



Praises and Prayer Concerns

April 24, 2024

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

Praises and Answers to Prayer: For a great turnout for the Student Ministry Missions Fundraising breakfast this past Sunday with over \$8800 raised for student missions!

Prayer Focus for the Week: Tyler Noel, candidate for Minister of Music and Young Adults, will be with us Sunday. Pray for a great morning together and God's confirmation of Tyler in this role.

General Ministry Needs:

- * 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, Revelations of Freedom Ministries and Upward.

Strategic Initiatives:

1. Building up:

- For the ministry of the Word through the current Sunday series "Just Like Jesus," the current Wednesday series "The Final Curtain" on the Book of Revelation, and our ABF's, small groups, 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:

- * Mark Good is having heart surgery on April 26.
- * Recovering from surgery or sickness: Larry Shreiner, Denny Brodhecker, Pam Horst, Ladd Martin (kidney stones), Wolfram Andrews (kidney stones), and Charlotte Dussinger (rehab).
- * Dealing with cancer: Ruthann Hornberger, Pam Horst, Jim Martin (hospice), Sandy Martin (May 1st surgery), and Les Bowman.
- * Dealing with chronic health challenges: Al Allison (vertigo), Lisa Chetta, Judy Borsos, Ryan Dougherty, Glenn Dussinger, Eileen Eck, Joyce Enck, Melody Kohler, Isaiah Martin, Alta Robin, Dave Smoker, Elton Watson, and Tim & Chris Weiss.
- * Unable to attend: Carl & Joyce Bollinger, Bill Brackin, Jim & Grace Discavage, Ruth Esch, Donna Gibson, Hannah Hauenstein, Ginny Hertzler, Isabella Kelly, Ed & Dot Lodge, Judy Shupp, Bill Martin (Ruth Ann), Vi Martin, and Erv Weaver.
- * Expectant Moms: Yvonne Beiler, Deidre Espenshade, Megan Morken, Shalynne Wnuk, and Rebecca Zimmerman.
- * Families for the Week: Vinny & Bonnie Tennis, Peggy Thorndike, Herman & Rachel Thornton, Kevin & DeAnne Thrush, and Buddy & Janice Trago.

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

- * Sarah Florea's sister: pray her insurance will agree to pay for critically needed acute rehab.
- * Wolfe & Arlene Andrew's son-in-law, who sustained severe injuries from a fallen tree limb.
- * Pastor Doug's sister: God's provision for continuing rehab.
- * Kevin & Diane Rissler's sister-in-law being treated for cancer.
- * Becky Cone's mom receiving chemo treatment for cancer.

Missions Committee: Don Aldrich (Chair), Marcus Hartline, John Hoffman, Connie Kepiro, Paul Hartline (elder), Sharon Martin, Liz Myers, Deb Musser, Sonja Zeek, and Kenton Zimmerman.

Our Missionaries:

- * BAER, Carlton & Karen—ABWE/N. America
- * BIRKENBINE, John & Melanie—
Navigators/Millersville University
- * 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/Arizona
- * KUMHER, Bruce & Tammie
—BMW/Northwest PA
- * MAIER, Andreas & Bethany
CrossWorld/Germany & Central Asia
- * BOGATI, Sabin & Rajeena—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
- * 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
- * ZEEK, Mike & Sonja—FIM/SE Asia

Short-Term Missions:

- * Morgan Mellette (daughter of Jerad & Wanda) – assisting Word of Life in Uganda April 17-27.
- * Noah Durling – assisting our CFC missionary Naoto Funada in Japan February 4 – May 5.
- * Sara Hoffman (daughter of John & Tammi) – assisting Bold Hope Mission in Belize May 1-15.

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) ★Senior Airman Robert Shore (grandson of Gregg & Joanne Bensinger) ★Chris Tinsley (son of David & Karen).