

June 22, 2026

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

*For God alone, O my soul, wait in silence,
for my hope is from him.
6 He only is my rock and my salvation,
my fortress; I shall not be shaken.
7 On God rests my salvation and my glory;
my mighty rock, my refuge is God.
8 Trust in him at all times, O people;
pour out your heart before him;
God is a refuge for us. Selah
Psalm 62:5-8*

SUNDAY – Pastor Jeff preaching from Mt. 19:23-28

LOCAL MINISTRY & OUTREACH

Lead Pastor Search: The Search Team has recommended a candidate to be presented the weekend of July 19, details coming. Pray for Faith Church, for the candidate, and for confirmation of the Lord's will.

Faith Kids: Praise for wonderful Kids Camp June 1-5

Men of Faith: Friday AM Bible Study – Gospel of John

Elders: Larry Reed, Fred Rescorla, Jerry Risser, Nathan Roth, Matt Saefkow

Deacons: Kent Carmer, Ed Stehno

Staff: Brittany Johnson, Joel Bussell, Claire Kingsley

FAITH FAMILY

Pray for hope in trials and care for one another

Marilyn Beattie: Scott's mother; rehab at Hoosier Village

Sara Cockerham: surgery on June 24 for a heart patch

Dave Forbes: Copper Trace

Jane Greuel: hip replacement recovery

Yvonne Jones: knee replacement on Tuesday, 5/12

Jim Miles: another total knee replacement on the same leg 6/16; pray this will finally resolve and get him back on his feet.

Brad Parker: Pray for match for liver transplant.

Jerry Parker: Brownsburg Health Care Center for rehab from back surgery; His time there is running out in the next week. Pray he can effectively get out of bed and chair on his own to function at home.

Larry Swanson: IU Hospital after surgery on 5/29 to treat pancreatic cancer; surgery went well; digestive system slow in restoring function, but back to some nourishment by mouth; hoping to be home within a day or two. Pathology report shows cancer in the lymph nodes; chemotherapy will begin in 6 to 12 weeks.

Chronic Health Concerns:

Pray for faith, strength, perseverance & wholeness

Lucy & Noah Breitwieser, Ghasem Charmsazi, Leah Paterson, Fatemeh Saddigh, Dan Smashey, Ron Sonti

Special Needs, Care Homes, Assisted Living, Unable to worship in person:

Frances Dawes, Tom/Robin Dawes, Dave Forbes, Eddie/Sue Foster, Barb Fountain, Agusta Harting, Norm Hughey, Judy Parker, Sherry Rose, Peggy Sprinkle, John/Barbara Switzer, Bob Tansey, Marge Upton, Kathy Valentine, Chandler/Judith Waggoner, Elizabeth West

Military Service: *Pray for protection, wisdom, witness*

Isaac, grandson of Jim & Ann Casassa, deployed to the Middle East with the US Marines

Sam Sawada, IN Air National Guard Reserve – deployed domestically

Anne Davidson Ward (daughter of Darrell & Robin), Navy MD, Pensacola FL

Ryan Woolf (son of Mike & Elizabeth), US Army

SUMMER OF SENDING

Italy Team: June 10-22; English language camp for children with spiritual engagement to share the Gospel.

Team Members; Kendra & Keziah Carter, Jonathan & Anelise Baker, Adam & Kaylee Daulton, Kylie Foor; James, Tina, Marcus & David Miles

Pray for ... good connections & spiritual conversations with campers & unsaved Italian teen staff. ... to see the greatest treasure is Jesus. ...to see that God is alive, present & active in the world. ...to clearly hear the gospel.

Pray for ...trip & camp details to meld well when the team arrives in Italy & that trip “pivots” go smoothly.

