



## **Praises and Prayer Concerns**

**April 9, 2025**

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

**Praises and Answers to Prayer:** For God's rich blessing upon Sunday's Missions Focus with guest speaker Dr. Chris Gnanakan as well as several CFC supported missionaries.

**Prayer Focus for the Week:** For fruitful invitations to friends & family for our Easter services.

### **General Ministry Needs:**

- \* For our everyday staff (Pastor Doug, Pastor Matt, Jason, Tyler, 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:**

- \* Building up:
  - For ministry of the Word through the Sunday series "A Fresh Start," the Wednesday Adult prayer and share, ABF's, community groups, and Men's, Ladies, & Children's ministries.
  - For God's word to be joyfully received and obeyed by all who hear it.
- \* Reaching Out: For opportunities to be a witness through many church activities and services.

### **Items of Specific Concern:**

- \* Tia Hollinger will be having surgery on her right knee at North Pointe Center for Orthopedic Associates in Lancaster on Wednesday, April 16<sup>th</sup> for a torn ACL.
- \* Recovering from surgery/injury/illness: Doris Devine, Joanne Discavage (home Friday!), Charlotte Dussinger, Becky Myers, Cheryl Landis, Pat King, Ed Rule, Lee Dawson, and Don Lord.
- \* Dealing with cancer: Doris Devine, Ruthann Hornberger, Ben Kaufmann, and Charlene Shreiner.
- \* Dealing with chronic health challenges: Al Allison, Gary Amey, Joyce Enck, Carol Felpel, Jane Jackson, Melody Kohler, Alta Robin, Judy Shupp, Dave Smoker, Phil Welsher, Elton Watson, Tim Weiss, Sandy Van Etten, and John Yoder.
- \* Unable to attend: Ray Balmer, Bill Brackin, Carl & Joyce Bollinger, Jim & Grace Discavage, Ruth Esch, Clair Good, Ginny Hertzler, Isabella Kelly, Ed & Dot Lodge, Carl E. Martin, Vi Martin, Ed Rule, Judy Shupp, and Erv Weaver.
- \* Expectant Moms: Lauren Rissler and Chelsea Vatter.
- \* Families for the Week: Brandon & Bethany Parmer (*Caleb*), Jerri & Cindy Parmer, Linda Peachey, Mark & Jacquie Phillippy, and Karla Plazer.

### **Needs and Concerns of Friends & Family**

- \* Pastor Doug and Alicia's daughter is expecting August 12<sup>th</sup>.
- \* Glenn Dussinger's brother's full recovery from serious head trauma.
- \* Ladd & Sharon Martin's grandson: for successful dialysis three days per week.
- \* Pastor Doug's sister: for progress and encouragement in regaining her ability to walk.

**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:**

- \* ANGOWAN, Dante & Elsa —Philippines
- \* BAER, Carlton & Karen—ABWE/N. America
- \* BIRKENBINE, John & Melanie—Navigators Millersville University
- \* BOGATI, Sabin & Rajeena—CCI/Central Asia
- \* BRAUN, Bill & Denise—ABWE/Moldova
- \* COCHRAN, Mike & Rhonda—Wycliffe/Dallas
- \* COLDWELL, David & Barbara— BEE
- \* DIGGINS, B.J. & Kris—Wycliffe-JAARS/NC
- \* DOUGLAS, Trevor & Norma—World Team Philippines
- \* FISHER, Dave & Terri – ABWE/Chile
- \* FUNADA, Naoto—Faith Global/Japan
- \* HANNAY, Evan & Libby—Ethnos 360/Arizona
- \* KEEL, Mallorie—ABWE/Togo
- \* KUMHER, Bruce & Tammie —BMW/NW PA
- \* MAIER, Andreas & Bethany — CrossWorld Germany & Central Asia
- \* MARTIN, Vicky—Ethnos 360/Philippines
- \* MELLETTE, Jerad & Wanda—WOL/Montreal
- \* 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
- \* TEBIE, Leroy & Sarah—Crossworld/Togo
- \* TINSLEY, David & Karen—BMW/New York City
- \* TOLBERT, John & Beverly—ABWE-Gap/SE Asia
- \* WALTER, Clay & Becky—MAF/Nampa, ID
- \* ZEEK, Mike & Sonja—FIM/SE Asia

\* Sara Hoffman’s ministry in Costa Rica January 11<sup>th</sup>—April 12<sup>th</sup>.

**Our Community, Nation & Our World:**

- \* For an end to the wars in Israel and Ukraine; for Christian ministry to many refugees and the release of the remaining Israeli hostages!
- \* 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:**

★Captain 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)★Lt. Col. Greg Lathbury (son of Steve and Cathy Lathbury)★Major Jacob Layer (son-in-law of Sue Fitzpatrick) ★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 Ruth Ann Martin) ★Senior Airman Robert Shore (grandson of Gregg & Joanne Bensinger)★Chris Tinsley (son of David & Karen)★Lt. Col. Mike Tucker (son-in-law of Steve & Cathy Lathbury).