MINDFUL MONDAY NOVEMBER 11th

Then the women said to Naomi, "Blessed be the Lord, who has not left you this day without next-of-kin, and may his name be renowned in Israel!" Ruth 4:14

Think of how you came to know the church. Did you begin as a child, born into faith? Did you find your faith later in life? Whatever your story is, I'm sure you can think of people that helped build your faith. Members of your family, or church family that helped your faith grow. Those influences can leave you with wonderful, strong memories of how you've come to know God and the love of Christ. May we pray today a prayer of thanksgiving for those who have paved the path of our faith journey and pray that we may help others. May we find ways to encourage others to know God, to grow in faith, and to come to church as a believer.

Please pray today for those on our prayer list, for those that need our love and prayers, and for the joys our people have experienced.

We also pray for the region's prayer calendar list of pastors, congregations, and ministries for the week. First Christian Church, Newton, IA, Sheldon Henderson Urbana Christian Church, Urbana, IA, Pamela Gibbs Liz Woodward, Mary Wells Christian Church in Illinois-Wisconsin