# 30 DAYS OF PRAYER

Praying for the Partnering in Ministry Task Force



#### WEEK 1 & 2

Beginning July 1st we will pray for discernment, God's guidance, in lifting up names for the Task Force. Please share who you think the Spirit is calling either in person or online between July 1st - July 14th.

#### WEEK 3

The week of July 18th we will need your prayers as our Executive Council will take the lifted up names and prayerfully consider how to create a balanced Task Force.



### WEEK 4

In our final week of prayer, beginning July 29th, we will request prayers for those who have been lifted up and invited to join the Task Force. In their own discernment, may they feel the call to serve.

How to Nominate: We will have slips of paper for you to write on and place in a box at church. You can also nominate folks online via an emailed link.

## PARTNERING IN MINISTRY TASK FORCE

## WHO DO WE NEED ON THE TASK FORCE?

Given the nature of this task force, we recommend that members of the task force possess the following qualities:

- A genuine interest in serving on the task force
- The ability to relay the desires, questions, and concerns of their congregations
- The ability to see the possibilities of what might be, as we work to share God's love and word
- Good communication skills verbal, written, and social media
- A passion for ministries
- Caring, professional, and organized

The task force should consist of people from diverse backgrounds and interests.

## WHAT WILL THEY BE DOING?

They will meet for a short term commitment, 4-6 weeks, with Pastor Erika Uthe, the Assistant to the Bishop. Together they will try to address the following goals:

- To develop a strategic, coordinated, and collaborative effort in sharing in ministry
- To encourage participation, interest, and enthusiasm from the congregations in partnering
- To identify the opportunities, issues and needs in each congregation and how we can respond
- To identify what both churches have in common, and what is unique to each

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