Joyful in Hope – 87 – July 7, 2020 (thoughts and ideas to encourage and challenge)

"Be joyful in hope, patient in affliction, faithful in prayer."
Romans 12:12

Happy Birthdays!!!!

During this month of July, when we wish a Happy Birthday to our nation, we are also celebrating the birthdays of some of our Heritage family members. This past Sunday, we enjoyed a little birthday celebration for Terri and Percy Pasquin, whose birthdays are on the 6th and 7th, respectively. Our special guest was P.J. Pasquin, who flew in from California to help his folks celebrate. P.J.'s birthday is also today. So, Happy Birthday to 3/6 of the Pasquin family.

But that's not all. Remembering that today is also Casey Remsing's birthday, I did a quick check of the Heritage directory and here's what I discovered, somewhat alphabetically:

Judy Blome's birthday was Sunday, the 5th;

Ward Bartlett and Vicki Brown, the 21st;

Eric Esshaki and Sharyn Underwood will celebrate on the 28th;

Quinn Geml, the 21st;

Parker Hadfield shares a birthday with Bill Powers on the 13th:

Charlie Hadfield is on the 25th;

Dakota Heimbecher is on the 12th;

Sabine Peters is on the 24th, and her son, Stephen's birthday was yesterday; Michelle Sloney, the 27th; Diane Storm is on the 18th.

That's a lot of birthdays! I vote we have cake and ice cream every Sunday this month! I hope all of our birthday girls and boys have a blessed and thankful celebration. Each one of you is a special and unique gift from God. The psalmist, David wrote:

For you created my inmost being; you knit me together in my mother's womb.

I praise you because I am fearfully and wonderfully made;
your works are wonderful,
I know that full well.
Psalm 139:13,14

A Reminder

There will be **NO** Zoom Prayer Meeting tomorrow.

Instead tomorrow evening at 7PM, everyone who is able, is invited to meet in the Heritage Community Garden for some **Weed Pulling Fellowship and Prayer**. Hope to see you!