

October 10, 2022

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

“Oh, taste and see that the Lord is good! Blessed is the man who takes refuge in him! Oh, fear the Lord, you his saints, for those who fear him have no lack!”

Psalm 34:8-9

This Week

Pastor Joey preaching on Matthew 7:24-27

LOCAL MINISTRY & OUTREACH

Adult Ministries: Better Together grow class starting this Sunday; Ministry Appreciation Month

Faith Students: Pizzapalooza this weekend; for Jr. High students & their Bible reading

FIEC: Some kids having a tough time adjusting to new culture and environment in the US

Iglesia de Fe: Installation of Pastor Jean Petit Oct 11

Elders: Jonathan Baker, Lee Christenson, Brian Clarke, Dennis Dawes, Terry Fleck, Scott Freeman

Deacons: Scott Beattie, Josh Horstman

Staff: Kendra Carter, Steve Eisinger, Jane Greuel

FAITH FAMILY

Abigail Anez: baby due 10/31; risk for preeclampsia due to family history & her chronic airway disease

Marty Begeman: surgery 8/31 to repair muscle tear and tendon rubbing on hardware from fracture repairs in 2020; no weight bearing for 6 weeks

Sandy Brown: Injured back; recovering at home

Betty Coleman: Cervical spine fusion 9/30; now at Rehabilitation Hospital of Indianapolis in Carme.

John Crocker: severe edema, poor liver function; heart failure; kidney stress

Irene Evans: leg wound not healing well

Steve & Linda Glave: attending Faith (members of EFCA church in IL); son, Aaron, was in a bad car accident here; pray for recovery

Jane & Brian Greuel: nurse for grandson, Jonah

Leann Harney: Her mom, Lois Cremeens, in failing health with COPD and pneumonia

Lisa Horstman: hip repair surgery 9/21

Sharon Kelly: ovarian cancer; blood clot in leg

Marti Miles: Ramsey Hunt syndrome and synkinesis

Jeff Molin: pray for healing of damaged eye

Brian Parker: MSA (Multiple System Atrophy)

Jack & Shirley Rogers: meds to suppress cancer

Suzette Schepers: recovering from pneumonia; upcoming lung biopsy

Sylvia Scott: lung cancer & brain tumor; vision loss

Bob Shaw: Jan's husband, Bob, died 9/15

Scotty Spohr: sister, Julie McEwan, 74, died 9/1

Peggy Sprinkle: heart valve replaced 9/22, doing well

Bob Tansey: moved to Bickford Senior Living of Carmel for memory care

Dave & Katrina Vickery: Mission trip to Togo 9/26-10/24: safe travel, work w/teammates, caring for patients & families, gospel impact, evangelism

Dolores Wood: pain relief and recovery for wrist

Chronic Health Concerns: Rosy Andrade (neuropathy), Lucy Breitwieser (mild CP affecting left leg), Noah Breitwieser (Duchenne MD), Ghasem Charmsazi, Betty Coleman (spinocerebellar ataxia), John Crocker (Hepatic encephalopathy), Robin Dawes (chronic pain/ neuropathy), Malinda Herke, Rich Jones (MDS -Myelodysplastic syndrome); Judy Parker; Leah Paterson; Fatemeh Saddigh (back pain)

Special Needs, Care Homes, Assisted Living:

Doris Craig, Irene Evans (Barrington), Ethel Ewing (Maple Park), Joe/Nell Fitzgerald (Stratford); Norm Hughey (Woodland Terrace), Bob Irvin (Prairie Lakes), Phyllis Irwin, Jimmie Sue Lickliter (Hooverwood), Mattie Neff (Autumnwood Village), Audrey Pedersen (Hooverwood), Sherry Rose (Willow Springs, Golden Living), Richard/Marge Upton (Allisonville Meadows), Kathy Valentine (Sunrise/Old Meridian), Elizabeth West

Military Service:

Samuel Morford, U.S. Marines, Camp Lejeune, NC
Fields Alexander, U. S. Marines, Camp Pendleton

OUR NATION AND WORLD

Pray that local, state, and national officials will have wisdom and lead with integrity; pray for humility and faith in seeking God's will; for efforts to unify our nation and seek the good of all; for justice, peace, truth, and mercy to be seen in our nation.

