

IMMC Prayer Memo

October 2020

Scripture focus:

God has put all things under the authority of Christ and has made him head over all things for the benefit of the church.

And the church is his body; it is made full and complete by Christ, who fills all things everywhere with himself.

Ephesians 1:22-23

October 4 – 10

Prairie Street Mennonite, Elkhart, IN
Pastors: Cyneatha Millsaps, Quinn Brenneke

PSMC is beginning planning for our jubilee year next year. So prayer for our 150th celebration.

October 11 – 17

Sunnyside Mennonite, Elkhart, IN
Pastors: Amy Kratzer, Terri Geiser, Charlie Geiser

Sunnyside gives thanks for the creative ways we have been able to connect virtually and in-person during the pandemic, for the ongoing relationship with Piedra Viva Mennonite Church and for the recent formation of an Anti-racism Task Group. We would appreciate the prayers of our sister churches as we seek to create gathering places that care for the needs of all our church members and as we continually discern how to bless and minister in the Sunnyside neighborhood.

October 18 – 24

Shalom Mennonite, Indianapolis, IN
Pastor: Brian Bither

October 25 – 31

Walnut Hill Mennonite, Goshen, IN
Pastors: Ben Bouwman, Carmen Horst

We have seen God at work in the warm welcome extended to new pastor Carmen Horst and her family; in the continued creative support of the congregation for each other despite COVID restrictions; and in enthusiastic lay participation in worship planning, mentoring, and nurturing the children of the congregation.

Please pray for pastors Ben and Carmen and the congregation, as they continue to get to know each other and work and worship together, mostly by Zoom!

Others to pray for in October:

Where there is no specific prayer request made, please pray for the congregation and pastor(s) as the Spirit directs you.