



# Augustana Lutheran Church

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## Prayer Partners *2017*

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Katreena Barham	Terri Nelson	Brayden Newman	Doug Nelson
Kayla Barham	Ruth Ann Newman	Lena Newman	Mindy Poppy
Kaiden Carlson	Ron and Eilene Peterson	Thomas Newman	Ila Nelson
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Kenlee Carlson	Mikayla Poppy	Mason Nimrick	Dave Westerlund
Leyton Carlson	Sandra Johnson	Brooke Norberg	Deanna Swanson
Jacob Dobbels	Carol Engnell	Nic Norberg	Sandra Johnson
James Dobbels	Wayne French	Emma Poppy	Jeanine Lees
Joshua Dobbels	Carol Engnell	John Poppy	Loran Anderson
Matthew Engnell	Sandra Johnson	Kelsey Poppy	Patsy Crippen
Madison Farr-Schroeder	Sarah Kettler	Kollin Poppy	John Zurcher
Joey Foley	Kathy Swanson	Sarah Poppy	Nancy Zurcher
John Foley	Heather Poppy	Sydney Poppy	Nancy Zurcher
Alec Gray	Wayne French	Allison Rickey	Jeannine Westerlund
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Kile Johnson	Laura Angelos	Logan Selander	Ruth Swanson
Kyah Johnson	Dorothy Norberg	Sophie Selander	Doris Lindquist
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Michael Jones	Dave Crippen	Olivia West	Lori Foley
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Studies show that relationships with adults *other than* parents or relatives are very important in faith formation and strengthening. The connections that prayer partners have with the children they partner are — we think — vital. These partnerships connect young people to the congregation.

One of the primary responsibilities of a prayer partner (pp) is to pray for the children daily. If at all possible, the prayer partners are encouraged to be present at key points in the child's Christian education and development — baptism, first communion, first time acolyting, and confirmation.

Another key time for interactions with your prayer partner is the *Prayer Partner Breakfasts*. This is a wonderful time to interact with your partner, sharing a snack and talking.

It is *not* expected or required that you give your partner gifts, though some partners do. Encouraging cards, or emails or texts