

August 7, 2020

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

And it is my prayer that your love may abound more and more, with knowledge and all discernment, so that you may approve what is excellent, and so be pure and blameless for the day of Christ, filled with the fruit of righteousness that comes through Jesus Christ, to the glory and praise of God. Philippians 1:9-11

Sunday, August 9

Pastor Joey will continue our series in the book of Micah.

LOCAL MINISTRY & OUTREACH

During this ongoing pandemic, pray we will continue to serve and encourage one another, our community, and our world as we can.

Faith Kids: Backyard Bible Clubs

Faith Student Ministry: Pray our students would be renewed in body and mind and for clear guidance for their summers.

Adult Ministries: Community groups as they meet in alternative ways to serve one another and serve beyond themselves.

Iglesia de Fé: Pastor Luis Martinez and his leadership team, beginning to meet on Sundays

Faith International English: FIEC team as they reach out to students. Pray also for students' families and friends around the world.

Staff and Leadership

Elders: Jonathan Baker, Bob Blahnik, Lee Christenson, Brian Clarke, Dennis Dawes, Terry Fleck, Joe Fitzgerald

Deacons: John Buben, Josh Horstman

Staff: Kendra Carter, Chris Frank

FAITH FAMILY

Numerous members of the Faith family and relatives across the country are dealing directly with patients who have COVID-19 in medical settings; also, first responders; local and national decision makers; delivery persons; grocery workers and others in food supply; and many others. Pray for protection; physical, emotional, and spiritual health; and for wisdom in vital decisions.

Stan Archer (Melissa Ho's father): ongoing chemotherapy for cancer

Noah Breitwieser: Duchenne Muscular Dystrophy - pray for gene therapy research and trials, and that Noah might qualify for emerging new treatment. He has started steroids. Pray for protection from side effects of mood swings and vomiting

Marty Begeman: fractured femur 6/13; recovering at home

Betty Coleman: four fractured ribs 6/28; recovery at home

Nolan Casey: diagnosis and treatment after recent seizure

Nancy Fair: breast cancer; mastectomy 8/14 – Outpatient surgery at Community North

Brian Hackman: hip fracture 6/14; surgery, several weeks of no weight bearing

Anna Houser: Praise God the cancer marker test indicates she is cancer free.

Norman Fiess: Margaret Johnston's almost 102-year-old father appears to be near death

Laura LeTourneau: fell and broke hip on 6/16; home 6/19 for recovery

Jim LeTourneau: hip replacement 7/9; recovery at home

Marti Miles: nearly a year since start of shingles and related problems; still a lot of discomfort, problems with hearing, balance and sight

Andrea Preston: disabled right arm and hand; praise for pain reduction; still seeking diagnosis and treatment.

Nancy Pryor: inflammation of bile duct; rheumatoid arthritis

Phyllis Rademacher: recently hospitalized with confusion; back at home with unclear diagnosis

Kaye Roane: suffering from sciatica pain

Jenny Watters: treatment for endometrial cancer; surgery in August

Chronic Health Concerns: Noah Breitwieser (Duchenne muscular dystrophy), Tammy Bridges, Ghasem Charmsazi, Betty Coleman (spino cerebellar ataxia), John Crocker (Hepatic encephalopathy), Robin Dawes, Nell Fitzgerald, Rich Jones (MDS), Malinda Herke, Barbara Switzer, Sharon Kelly (ovarian cancer)

Special Needs, Care Homes, and Assisted Living:

Lil Ashby (home), Ethel Ewing (Maple Park), Lois Gumper (Magnolia Springs), Norm Hughey (Woodland Terrace), Marilyn Klotz (Green House), Verline Krause (home) Betty Miller (the Stratford), David Moore (Woodland Terrace) and Gloria Moore (home), Mattie Neff (Autumnwood Village), Stella Phillips (Jane Fleck's mother), Sherry Rose (Willow Springs, Golden Living), Kathy Valentine (Sunrise/Old Meridian), Elizabeth West (home)

Employment needs: Scott Freeman, Daniel McBride

GLOBAL OUTREACH

Most of our missionaries are profoundly affected in their ministry because of the COVID-19 pandemic. This unprecedented challenge is filled with great Gospel opportunity. Pray to that end!

Joe & Kim Cluff: returned for home assignment year.

Sheshi & Trudie Kaniki: Sheshi is pastor of God's Tribe Church in Dar es Salaam; friend of Dunkers and Alex Truex. Malignant stage 4 frontal lobe Glioblastoma; surgery completed in Nairobi; chemotherapy and radiation

David & Emily Cetola: guidance and wisdom for their church's reopening.

Also pray for:

Eric & Sarah SE Asia

Randy & Valerie Beaverson (YFC/Asia Pacific) FL

Ed & Ann Benson (Cru) IN

David & Karen Bradley (Cru/JESUS Film Project) FL

Mark & Charlene Canada (MDE) KY

David & Emily Cetola (TEAM) Italy

John & Debbie Clifton (Wycliffe) FL

Lee & Pam Christenson (Wycliffe) IN

Joe & Kim Cluff (CMFI) Kenya

Kim & Jan Cone (EFCA) IN

Art & Lois Deyo (YFC) C