

Wednesday Prayer Sheet

October 5, 2022

Call us at 256-383-2412 for updates or additions.

“The Lord is near to all who call on Him, to all who call on Him in truth. He fulfills the desire of those who fear Him; He also hears their cry and saves them. The Lord preserves all who love Him.” Psalm 145: 18-20

PRAYERS FOR THE KINGDOM AND MISSIONS

Mission to North America Disaster Response: They are working hard to provide relief in response to Hurricane Ian. Pray for the workers as they get needed supplies to Florida residents.

Church in our Presbytery: Pray for Valley Presbyterian Church in Madison. Pray for their pastors, Will Plott and Barney Heyward.

One Supported Ministry: Pray for Common Ground Shoals ministry in Florence. Pray for their work of ministering to disadvantaged children. Pray for their staff: Sky Stewart, Lee Mayhall, and Fabian Cortez.

Other Kingdom Concerns:

PRAYERS FOR THE CHURCH

Sunday School Communities: Pray for the Covenant Sunday School Community which meets in the Education Wing and is led by Buddy Whitlock and Doug Ruggles.

Helping Hands: Pray for our widows and those who are still homebound for health reasons.

Leadership: Pray for the new deacon nominees and their training sessions which will begin soon.

Men’s: Pray for Men’s Ministry Fellowship meal next week. Pray for their planned service trip to the MNA Disaster Relief Warehouse in Georgia on November 19th.

Missions: Pray for the Ministry Center as they do their work. Pray that 1% of our members will consider vocational missionary service.

Music Ministry: Pray for Adina and Dinie Stone. Pray for Adina’s work with the choir and for Dinie’s ability to move freely without pain.

Outreach: Pray for opportunities to share the faith with someone else this week. Pray people will watch our services online that are unable to come to church.

Prayer: Pray for the general prayer life of our church and for more to attend our prayer meetings.

Teaching and Worship: Pray for the preaching and teaching of God’s Word on the Lord’s Day. Pray for faithful attendance. Pray we might be faithful to the regular means of grace both private and public.

WIC: Pray for Reba Griffith, WIC Mission’s Liaison.

Youth: Pray for our covenant children, especially as they begin the regular catechism program. Pray for our youth ministry led by Drew Tunnell. Pray for our five year olds, Judd Bishop, Amelia Cooper, Ensley Kate Black, Miles Kilpatrick, Luke Lee, Evie Parker, and Forrest Settle.

PRAYERS FOR OUR NATION AND TROOPS

- Pray for Southwest Florida, their people and churches, and all of Florida as Hurricane Ian hits land.
- Pray for Ukraine, for God to spare lives in the invasion and the church to be kept safe.
- Pray for wisdom and good sense in Washington for President Biden and the congress. Pray for the impact of the economy on the daily lives of all of us, especially on those who are poor.
- Pray the result of the Dobbs Supreme Court decision to save lives and establish justice.
- *Pray for **revival** in the United States in 2022.*
- Pray for our military. Pray for Benjamin Waggoner (Special Forces, brother of Jonathan) Benjamin Butler, Special Forces/Middle East (nephew of Beth Keller).

PRAYERS FOR OUR SPIRITUAL WELL BEING AND GROWTH

Ask God that He would give you greater success in fighting against the sins of the mouth. It seems like the easiest sins to sin are often ones that can hurt those around us the most. Sins of the mouth are important, first of all, because they are so descriptive of the state of our heart (Matthew 12:33-37). Also, they have such power in the lives of others (James 3:1-12). Sadly, common gossip is a part of everyday life for some Christians. Ask God to be slower to speak and full of self-control. Ask Him for love for others that might come out of our mouths in encouragement. *“Let no corrupting talk come out of your mouths, but only such as is good for building up, as fits the occasion, that it may give grace to those who hear.”* (Ephesians 4:29) Ask Him for the power to replace improper speech with thanksgiving. *“Let there be no filthiness nor foolish talk nor crude joking, which are out of place, but instead let there be thanksgiving.”* (Ephesians 5:4). Ask Him to help us be more positive witnesses for the gospel with our words.

PRAYERS FOR FAMILY AND HEALTH NEEDS

Our Church

Hanna Ruggles – Keep praying for Hanna as she slowly adjusts to new medicines. Pray for rest for the whole family.

Juanita Bailey
Kristy Blackburn
Lee Campbell
The Hollands
Bill Morton
Dinie Stone
Keller Thompson
Betty Yates

Jimmy Barnett
Susan Bolton
The Coopers
The Jollys
Elizabeth Patton
Jan Stubblefield
Doris Talley

Ann Bennett
Alton Bynum
Janie Craigge
Tom Keller
The Ritchey family
Grissom Tate
Pam Wilson

Friends & Family

Pam Carrico – will have a long and tedious brain surgery on November 3.

Ruby Bishop
Lucas Davis
Bradley and Jennifer Nantt
Meredith Shamblin

Angela Crock
Rachel Hale
Rachel Pendegrast

Kruz & Paizlee Davenport
John Will Kahlbau
Brian Richards