

## December 7, 2020

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

*The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light; those who dwelt in a land of deep darkness, on them has light shone... For to us a child is born, to us a son is given; and the government shall be upon his shoulder, and his name shall be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace. Isaiah 9:2, 6 ESV*

### Sunday, December 13th

Pastor Jeff preaching 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Advent from Philippians 2:1-11, *Christ Our Unity*.

### LOCAL MINISTRY & OUTREACH

**Faith Kids:** Pray for families to engage in structured discipleship of their children with *More Than a Story – Exploring the Message of the Bible with Children*

**Faith Student Ministry:** Meeting on Wednesdays; Pray for our students and leaders as they seek to grow in Christ

**Adult Ministries:** Grow Classes, some in person and some on Zoom; Community groups

**Iglesia de Fé:** transition of new leadership; need for preachers for the Sunday worship gathering.

**Faith International English:** Pray for teachers building relationships with students; strength and wisdom as volunteers teach and love.

### Staff and Leadership

Elders: Scott Freeman, Phil Johnston, David Kenley, Doug Leatherman

Deacons: Scott McDonald, Ben Paterson

Staff: Brittany Johnson, Kristen King, Claire Kingsley, Anna Hannum

Pastors: Nathan Kingsley, Tom Macy, Luis Martinez

### Our Nation and World

President Trump

President-Elect Biden

Governor Holcomb

Indianapolis Mayor Hogsett

### FAITH FAMILY

**Rosy Andrade:** joint pain; diagnosis pending

**Abigail Añez:** chronic airway disease; pray she gets through the flu/covid season w/o airway surgery

**Stan Archer** (Melissa Ho's father): chemotherapy

**Bob Blahnik:** healing for dislocated elbow

**Noah Breitwieser:** Duchenne MD –steroid regimen; pray antibody levels decrease so he qualifies for gene therapy next March

**Nancy Carter:** (Julie Snyder's mom) chemotherapy for non-Hodgkin's lymphoma

**Betty Coleman:** spino cerebellar ataxia-Increasing symptoms, more loss of balance and falls

**Doris Craig:** recovering at home from minor stroke

**Nancy Fair:** recovery from reconstruction 11/18

**Don Gallant:** son in law of Jim & Nancy Fair; acute myeloid leukemia, good results from early treatment, several cycles of chemo planned in prior to bone marrow transplant in spring 2021

**Edie Griffin:** COVID-19, recovering at home

**Marilyn Klotz:** died 12/4; graveside service pending

**Jimmy Sue Licklitter:** suffered a stroke on 11/24, St. Vincent Hospital

**Marti Miles:** 16 months since Shingles; much better, still sensory overload and hearing loss

**Steve Newnam:** knee surgery recovery

**Steve Pedersen:** parents in Wisconsin have health problems; planning to move them to Indy

**Andrea Preston:** Complex Regional Pain Syndrome (disabled right arm & hand); pray for pain reduction in wrist/hand and increased mobility

**Nancy Pryor:** hip replacement recovery; better but some difficulty walking and stairs with other leg

**Sylvia Scott:** radiation continuing with MRI on 12/14 to assess impact on brain; results 12/16

**Peggy Sprinkle:** COVID-19, recovering at home

**Chronic Health Concerns:** Noah Breitwieser (Duchenne MD), Tammy Bridges, Ghasem Charmsazi, Betty Coleman (spino cerebellar ataxia), John Crocker (Hepatic encephalopathy), Robin Dawes, Nell Fitzgerald, Rich Jones (MDS), Malinda Herke, Andrea Preston (Complex Regional Pain Syndrome. disabled right arm & hand); Barbara Switzer, Sharon Kelly (ovarian cancer)

**Military Service:**

Samuel Morford, U.S. Marines, Camp Pendleton  
Fields Alexander, U.S. Marines, San Diego

**Employment:** Daniel McBride; praise God for Scott Freeman starting a new job this week!

**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)

**GLOBAL OUTREACH**

**Ann Benson:** working with Cru from home; Seeking wisdom for encouragement to staff as she connects virtually. Creativity for campus ministries to reach students and share the hope of Jesus.

**Mark and Charlene Canada:** Moving back to Indianapolis this month. Pray for wisdom, diligence and open doors for MDE entrepreneurs.

**Kim and Jan Cone:** ReachGlobal, Indiana - Kim has been seconded to Wycliffe to help translation teams in the Central African Republic. Pray 3 completed New Testaments launch well. Jan working PT in an assisted-living facility.

**Scott and Lisa Hicks:** Scott speaking for week-long conference in Dallas in December

**Cindy Irwin:** Studying the Bible with several groups. Pray those studying would come to a clear understanding of who Jesus is and grow deep in their faith. Pray for a Spanish speaking church that met at the Loft to continue to reach Spanish speakers locally and globally.

**Margie Hiestand:** fractured hip and elbow in fall on 10/24; recovering from surgery, dealing with pain.

**Tom and Julie Meiner:** Jesus Film ministry reaching people in 1800+ languages. Praise God for response of a Quechua man to the film; praying many more would receive Christ. Financial support needed.

**Jeff and Peg Shrum:** Wycliffe. Jeff to finishing Hebrew courses; Peg assisting in translation work. Peg's kidney function is still poor; pray cause can be identified and treated.

**Janet Singleterry:** slow recovery, creatinine levels still high but improving; feels cold all the time which is opposite of her history of always feeling hot.

**Kathi Small:** SETECA (Central Amer. Theol. Sem.) has returned to Guatemala after a few weeks in Indiana; back to teaching (by Zoom) in January.

**Also Pray for:**

Mark & Stephanie Dodrill (YFC Int'l) Spain  
Mark & Alyssa Dunker (EFCA) Tanzania  
Steve & Joan Eisinger (EFCA) IN  
Bill & Lee Hall (Wycliffe) Philippines  
Jacob & Becca Hash (Josiah Venture) Poland  
Scott & Lisa Hicks (Barnabas Int'l) SC  
Solid Word Bible Church (Indianapolis)  
Ruth Hubbard (URBANA) WI  
Cindy Irwin (TEAM)  
Tim & Clarissa (ELIC)  
Doug & Darla Leatherman (Cru) IN  
Lisa Meharry (Wycliffe) FL  
Tom & Julie Meiner (Cru/JESUS Film Project) FL  
Tom & Kristi Miller (Cru/GAIIn USA) TX