For rescue, relief, and rebuilding after the devastation of Hurricane Ian, and for those affected in the Caribbean, Florida, and coastal states;

For peace and security in eastern Europe;

For faith, hope, and God's provision in Lebanon;

For peace and stability in DR Congo.

GLOBAL OUTREACH

Randy & Valerie Beaverson (YFC): Raising funds to provide flood relief for S. Asia, esp. those least likely to get aid as a religious minority.

Ann Benson (Cru): Interactions with & coaches staff; sending coordinators, Allison and Julie, during heavy season of evaluating intern applications.

Mark & Charlene Canada (MDE): Grateful for God's provision of a COO, Bill Burke! Pray for onboarding.

Joe & Kim Cluff (CMF, Kenya): Safety & wisdom as Joe meets with leaders to train and strategize on disciple-making. Kim: balancing team leadership & teaching HS p/t; continued growth for Sophia & Theo; praise for Joe's dad's continued healing.

Lee & Pam Christenson (Wycliffe): working to fund a translation project

Mark & Alyssa Dunker (Reach Global): Mark teaching two online classes for NEGST, Pentateuch & Pastoral Theology; Alyssa completed doctoral course work, writing chapter on marriage in Tanzania; teaching online counseling for Reach Tanzania students. Hoping to move to Nairobi in early 2023 as ReachGlobal missionaries seconded to NEGST; details being finalized

Jacob & Becca Hash (Josiah Venture, Poland): Continued growth in youth group relationships; new student leaders; continued healthy pregnancy.

Ruth Hubbard (Intervarsity): Pray for Naomi, Angel, and Amaya who will share their testimonies at Urbana, for their preparation & support.

Doug & Darla Leatherman (Cru): Pray God's Spirit pours over students so they stand strong in faith when the stress of classes & athletics hit; for new

coaches/admins to come to discussion groups; planning for upcoming conferences.

Lisa Meharry (Wycliffe): Praise for encouragement & renewal from trip to Orlando; grace for Lisa's mom facing health challenges.

Tom/Julie Meiner (Jesus Film Project): 5 new interns reporting to jobs in Orlando; wisdom to increase the effectiveness of the Jesus Film.

Tom & Kristi Miller (Cru City): Working with CRU City in Dallas; Kristi working in church ESL ministry, praying for opportunities to share Jesus w/students.

Jeff & Peg Shrum (SIL): Peg checking Acts & John for an Amazon group; Jeff checking Galatians for the Kunama translation team; finding good work rhythm with widely dispersed team.

Andy & Janet Singleterry (Servant Partners): Andy's father in hospital; Nayeli's community at UC Riverside & heavy academic load; Andy & Janet supporting aging parents; travel to Thailand 10/18.

Dan & Michelle Tebbe (One Challenge): Adjustment to life in Wheaton, IL; for rest & rejuvenation; for the girls to adjust to school & make good friends.

Nairobi Evangelical Graduate School of Theology (Kenya): Seeking new faculty to replace retirees.

Retired Missionaries:

John & Debbie Clifton
Ginny Cocanower
Lee Dillinger
Art & Lois Deyo
Sam & Sadie Doherty
Barb Fountain
Kris Groome
Bill & Lee Hall
Steve & LeAnne Hardy
Agusta Harting
Dick & Ruth Heldenbrand
Phyllis Irwin
Steve & Janet Kunnecke
Terry & Shirley Morrison
Dick & Sue Price
Ron & Sharon Stoltzfus
Jim & Beth Tebbe
Bill & Thelly Thomas
Steve & Nancy Wooden
Walt & Lois Zigrang