

## 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 & Thelma Thomas** (Cru) FL

**Mark & Kathy Wilson** (CMM) AR