

Worship Servant Guide: Online Usher

Thank you for serving as Good Soil's online usher! You are a vital part of helping folks experience a sense of God's wide welcome and hospitality through Good Soil, even from afar. You are welcome to attend in-person while serving as the online usher if you keep your phone/tablet on silent. You can also serve from home.

During the Prelude

- ❖ Say good morning and welcome people to worship through the comments
- ❖ Tell everyone you are serving as the online usher for the day
- ❖ Ask for any prayer requests through the comments
- ❖ Ask if anyone is worshipping with Good Soil for the first time today and welcome them

During the Announcements

Please put these announcements in the comments: (enter as separate comments so people don't have to click on them to be able to read the whole thing)

- ❖ The bulletin for today's service can be accessed here:
<https://www.goodsoillutheran.org/worship/bulletins/>
- ❖ To be added to Good Soil's email list contact our church administrator Cara at admin@goodsoillutheran.org
- ❖ Open the bulletin (posted to Good Soil's website under "Sunday Live" on Fridays) and copy/paste over the announcements into the comments. If there are additional announcements to include, Pastor Marissa will provide them to you via email or text.

Throughout the Service

- ❖ Watch for new names that you don't recognize and check the list below so you can greet them appropriately (welcome vs welcome back). If they seem to be participating for the first time, personally welcome them to worship through facebook messenger using blurb below* (or similar words).

- ❖ Respond to comments made by fellow worshipers. "Like" comments and/or respond with your own. Comment throughout the service ("wonderful hymn," "powerful message," share a phrase of scripture that jumps out to you, etc.).
- ❖ Respond to the sermon reflection question (as you are able) and invite others to do the same
- ❖ During the **Prayers of Intercession** there is a place where we pray for people by name. If you have received prayer requests through the comments, put those names in the comments at this time (and pray for them).
- ❖ During the **Passing of the Peace** say peace be with you through the comments.
- ❖ During the **Offering** post a link to Good Soil's "support" page in the comments: Support God's ministry through Good Soil here:
www.goodsoillutheran.org/support

Immediately After the Service

- ❖ Say goodbye, peace be with you, see you next week, etc.
- ❖ Send an email to Pastor Marissa and church admin with the prayer requests and names of new worshipers, if applicable, so we can keep track of who has already received that welcome message.

***Possible message to send to new or unfamiliar names through facebook messenger**

"Hey there! I'm a member at Good Soil and just wanted to reach out to say thanks for being a part of the Good Soil worshiping community today. Hope worship was meaningful for you and fed you spiritually. If there's any way we can be holding you in prayer feel free to message me back or email our church admin at admin@goodsoillutheran.org and we'll pray for you/your loved ones during our next service. God bless you!"

Your online usher ministry makes a difference, thank you!

"Worshiping online with Good Soil is good for my heart. When worshiping live, I am always greeted in the chat and made to feel that I am a valid part of the assembly. The slides allow me to participate fully with singing and prayer, even if only God and my dog can hear me."

- The Rev. Colleen Montgomery, Dir. For Digital Ministries, VA Synod, ELCA

IDENTIFIED ONLINE WORSHIP PARTICIPANTS

| <u>Name</u> | <u>Relationship</u> |
|--------------------------|--|
| Abbe Ehle | College friend of Abby Alusheff |
| Abby Alusheff | Member of Good Soil, husband Alex, Daughters Hannah and Lucy |
| Adam Pate | Good Soil member, son is Elijah |
| Aimee Lynn | Aimee Shipman, member of Good Soil, daughter of Robin Lagorin, children: Nathan and Amelia |
| Alex Alusheff | Member of Good Soil, wife Abby, Daughters Hannah and Lucy |
| Alex Verdova | Member of Good Soil |
| Alise Smith | Member of Good Soil, husband Tom, kids Vivienne, Jack, Scarlett, and Henry |
| Andrew Eichmiller | Campus ministry student w/ Pr. Marissa, attends Lutheran Church in Terre Haute, IN |
| Anna Crane | Former member, attends another church |
| Anne Coppinger Paine | Member of Good Soil, husband Dave, son Evan (and his spouse Natalie) |
| Ashley Gleitz | Former parishioner of Pr. Marissa, attends Faith Lutheran, Logansport, IN |
| Barbara Demko-Werner | Member of Good Soil |
| Barbara Munch | Member of Good Soil |
| Barbara Holzhauser | Pastor in Northeastern Ohio Synod, served as Transition Pastor with Trinity, Lakewood leading up to Holy Closure |
| Betty Berkshire | Aunt of Kathy Berkshire, Great Aunt of Jessica Berkshire, lives in Orrville, OH |
| Bianca Dhole (Bee Mills) | College friend of Pastor Marissa, attends Grace Lutheran, Tampa, FL |
| Bill Fink | Member of Good Soil |
| Bill and Char Meyer | Former members, live in Columbus, OH |
| Bill Wahl (and Darlene) | Members of Good Soil |
| Brian Kvasnicka | Frequently attended Faith in Lakewood, went to highschool with Bill Fink |

