# Wednesday Prayer Sheet May 29, 2024

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

**Delcho and Nina Atanasov:** Delcho is struggling with physical weakness and breathlessness. He is undergoing testing, but so far the doctors cannot find the cause. He asks for prayers for strength, and for financial & human resources to continue the Roma training program and VBS.

**Church in our Presbytery:** Pray for Cornerstone Presbyterian Church in Huntsville. Pray for their pastors, Wilson Shirley, Brian Russ, Chris Moody, and John Summers.

**One Supported Ministry:** Pray for the Good Shepherd Presbyterian Church mission in West Madison. Pray for church planter Nathan White, who is already meeting with a core group for worship on Sunday night.

**Other Kingdom Concerns:** 

#### PRAYERS FOR THE CHURCH

**Sunday School Communities:** Pray for the Men's Sunday School Community, led by elders Lee Hudson and Hal Hughston.

**Helping Hands:** Pray for some of our isolated members due to health and safety concerns.

**Leadership:** Pray for the ability of our session to keep all the functions of the church going in light of the retirement of the pastor and resignation of our secretary.

**Men's:** Pray for the Men's Ministry. Pray they keep their relationships during the summer with other men in the church.

**Missions:** Pray for someone from our church to go into full time mission work (the 1%!).

**Music Ministry:** Be thankful for the hard work of our children's ministry musicians, who will be taking a little break. Pray for Jason Tucker, Sarah Cooper, Gail Hughston, and Elizabeth Marchman who will begin their Wednesday night work again in September:

**Outreach:** Pray for an opportunity to invite someone to church this week.

**Pulpit Committee:** Pray for wisdom in the pastoral search. Pray as they receive recommendations from others in our denomination. This is a long and exhausting task, and our denomination tells us it is taking longer all the time. Pray for perseverance and patience for the committee and the church.

**Teaching and Worship:** Pray for the preaching and teaching of God's Word on the Lord's Day. Pray for pastor Wayne Herring as he fills the pulpit this week and leads in the Lord's Supper. Pray for the church to put a priority on worship in the morning and evening. Pray God grows us up by use of the Word, sacraments, and prayer, so that we might become more *spiritually minded*, *Biblically informed*, *and church focused*.

WIC: Pray for Bethany Waggoner, Circle III Chair.

**Youth:** Pray for our covenant children. Pray for our youth ministry led by Drew Tunnell and the various activities planned for the youth this summer. Pray for our children who have just finished first grade, Amelia Cooper, Harry Hughston, Miles Kilpatrick, Evie Parker, Forrest Settle, Merle Andrew Stein, Luke Smith, and Luke Tucker.

#### PRAYERS FOR OUR NATION AND TROOPS

- Pray for Ukraine, for God to spare lives in the invasion and the church to be kept safe. Pray for the Middle East and ask God's mercy for Israel as they fight Hamas. Pray for the Christians throughout the Middle East, that they can be safe, and churches might even grow in the midst of the turmoil.
- 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 for the result of the Dobbs Supreme Court decision to save lives and establish justice.

- Pray for **revival** in the United States in 2024.
- Pray for our military. Pray for our relatives who are deployed or may be soon: Benjamin Waggoner (Special Forces, brother of John), Benjamin Butler, (Special Forces, nephew of Beth Keller), and Will Thompson (US Navy, grandson of Randy and Cathy Thompson).

### PRAYERS FOR OUR SPIRITUAL WELL BEING AND GROWTH

Ask God that He would give you a greater love for His word. There really is no growth, no comfort, no peace, and no ongoing close relationship with God if we are not reading, listening to, being taught the Scripture. It is our food and means of living as Christians. Ask God to daily whet your appetite for His word. "Oh, how I love your law! It is my meditation all the day. Your commandment makes me wiser than my enemies, for it is ever with me. I have more understanding than all my teachers, for your testimonies are my meditation." (Psalm 119:97-99)

## PRAYERS FOR FAMILY AND HEALTH NEEDS Our Church

Ann Bennett	Jimmy Barnett	Margie Beck
Susan Bolton	Sherry Campbell	Janie Craigge
Mary Cait Finch	Bob Head	The Hollands
Ginger Jolly	Beth Keller	Elaine Kelsoe
Sara Melton	Hanna Ruggles	Chip Simpson
Terri Snipes	Bill Stackhouse	Dinie Stone
Jan Stubblefield	Doris Talley	Bill Webb
Pam Wilson	Betty Yates	

# Friends & Family

<u>Friends &amp; Family</u>			
Leland Barnett	Tommy Beck	Marie Branscomb & family	
Farrell Cochran	Caroline Combs	Kruz & Paizlee Davenport	
Olivia Preuit Davidson	Lucas Davis	Bill Deegan	
Bebo & Jan Elkin	Linda Fuller	Austin Grissom	
Joshua Holland	Faye Kelso	Martha Mayo	
Joe Morrison	<b>Bradley and Jennifer Nantt</b>	Rachel Pendegrast	
Brian Richards	Mark Rose	Larry Shelby	
Joanna Steinke	Brooke Unrath	Randy Waldrep	
Benjamin Willis	Cass Utley	· -	