

## October 24, 2022

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

*“When the righteous cry for help, the LORD hears and delivers them out of all their troubles. The LORD is near to the brokenhearted and saves the crushed in spirit.”*

*Psalms 34:17-18*

### This Week

Pastor Joey preaching on Matthew 8:5-13; 18-22

### LOCAL MINISTRY & OUTREACH

**Adult Ministries:** Ministry Appreciation Month

**Faith Students:** Upcoming FSM ministry activities; 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:** Ministry of Pastor Jean Petit

**Elders:** Matt Saefkow, Steve Shambaugh, Tom Waltz, Marc West, Mike Zumbrun

**Deacons:** Mark Tomlin, Dave Yurek

**Staff:** , Amy Mitchell, Julie Snyder

**Pastors:** Jeff Schultz, Joey Woestman

**Finance Committee:** Jeremy Davis, Jim Fair, Kristen King, David Stowers, Josh Horstman

### 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; no weight bearing for 6 weeks

**Sandy Brown:** Injured back; recovering at home

**Louise Buben:** Louise’s mother, Caroline Johnson, died 10/11. Funeral 10/22 in Easley, SC

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

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

**Catherine Curry:** knee pain which has led to hip and back pain; doctor appointment 10/31

**Irene Evans:** leg wound not healing well

**Steve & Linda Glave:** (EFCA church in IL); son, Aaron, was in a very bad car accident here, making some improvement; transferred to hospital near Steve & Linda for neuro & physical rehab

**Jane & Brian Greuel:** nurse for grandson, Jonah

**Leann Harney:** Her mom, Lois Cremeens, died Wednesday, 10/12; memorial plans pending

**Lisa Horstman:** hip repair surgery 9/21

**Marti Miles:** Ramsey Hunt syndrome and synkinesis

**Ron Miles:** long-term back pain which has not responded to therapy; doctor app’t this week

**Jeff Molin:** pray for healing of damaged eye

**Brian Parker:** MSA (Multiple System Atrophy)

**Jack & Shirley Rogers:** meds to suppress cancer

**Suzette Schepers:** upcoming lung biopsy

**Sylvia Scott:** lung cancer & brain tumor; vision loss

**Peggy Sprinkle:** heart valve replaced 9/22

**Betty Tansey:** Covid pos & symptomatic as of 10/14

**Bob Tansey:** Bickford Sr Living memory care, Carmel

**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 & recovery, arm/elbow

**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), Sharon Kelly (ovarian cancer), 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), Bob Tansey (Bickford), 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 & 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.

Pray also for:

- rescue, relief, and rebuilding after the devastation of Hurricane Ian, and for those affected in the Caribbean, Florida, and coastal states;
- peace, security, freedom in eastern Europe, Haiti, Iran, DR Congo; stability and hope for Lebanon
- faith, hope and endurance for God's people suffering under oppression and working to reflect his Kingdom in their communities

## **GLOBAL OUTREACH**

**Randy & Valerie Beaverson** (YFC): National Directors & Spouse retreat in Nov. Pray the Gospel goes forth even in heavily restricted areas.

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

**Mark & Charlene Canada** (MDE): Praise for Bill Burke as new COO! Pray for funding.

**Art & Lois Deyo** (YFC): Art awaits PET scan; Feeling side effects of chemotherapy.

**Marc & Stephanie Dodrill** (YFC, Spain): Wisdom scheduling training courses; Marc & David, two non-Christians, to understand the Gospel and respond in faith; for new students in English courses after recently rebranding the academy.

**Mark & Alyssa Dunker** (Reach Global): Mark teaching Pentateuch & Pastoral Theol. online at NEGST; Alyssa completed doctoral courses, writing chapter on marriage in Tanzania; teaching online counseling for Reach Tanzania. Both to Visit NEGST in late October; hope to move to Nairobi in early 2023, seconded to NEGST by EFCA ReachGlobal

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

**Ruth Hubbard** (Intervarsity): Pray for students who will share testimonies at Urbana, one student backed out — wisdom for filling spot. Pray an adjustment to plenary plan comes together well. Wisdom for Ruth in extremely busy season.

**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 cking Acts & John for Amazon group; Jeff cking Galatians for Kunama team; finding 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.

**Bill & Thelly Thomas** (Cru): Pray for creative ways to share the gospel including work on The Survey of Love, a GenZ-relevant evangelistic tool. Recovery for those affected by Hurricane Ian.

**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, Augusta Harting, Dick & Ruth Heldenbrand, Phyllis Irwin, Steve & Janet Kunnecke, Terry Morrison, Dick & Sue Price, Ron & Sharon Stoltzfus, Jim & Beth Tebbe, Bill & Thelly Thomas, Steve & Nancy Wooden, Walt & Lois Zigrang