

Peter's Ponderings

Greetings! This is my first article of our weekly communication. Communication is biblical. All of Paul's letters to the churches were circulated amongst themselves. For example, the letter to the Corinthians was circulated to the Ephesians, Romans, Thessalonians, Philippians, and so on. Communication was and remains important. So, we begin.

I have enjoyed the community and culture of Mason, Texas USA. It suits me personally. Your hospitality and kindness continue to produce dividends in my life. Thank you!

One of the issues that I have had to participate in is the new automated security system. It is a security system that is keyless, except when there is an emergency. We want this system to be as seamless as possible so that the membership has access while making it safe for all. The Trustees and office staff have been faithful in ironing out the details so that everybody can be satisfied. It is a labor of love in process. Keep us in prayer.

I'm still learning names and faces. We continue to learn to love one another as Christ loves us. See you Sunday!

***Faithfully yours,
Pastor Peter***

UM ARMY – YOU Are Invited to Participate!

We have 17 youth, 1 college student, and 8 adults who are almost ready for UM ARMY Brackettville! We are still in need of a few tools and supplies, so be sure to check the sign-up sheets in the Social Hall on Sunday, or mark your donation for UM ARMY. We will be ACCEPTING TOOLS & SUPPLIES next Wednesday, the 18th from 9 A.M. to Noon and 1 to 5 P.M. in the Social Hall. (Let me know if you need to make other arrangements.) Next Sunday, the 22nd, we hope you will be here as we take time during worship to bless this group, their trip, and the families and community that they will impact that week. I join them in thanking all of you for your help and donations.

><> Carol Ann

***Please pray for our members and loved ones who are homebound
and/or residing in nursing homes.***

*George & Mary Eastes, Robert & Claudia Heath, Doris Grote, Ellen Kothmann,
Marilyn Kahan, The Church & Sheldon Johnson & Family*

***Please pray for our members and loved ones
who are in the military.***

*Neil Shanks (USAF), Matt Adam (USAF), Houston Haley (USAF),
Joseph Alba (U.S. Army), T.J. Schovajsa (U.S. Army), Ferd T. Slocum III (U.S. Navy),
James Vacek (U.S. Navy), Truman Coe (U.S. Navy)*

Prayer of the Week: Lord Jesus Christ, you have shown us what it means to be a servant. We ask you now for your grace and strength to faithfully follow in the footsteps of servanthood. We pray in the name and spirit of Jesus. Amen.

Scripture of the Week ~ Romans 14