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| Bryan Penvose | Northeastern Ohio Synod Council VP, attends Zion Lutheran, Valley City, OH |
| Candice Hinkle | Former parishioner of Pr. Marissa, ELCA seminary graduate, Logansport, IN |
| Carol Groman | Pastor Marilyn Matevia's mom |
| Charisse Phillips | Wife of Pastor Mitch Phillips, has attended in-person, lives in Seville, OH |
| Chuck Mosberger | Member of Good Soil, former member of Trinity Lutheran, Lakewood |
| Cindi Twining | Sister of Kadi Billman, attends Peace Lutheran, Ashland, OH |
| Cindy Meyer Smith | Former member and daughter of former members Bill and Char Meyer, sister is Debbie |
| Coletta Mattson | Member of Good Soil, husband is Vernon, Brother-in-Law is Jim Mattson |
| Colleen Montgomery | Pastor on Synod Staff in Virginia Synod, friend of Pastor Marissa |
| Cortland Russell | Friend of Pastor Marissa, lives in Atlanta, GA |
| Danae M King | Friend of Abby Alusheff, lives in Columbus, OH |
| David Blocksom | Member of Good Soil, wife Abbie |
| Dawn Bakken | Former parishioner of Pr. Marissa's internship congregation, attends St. Thomas Lutheran, Bloomington, IN |
| Deacon Willie Lee | Seminary friend of Pastor Marissa, lives in Chicago, IL |
| Deb Yandala | Good Soil member |
| Debbie Dreher | Former member and daughter of former members Bill and Char Meyer, sister is Cindy |
| Denise Perkins | Joe Lanter's aunt in Kansas City |
| Denise Wentz Johnson | Member of Good Soil, husband is Mark, Granddaughter (young adult) is Korey |
| Dorothy Zulauf Morgan | Widow of Pastor Erling Helland (former pastor of Our Savior's 80's/90's), lives in Olmsted Falls |
| Dorothy Fellows Bartow | Mother of Trey Harrison's college roommate, Alan Bartow, lives in Louisiana |
| Elaine Rospert | Former member, lives out of town now in Wadsworth, OH |
| Elisabeth McGucken | Member of Good Soil, former member of Trinity, spouse is Bryan, kids Kerry and Susan, also goes by Elisabeth Canfield |

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| Ellen Beese Young | Member of Good Soil, husband is Nick, children: George and Edith, mom Jane |
| Emese Kovacs | Visited in-person for a few weeks while her father was at Cleveland Clinic |
| Fred Ayers | Former member, attends Faith Lutheran in Avon |
| Frederick Jay DeBell III | Louise DeBell's brother, lives in North Carolina |
| Ingrid Hoegner-Leek | Daughter of GS member, Jerry Hoegner, met Pr. Marissa during Jerry's funeral |
| Janelle Turner | Grandmother of Trey Harrison, attends Mt. Horeb Lutheran in Chapin, SC, often uses Nancy Turner Buntyn's account |
| Jason Steckel | Former Trinity member, partner is Martha |
| Jen Otto Mitterholzer | Member of Good Soil, husband Matt, children Jovi and Otto |
| Jenna Rene | Jenna Carlson, Member of Good Soil, husband Eric, daughter Brynn, son Austin |
| Jennifer Scott | Former member of Faith, daughter of JoAnn Brinkman (passed), friends with Bill F and Louse D on FB |
| Jennifer Weber Swingle | Member of Good Soil, husband Matt |
| Jim Mattson | Member of Good Soil, mother is Char Mattson, Brother Vernon, sister Jeanette |
| JoAnne Mahnke Wancata | Member of Good Soil, husband Michael, son Steve |
| Joe Lanter | Member of Good Soil |
| John Butchko | Former Interim Pastor of Good Soil, 2018-2020 |
| John Shumaker | Member of Good Soil |
| Juliann DiRocco Smith | Dir. For Evangelical Mission in Northeastern Ohio Synod, lives in Youngstown (member of Lutheran church there) |
| Kadi Billman | Pastor Marissa's advisor/professor from seminary in Chicago, lives in Princeton, NJ |
| Karen Sperli | Member of Good Soil |
| Kathy Welsh | Former parishioner of Pr. Marissa's internship congregation, attends St. Thomas Lutheran, Bloomington, IN |
| Katrina Laubner Holmes | Former member of Trinity |
| Keyla Mercado | Member of Good Soil |

