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Union Bethel Christian Church

Dear UBCC Family & Friends,

Wow! Who would have guessed seven months ago we would be making an alternate decision about gathering together in worship? I am sure no one saw this coming, but it did not stop us from connecting people with their faith and delivering His word. Even though we have not returned back to the sanctuary, our 88th Church Anniversary will be celebrated in a different manner.

This year, due to social distancing and safer at home orders, we will be celebrating virtually. In creating the virtual presentation slides, everyone will have the opportunity to upload a photo of themselves as well as, writing words of encouragement that will be included in our celebratory video.

To make this a memorable celebration, there are three methods for the virtual presentation: video message, photo/written message, or a recognition slide. We are asking that you choose ONLY ONE method. Please DO NOT submit more than one presentation.

Video Message

- o If you choose a video message, we ask that you create a 30-60 second video. You may email the video to unionbethel2020@gmail.com. Type "Video Message" in the subject line. Please make sure you include your name in the email.
- Photo and Written Message
 - o If you choose to upload a photo and a short (2-3 sentences) message, you may email the information to <u>unionbethel2020@gmail.com</u>. **Type "Photo and Written Message" in the subject line.** Please make sure the image is clear and attached as a JPEG file.
 - We ask that you include your name in the email, the way you would like it to appear in the presentation. If it is a family photo, please include the last name only. (i.e. The Robinson Family).

Recognition Slide

o If you choose not to upload a video message or do not want your photo to appear, you may email your name, the way you would like it to appear in the presentation, and a short (2-3 sentences) message to unionbethel2020@gmail.com. Type "Recognition Slide" in the subject line.

Memorial Slide

• Within the virtual presentation will be pictures of members we have lost this year (2020) since we were unable to have their Homegoing Celebrations at church. In the Memorial Section we will only have space for pictures of loved ones who have passed in 2020. No "Ads" will be included this year but to commemorate our loved ones, who were actual

members of Union Bethel, there will be a special section to list their names (no pictures) in the presentation. If you would like to have a loved one's name included in the presentation, please email their name, as you would like it to appear in the presentation, to unionbethel2020@gmail.com. Type "Memorial Slide" in the subject line.

Regardless of the method you use to submit your presentation, please be sure all names and information have been proofread for errors. This virtual presentation will be posted on the church's website. By submitting your pictures(s) you are giving UBCC permission to post your information on the internet.

We look forward to creating a wonderful celebratory presentation, to be enjoyed for years to come, which will also serve as a historical reminder of this challenging year (2020). Please feel free to contact Ashley Wiley-Jemison at 205.587.0722 with any questions about the virtual presentation.

The deadline for all responses is **Sunday**, **November 8**, **2020**. Thank you in advance for participating.

Sincerely,

Kenneth R. Robinson

Kenneth R. Robinson, Pastor