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Rev. Dave Moody of First Presbyterian Church of Fairbanks sent this update for the Ekblad family:

Dear Friends.

Sarah Ekblad went home to be with the Lord Thursday evening, a bit before 8pm. She was surrounded by her family, and numerous friends. There were many tears shed, some laughter shared, scripture read and prayers prayed over the course of the last day and a half. Sarah was a gift to FPC- she taught us to welcome, and not despise- "the least of these" (Mt. 18.10). She will be missed by FPC, but by Mary, Andy, Hannah and Leah most of all. The Ekblads are in need of rest right now. This has been such a shock, and its been so sudden, that plans for a service remain unmade. Sleep is the first order of business. Some in their Life Group have provided food already. We'll let everyone know how they can help in the coming days and weeks. Please be praying for them. The love and care they've experienced the last couple days from their FPC family- they so appreciate it. Thanks, and we'll keep you updated. God's blessings to

you all!

"See that you do not despise one of these little ones. For I tell you that in heaven their angels always see the face of my Father who is in heaven." Mt. 18.10

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