



Praises and Prayer Concerns

November 15, 2023

*"Building community with Christ
to impact a world without Christ."*

Praises and Answers to Prayer: For God's blessing upon the Ladies Fellowship on November 9th and the Love Life prayer walk on November 11th.

Prayer Focus for the Week: For the many serving in military service from our church.

General Ministry Needs:

- * Our search for a Minister of Music and Young Adults.
- * For our everyday staff (Pastor Doug, Pastor Dave, Pastor Matt, Jason, Julie, Larry, and Trish) to be able to connect well with those in their respective spheres of ministry.
- * For the marriages, families, and health of our Pastoral Staff and Elder & Deacon boards.
- * For the Lord's sustaining and prospering of the local ministries with which we partner: Align Life, CrossNet, ELANCO Released Time, Love INC, Upward, and Revelation of Freedom Ministries.

Strategic Initiatives:

1. Building up:

- For the Sunday series, "Free in Christ" (Galatians)," the Wednesday series "The Final Curtain" on the Book of Revelation, and the many ABF's, small groups, and men's, ladies, and children's ministries.
- For God's word to be joyfully received and obeyed by all who hear it.

2. Reaching Out:

- Our on-going partnership with CrossNet's ministry to the homeless.

Items of Specific Concern:

- * For God's comfort for the extended family of Wilmer Martin who went home to be with the Lord on November 11th. Visitation at 3 PM and service at 4 PM here on Tuesday, November 21st.
- * Recovering from surgery or sickness: Glenn Dussinger (aneurysm), Paul Leaman (ribs), Arlene Eberly (ribs), Don Finney, Linda Laukhuff (back), Judy Borsos (heart), Jeff Cone (knee), Joyce Bollinger (stroke), Cheryl Landis (ankle), Marian Gans (hip), Ken Fisher (shoulder), and Charlotte Dussinger (knee).
- * Dealing with cancer: Les Bowman, Jeanie Horst, Carol Lamb, and Irv Wenger.
- * Dealing with chronic health challenges: Judy Borsos, Ryan Dougherty, Joyce Enck, Greg Gans, Melody Kohler, Isaiah Martin, Alta Robin, Dave Smoker, Elton Watson & Tim Weiss.
- * Unable to attend: Bill Brackin, Ruth Esch, Donna Gibson, Ginny Hertzler, Isabella Kelly, Ed & Dot Lodge, Leon Stauffer, Bill Martin (Ruth Ann), and Vi Martin, and Erv Weaver.
- * Expectant Moms: Kelli Hoffman, Karli Horning, Bethany Parmer, Jackie Sauder, Kiera Stoltzfus, Stef Supplee and Rosemary Weaver.
- * Families for the Week: Mike & Andrea Martin (*Zane, Kenley*), Mike & Linda Martin, Rich & Sue Martin, Roy & Janet Martin and Tom & Kiki Martin (*Evan, Liam, Erin, Aubry*).

Needs and Concerns of Friends & Family (Please update the office within 30 days of request):

- * Pastor Doug's sister: for continued recovery and the scheduling of knee replacement surgery.
- * Kevin & Diane Rissler's sister-in-law who recently lost her husband: diagnosed with cancer.
- * Seven-year-old great-granddaughter of Ralph & Fran Ferguson: abdominal cancer treatment.

Missions Committee: Marnita Hartline (Chair), Don Aldrich, Marcus Hartline, Jim Martin, Liz Myers, Deb Musser, Ken Stoltzfus, Sonja Zeek, and Kenton Zimmerman.

Our Missionaries:

- * BAER, Carlton & Karen—ABWE/N. America
- * BIRKENBINE, John & Melanie—Millersville
- * BRAUN, Bill & Denise—ABWE/Moldova
- * COCHRAN, Mike & Rhonda—Wycliffe/Dallas
- * COLDWELL, David & Barbara—
BEE/Restricted access SE Asia
- * DIGGINS, B.J. & Kris—Wycliffe-JAARS/NC
- * DOUGLAS, Trevor & Norma—World
Team/Philippines
- ANGOWAN, Dante & Elsa—Philippines
- * ESPINOZA, Alfredo & Asunta—FOI/Argentina
- * HANNAY, Evan & Libby—Ethnos 360/PNG
- * KUMHER, Bruce & Tammie
—BMW/Northwest PA
- * MAIER, Andreas & Bethany
CrossWorld/Germany & Central Asia
- BOGATI, Sabin & Rajeeana—Central Asia
- * MARTIN, Vicky—Ethnos 360/Philippines
- * MELLETTE, Jerad & Wanda—WOL/Montreal
- * MITA, Joe & Noney—Baptist Mid Missions/Japan
- * MOLSEE, Ethan & Melissa—ABWE, Togo, West Africa
- * NIZAR NOURI, Haytham & Mary—IPM/Lebanon
- * NGUBANE, Abby & Mthoko —BMW, South Africa
- * ORTMAN, Terry & Doris—Susek Evang. Assoc./PA
- * OVERLY, Josiah & Vivian—SYME, Taiwan
- * REYNARD, Don & Rhonda—Reach Global/Europe
- * ROHRBAUGH, Jon & Kate—Greenview Bible Camp
- * ROHRBAUGH, Steve & Donna—Greenview BC
- * ROMIG, Bob & Gale—InFaith/Minnesota
- * SANTAFE, Juan & Melissa—Avant/Colombia
- * SMITH, Bill & Lori—ABWE/Papua New Guinea
- * SMITH, Bryan & Lori—Avant/Mexico
- * TINSLEY, David & Karen—BMW/New York City
- * TOLBERT, John & Beverly—ABWE-Gap/SE Asia
- * WALTER, Clay & Becky—MAF/Nampa, ID
- * WENGER, Irv & Janet—Avant/Guatemala

Our Community, Nation & Our World:

- * For an end to the wars in Israel and Ukraine; for Christian ministry to many refugees!
- * For protection and encouragement for persecuted believers in the Middle East, Africa, and Asia.
- * For the President, Vice-president, and all national, state, and local government leaders.

Those in Military Service:

★Lieut. Mitchell Bawell (son of John & Kathy) ★Staff Sargent Brett Bollinger (nephew of Nate & Kristen Davis) ★Philip Coldwell (son of David & Barbara) ★CMDR. Danny Davis & ★CMDR. Kirsten Davis (son-in-law and daughter of Wolfram & Arlene Andrews) ★Staff Sgt. John Finkey (brother of Joe) ★Private Second Class Nathan Johnson (grandson of Jeff & Doris Devine)★Captain Jacob Layer (son-in-law of Sue Fitzpatrick) ★Staff Sgt. Terrell Moore (son-in-law of Dave & Cheryl Horst) ★Technical Sgt. Troy Heller (son of Jim & Carol) ★Staff Sargent Dan Pereyaslov (brother of Lena Rohrbaugh) ★Specialist Ben Primrose (grandson of Bill & Ruth Ann Martin) ★Colonel Jeffrey Rule (son of Ed) ★Senior Airman Robert Shore (grandson of Gregg & Joanne Bensinger)★Chris Tinsley (son of David & Karen).