steadily since we returned to school.  It is the best we can do to keep everyone at school healthy and feeling well with the snacks, disinfecting, and lozenges we can offer.  It seems like there are never enough supplies to go around, which is why we thank you all so much for your generosity.  There have been more than a few times where we have been able to save the literal day for someone with a well-timed snack and a cepacol lozenge to help them.  The headphones that were donated by you to help my special education students have been so helpful that I cannot thank you enough for them.  My students are able to concentrate on their assignments and not get distracted by the overwhelming amount of distractions in class now.  Once again, we cannot thank you enough for all of your help!  Our church family has always been there for us, and it is a good feeling knowing that we have such a support base behind us.Thank you, Joseph Hastings M. Ed.   and Staci Sullins, PA

***Dear Silver Creek Family, The earbuds have been put to good use, assisting students in receiving personalized math interventions throughout the building. Both teachers and students are very grateful for your generosity.***

***Thank you, Jennifer Vaughn M.Ed. Math & Science Academic Coach***