Shepherd Team: June 14-19; supporting Shepherd Community Center summer day program, building relationships, learning from Poverty 101 training and the importance of holistic ministry reflecting Christ's love and the Gospel with compassion and humility. Team Members: Megan Schuster, Ellis Bratton, Sophia Kennedy, Karis Ho, Lily Vickery, Amelia Shambaugh, Josh Kennedy, Neil Hackman, Josh Horstman, James Vickery, Ben Horstman, Daniel Horstman, Zach Foor, John Hansen, Maggie Hooten, Hannah Angebrandt

GLOBAL OUTREACH

David & Karen Bradley (Jesus Film Project): David part of JFP financial allocation process 6/15-26. Fundraising for animated Jesus Film. Pray for new partnership with other mission organizations to see everyone everywhere reached by 2033. Summer Camp for On Mission Martial Arts 6/15-19 — kids to grow in understanding of how much God loves them. 6/9

David & Emily Cetola (TEAM, Italy): team arriving from Faith for summer camp the week of June 15 (see Italy Team on front page) 6/9

Mark & Alyssa Dunker (ReachGlobal, Nairobi Evangelical Graduate School of Theology): Mark teaching NT Survey Class (in 10 short weeks) — pray the Spirit speaks to each student. Alyssa will return to Kenya after time in Indy. Praise: Alyssa is off prednisone and is full of comparative energy and health! Bethany was promoted at work! 6/17

Scott & Lisa Hicks (Barnabas Int'l): At Faith Church 6/14 for a Celebration of their 30 years in ministry! Pray for safe travels in June (staff meetings, visiting family and Faith Church) and for those Scott counsels by Zoom living around in the globe. Scott was recently in Greece for a 10-day conference for medical global workers where he spoke, counseled and facilitated groups. 6/9

Ruth Hubbard (MDE): Praise: for ways God is restoring rhythm, capacity and joy. **Pray:** for wisdom/clarity as MDE's website and communications move toward public use, that the refreshed website will help people engage with MDE, for growing number of new client/members in 2026. For rest/renewal during week in northern Michigan and to return with joy and readiness for God's work. 6/17

Cindy Irwin (TEAM): Began Bible study with 5 neighbors in nearby subdivision. Pray they return and others join. Pray for Friday International students' study at the LOFT. 4/22

Kiev Theological Seminary: - Celebrated 30th anniversary. In this years KTS had had 1,440+ graduates. Pray for endurance through the long war.

Doug & Darla Leatherman (Cru): Praise: Celebrated 35th wedding anniversary; Caitlyn & Caleb expecting baby in December; Jerod & Amy getting married in July. students from Indy took part in Ultimate Training Camp at CSU; summer mission in Myrtle Beach saw 15 come to faith this summer. **Pray:** Doug serving on Cru HS Rocky Mtn. Getaway 6/20-25 — for spiritual growth in each student; Athletes in Action in Indy — for Joe and Harrison who came to check it out. 6/17

Lisa Meharry (Wycliffe): Praise: new finance team member joining in Aug.; Jr High Bible reading celebration went well! **Pray:** effective testing/timely implementation of the new finance software 6/15-26; clear strategies and more team members for the Shared Staff Engagement team; that people everywhere will be transformed by God's Word. 6/9

Middle East Bible Outreach (MEBO) and Arab Baptist Theological Seminary: Lebanon continues to be the center of pressures from refugee resettlement in the middle east increased from current war in Iran and conflict between Israel and Hezbollah. Pray for ministries of MEBO stretched thin to serve growing numbers.

Tom & Kristi Miller (Cru City): Tom meets with group of young men in college ministry, FOCUS. Kristi helping write Global Highlights for a Cru resource ministry, The Significance Project. 4/29

Mark Slaughter (InterVarsity): Praise: for strong financial giving; preparation for Kenya Festival (7/23-8/2), a large outreach in Nairobi — messages, LFM mentor training, meetings with strategic relationships; for Mark, Dawn and their family to experience God's miraculous power and peace through this difficult season. 6/9

Kathi Small (TEAM, Guatemala): Praise: progress in healing of her foot, new course she is preparing and excited to start teaching July 11. **Pray:** scheduling time to meet with 2 women in her small group who asked to meet with her; progress on her dissertation. 6/9

Isaac & Jenn Stough (YFC, Spain): Camps: 5 camps in 5 weeks with 5 different themes all with opportunities to encourage campers to follow Jesus. Pray that campers and leaders encounter God personally and begin to recognize His presence in their lives. 6/9