

February 19, 2020

A weekly guide of prayer concerns in the Faith Church family and ministry.

PRAISE THE LORD

The Lord makes firm the steps
of the one who delights in him;
though he may stumble, he will not fall,
for the Lord upholds him with his hand.

I was young and now I am old,
yet I have never seen the righteous forsaken
or their children begging bread.
They are always generous and lend freely;
their children will be a blessing.

Turn from evil and do good;
then you will dwell in the land forever.
For the Lord loves the just
and will not forsake his faithful ones.
(Psalm 37:23-28)

Sunday, February 23

Nathan Kingsley – Psalm 67

May God be gracious to us and bless us
and make his face to shine upon us,
Selah

that your way may be known on earth,
your saving power among all nations.
Let the peoples praise you, O God;
let all the peoples praise you!

Let the nations be glad and sing for joy,
for you judge the peoples with equity
and guide the nations upon earth.

Selah

Let the peoples praise you, O God;
let all the peoples praise you!

The earth has yielded its increase;
God, our God, shall bless us.
God shall bless us;
let all the ends of the earth fear him!

LOCAL MINISTRY & OUTREACH

Faith Kids: Pray for God to provide 2 more nursery workers and a 5th grade assistant for the spring quarter.

Faith Student Ministry: Midweek small groups as they connect and grow deeper together. Assembling teams for summer serve and learn trips to Challenge Conference and Shepherd Community Center.

Adult Ministries: Winter quarter teachers and fellowships.

Iglesia de Fé: Pastor Luis Martinez and his leadership team. Now meeting on Sunday afternoons at 1:00 pm in the Worship Center

Faith International English: Perseverance in attendance and for the health of both students and teachers.

Staff and Leadership

Elders: James Nussbaum, Larry Reed, Fred Rescorla, Jerry Risser, Nathan Roth

Deacons: Steve Pedersen, Ed Stehno

Staff: Amy Mitchell, Johnny McClung, Andrea Preston

FAITH FAMILY

Hannah Anderson: ulcerative colitis

Bill Ashcraft: Westminster Village; stroke rehab

Marcia Carithers: pancreatic cancer; hospice care

Betty Coleman: spino cerebellar ataxia

John Crocker: Hepatic encephalopathy

Frances Dawes: discomfort in neck; also daughter, Cappy, treatment for cancer

Jane Fleck: challenging care needs for her mom

Jane Hughey: hospice care at Copper Trace

Rich Jones: MDS (myelodysplastic syndrome)

Sharon Kelly: ovarian cancer

Lina Lentsch: pray for nerve function restoration

Daniel McBride: severe back pain; MRI shows 3 damaged discs, consulting a neurosurgeon

Marti Miles: Ramsey Hunt Syndrome; improving but pray for full resolution

Gloria Moore: at home after extensive hospitalization and rehab

Nancy Pryor: lupus and cirrhosis of the liver

Dolores Wood: surgery 1/23 to resolve essential tremors; waiting until 2/26 to activate the implanted electronic device

Chronic Health Concerns: Tammy Bridges, Ghasem Charmsazi, Betty Coleman, Shari Davies, Robin Dawes, Nell Fitzgerald, Malinda Herke, Barbara Switzer

Special Needs, Care Homes, and Assisted Living:

Lil Ashby (at home), Ethel Ewing (Maple Park), Lois Gumper (Magnolia Springs), Norm Hughey (Woodland Terrace) and Jane Hughey (Copper Trace), Marilyn Klotz (Green House), Betty Miller (the Stratford), David Moore (Woodland Terrace) and Gloria Moore (home), Mattie Neff (Autumnwood Village), Sherry Rose (Willow Springs, Golden Living), Kathy Valentine (Sunrise/Old Meridian), Catherine Welty (the Stratford), Elizabeth West (home)

Employment needs:

Scott Freeman, Daniel McBride

GLOBAL OUTREACH

Mark & Alyssa Dunker – Alyssa's work permit denied, still waiting to hear on Mark's; planning on returning to US on home assignment this summer; pray for guidance for the future.

Eric & Sarah – pray for ongoing government and business challenges and for people in their region to remain calm despite the coronavirus outbreak.

Paul & Michelle – school situation, travel concerns, and safe return into the country in February.

Kim & Jan Cone – settled in Plymouth IN; new role facilitating national translation teams in CAR.

Also pray for:

Dick & Sue Price (CMF) NC

Jeff & Peg Shrum (Wycliffe) TX

Andy & Janet Singleterry (Servant Partners) CA

Dave & Joy Skinner (OM) South Africa

Mark & Dawn Slaughter (IVCF) IN

Kathi Small (TEAM) Guatemala

Ron & Sharon Stoltzfus (Wycliffe) Mexico

Dan & Michelle Tebbe (OCI)

Jim & Beth Tebbe (IVCF) Pakistan

Bill & Thelly Thomas (Cru) FL

Mark & Kathy Wilson (CMM) AR