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### **PRAYER CONCERNS**

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# **PRAYER CONCERNS (Cont'd)**

United States Government President Trump		
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Al & Jeanne Mayer	Mary Ann H.	
Eddie	St. Mark's Church – Philmont	
Storm Riders	Michael	
Jane & Freida	Janice C.	
Beverly	Bitsy & Tony Winig	
Person in other car	Nancy A,	
Sue H.	Cliff Myers	
Theresa Hoffman	Peter Quinn	
U.S. Military – Evan, KI and families		
Vestries and ministries of Christ Church Coxsackie		
and Church of Our Saviour		

#### **JULY BIRTHDAYS**

- 1 Heather O'Grady
- 9 Richard Dauchy
- 10 Eugenia Browning
  - 11 Molly Allard
- 22 Alora Allard Walsh

#### JULY ANNIVERSARIES

2 – Edward and Anne Wever

# **AUGUST BIRTHDAYS**

- 7 Abby Allard
- 7 Evelyn Paulo
- 8 Susan Darcy
- 12 Franco Spoto
- 13 Phyllis Howard

#### **AUGUST ANNIVERSARIES**

- 22 Michael and Caitlyn Williams
  - 26 Franco and Dianne Spoto

#### DOLLAR\$ AND \$EN\$E

I don't want to scare it off, but it actually looks like Spring and a few early Summer days have arrived – (Thank You God – I know the late afternoon rain is also a blessing for the plants!). Am I enjoying it? I've got to say I really am. I do like not having as much humidity since curly hair resembles a bush when it is humid but I'll take the humidity for the brightness of the sun!

I was really busy late May and early June – most events were a lot of fun. The latest was a huge dance recital – a friend's 5 year old was the dancer. This was held at the new Taconic High School. It was a challenge finding a parking spot as I think most of Berkshire County and the adjoining parts of New York state were attending the recital. I believe I got the last parking spot (again Thank You God). Then after making it to the Auditorium, there were tons of people needing tickets – somehow, I was one who actually got a ticket and saw the show. It was delightful – very talented dancers and staff. Thank You again, God for not only making me attend but smoothing out the entire process.

I know this sounds like every day stuff and it's meant to – how many times does God do stuff for us and we really don't even think about the gifts He has given us that day? I'm trying to be more proactive in looking at my days and realizing what a blessing He gives me every day in many, many ways. Do I Thank Him enough? Probably not, but I do Thank Him when I encounter those frustrating drivers (I do still bless those drivers and wish them a safe trip, too!). Now I am going to Thank Him for letting me relate a realization I've had. Sometimes, I think He puts ideas in my fingers to type and I do Thank Him for that.

Thank you God for your blessings – I do enjoy Spring flowers and the colors of Spring – this year has been especially lush and really colorful. May we all enjoy His handiwork.

Please join your parish family at service or for coffee or breakfast at Jimmy D's some Sunday.

God's Love and Blessings to All!

Susan Darcy

#### **CHURCH HAPPENINGS**

### **Bible Study**

Bible Study is taking the summer off and will resume in September.

#### **Deanery Events**

Saturday, July 13 – St. John's in the Wilderness Annual event with concert, food and silent auction

> Sunday, July 21 – St. Luke's, Chatham Blessing of the Bikes

#### *Newsletter Deadline*

The newsletter deadline for the September issue will be *Thursday, August 15th.* 

If you have any news to share, please send it to Susan Darcy at: <u>sldarcy@roadrunner.com</u> or Kris Smith at <u>pioneer03@aol.com</u>.

### JULY CALENDAR

Sunday, July 7 - 8:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist (Fr. Lockwood will be away)
Sunday, July 14 – 8:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist
Sunday, July 21 - 8:00 a.m. 9:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist Vestry meeting
Sunday, July 28 - 8:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist

# **AUGUST CALENDAR**

Sunday, August 4 – 8:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist
Sunday, August 11 - 8:00 a.m.	- Holy Eucharist
Saturday, August 17 4:00 p.m.	' - "Just As I Am" BBQ at Church of Our Saviour Please bring a dish to share, dessert and a drink.
Sunday, August 18 8:00 a.m. 9:00 a.m. 3:00 p.m.	Holy Eucharist Vestry meeting Deanery picnic at Dutchman's Landing, Catskill Please bring food to share or food may be purchased at the picnic bar

Sunday, August 25	-
8:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist

# **COMING UP:**

Sunday, Septembe	er 1 –
8:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist
	(Fr. Lockwood will be away)

Sunday, September 15 – 8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist (Fr. Lockwood will be away)

# **A Prayer**

May today there be peace within.

May you trust that you are exactly where you are meant to be.

May you not forget the infinite possibilities that are born of faith in yourself and others.

May you use the gifts that you have received, and pass on the love that has been given to you.

May you be content with yourself just the way you are.

Let this knowledge settle into your bones, and allow your soul the freedom to sing, dance, praise and love.

It is there for each and every one of us.

-Anonymous