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| Khams Zotal | Jerry Hoegner's friend, former Camp Mowana counselor, lives in Manipur, India |
| Kyra Thurow Bartow | Trey and Marissa's friend, raised ELCA Lutheran and works at Aape Lutheran Camp, lives in Raleigh, NC, married to Trey's college roommate, Alan Bartow |
| Larry Jacobson | Good Soil member, wife Chris, daughters Kim Wylie, Pam Lanter, Becky Williamson |
| Laura Barany-ONEil | Good Soil member, husband Shawn |
| Linda Feldman | Marilyn Matevia's friend, Jewish |
| Lea Hellemans | Abby Alusheff's half sister |
| Louise DeBell | Member of Good Soil |
| Mandy Zeager Forshey | Member of Good Soil, husband Greg, daughters Amelia and Sammie |
| Marietta Meyer | Former member now in Connecticut, sister of Bill and Char Meyer, friend of Jacobsons |
| Marina Tweed | Pastor Marissa's sister, lives in Tampa, FL; Rita and Dave Gardner Tweed (parents) often use account |
| Mark Liston | Good Soil member, wife is MK (Mary Kay) Liston, split time between Florida and Ohio (home church is Good Soil) |
| Martha Eaton (Panek) | Prospective member of Good Soil, has attended in-person and online, granddaughter is Darby |
| Michael L Collins Sr | Pastor Marissa's college pastor, lives in Ocala, FL |
| Michele Robles (and Gus) | Former members, now lives in Toledo, OH |
| Mitch Phillips | Assistant to the Bishop for NEOS, wife Charisse, daughter Hayley, attended in-person worship a few times |
| MK Liston | Mary Kay Liston, member of Good Soil wife of Mark, split time between Florida and Ohio (home church is Good Soil) |
| Nancie Smith | Member of Good Soil, son Tom, daughter Sarah, 6 grandkids at Good Soil |
| Nancy Turner Buntyn | Trey's mom, attends Mt. Horeb Lutheran Church, Chapin, SC, often Trey's grandma Janelle will use this account |
| Nancy Voiklis | Kim Wylie's good friend and godmother to her sons, Jacob and Allan |
| Nicole Blair | Abby Alusheff's friend (and photographer) |
| NK Miller | Marilyn Matevia's Aunt Naia Miller |
| Ory Cook | Friend of Pastor Marissa, lives in Atlanta, GA |

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| Paul Bartow | Father of Trey Harrison's college roommate and friend Alan Bartow |
| Paul Gochmour | Parishioner of Pastor Marilyn Matevia, attends Celebration Lutheran, Chardin, OH |
| Pam Jacobson Lanter | Member of Good Soil, husband Joe, sons Sean, TJ, and Evan |
| Paula Maeder Connor | Member of Good Soil, retired pastor, husband is Pastor Dave Connor, daughter Brenna and granddaughter Lily |
| Robin L Childs LaGorin | Member of Good Soil, daughter Aimee, grandkids Nathan and Amelia |
| Ruth Zeager | Stan Zeager's niece, Mandy Forshey's cousin, lives on east side |
| Sarah Smith Sburlea | Member of Good Soil, husband Alin, son Luca, daughter Maddie, mother Nancie |
| Serena Cottrell | Former member, lives in Montana |
| Sharon Hollowell | Member of Good Soil |
| Shawn O'Neil | Member of Good Soil, wife Laura |
| Stephen Patrick | Former pastor of Faith, Lakewood. Lives in New Philadelphia, OH |
| Tonya Calcote | Sister of Karen Sperli (member of Good Soil). Lives in Chatsworth, CA (near LA). Former member of Prince of Peace, Westlake. |
| V Scott Wylie | Member of Good Soil and Vicar at New Covenant Lutheran |
| Wesley Tweed | Brother of Pastor Marissa, lives in Nashville, TN |
| William Eversole | Member of Good Soil |

There are additional names on the next page. If you know any of these people below, please email Pastor Marissa so she can move them to the "identified" list. Thanks!

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| <u>Name</u> | <u>Relationship</u> |
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| Alice Dawson | |
| Ann Barany | |
| Anna Patersnak | |
| Anne Wilberg | |
| Anne K Anderson | |
| Beth Ann | friends with Rev. Mitch Phillips on FB |
| Bonnie Hadbavny | Friend of Pastor Marilyn Matevia and Ginny Stevens |
| Brad Way | |
| Calla Elle Lynn | |
| Carol Prahst | |
| Connie Sassanella | |
| Debra Toth | |
| Debra Zechman | |
| Diane Schlorhauser Howe | |
| Donna Dickey | |
| Donna Marie | |
| Dana Gros | |
| Evelyn Murphy Darpel | |
| Gail Jellerichs | friends with Sherrie Kirk on FB |
| Heather Roberts | |
| Janet Kristoff | |
| Joan Solar | |
| Kate Gillooly | |
| Katie Swingle | |
| Kaylee Vance | |
| Lisa Schlorhauser Prigge | |
| Loren Kristine Meyer | |
| Loretta Albert | |
| Ken Hines | friends with Jim Mattson on fb |
| Mary Beth Morgan | |
| Matt Ryan | |
| Maureen Henderson | |
| Megan Joyce | |
| Murray McKinsey | friends with David Strieter on fb |
| Nancy Stacy | |
| Pat Yoder | |
| Rod Kaufman | |
| Stephanie Soon | |
| Susan Shields | |
| Suzanne Giar | Lives in Medina, OH |
| Walt Georgia Schefft | |