

Wednesday Prayer Sheet

February 12th, 2025

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

Joel and Judy Linton: Pray for their church to find a suitable meeting space and for favor with the community in Taiwan. Pray for their daughters as they take their next steps in life and for the gospel to spread.

Church in our Presbytery: Pray for Grace Fellowship Presbyterian Church in Alberville. Pray for their under-shepherds Jackie Gaston, and Mark Berry. Pray for their worship, witness, and fellowship to be pleasing to the Lord.

One Supported Ministry: Pray for Reformed Theological Seminary, that the Administration would be faithful to the Scriptures, true to the reformed faith, and obedient to the Great Commission.

PRAYERS FOR THE CHURCH

Sunday School Communities: Pray tonight for the Travelers Sunday School Class led by Tommy Crosslin and Al Willis.

Helping Hands: Pray for all those who participate in this ministry and thank the Lord for them. Pray for our shut-ins, widows, and widowers as Helping Hands seeks to minister to them.

Leadership: Pray for our Session as they keep the church functioning smoothly. Pray for the Diaconate and for the men who have been nominated for the office of deacon. Pray for the deacon's candidates.

Men's: Pray for the Men's Ministry for more men to join in the food, fellowship, and study.

Missions: Pray for the Missions Ministry Center as they keep our missionaries needs before us. Pray for someone from our church to go into full time mission work (the 1%!).

Music Ministry: Pray for Dinie Stone as she connects with choir members and serves the church. Pray that we would sing with joy and thankfulness to our Lord and pray for more choir members.

Outreach: Pray for an opportunity to witness for Christ to someone this week. Pray for the Holy Spirit to open hearts and minds to want to hear the Gospel. Pray for those seeking to join with us in worshipping the Lord at First Presbyterian Church.

Teaching and Worship: Pray for the preaching and teaching of God's Word on the Lord's Day. Pray for Dr. Jeff Hamm as he preaches Sunday. 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, church focused, and evangelistically motivated.*

WIC: Pray for Stephanie Isbell the WIC Vice President.

Youth: Pray for our covenant children. Pray for our 5-year-olds Grace Johnson, Liam Settle, Campbell Brooker. Pray for Drew Tunnell as he leads our youth, for more young people to be brought into the group on Wednesday night through Drew's presence at Deshler. Thank the Lord for Drew's approval at the Presbytery meeting and pray for his coming ordination. Pray for the new college Bible study on Thursday night to grow. Thank the Lord for these high school and college students who are seeking to know God more deeply.

PRAYERS FOR OUR NATION AND TROOPS

- Pray for Ukraine, for God to spare lives 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 and Europe, that they may be safe, and the churches might grow in, and even because of, the turmoil.

- Pray for wisdom and understanding in Washington during Trump’s Presidency. Pray for the Lord to rule in the choices of the new President, in the House, and in the Congress.
- Pray for the Holy Spirit to change the hearts of all our leaders and bring them to a living faith in the Lord.
- *Pray for **Great Awakening** in the United States in 2025.* Pray for the Spirit to begin with each one of us, that we may infect the church and that the Spirit may spread revival to our government and throughout the world.
- Pray for our military. Pray for our relatives who are deployed or may soon be: Benjamin Waggoner (Special Forces, brother of John), and Benjamin Butler, (Special Forces, nephew of Beth Keller), and Tom Consoli (son-in-law of Bill & Gwen Stackhouse).

PRAYERS FOR OUR SPIRITUAL WELL BEING AND GROWTH

Pray that God would give you a heart for the world. Obviously, all Christians ought to have concern for the lost. How vital it is to have concern for the lost in our own families and communities! But compared to the other nations, our nation is practically inundated with churches and Christians. There is so much to be done in other lands, and “first-world Christians” are needed to pray and be concerned. Ask God that your attitude would reflect Paul’s attitude toward the lost: *“Brothers, my heart’s desire and prayer to God for them is that they may be saved.” Romans 10:1*

PRAY FOR EXPECTANT MOTHERS IN OUR CHURCH

Hadley McCafferty

Jennifer Waldrop

PRAYERS FOR FAMILY AND HEALTH NEEDS

Our Church

Hanna Ruggles - Pray for Hanna as she recovers from surgery.

Judge Hal Hughston – Hal is finishing his third week of treatment. Please keep Cynthia and him in your prayers.

Jimmy and Etta Barnett
 Bob Head
 Savannah Parker
 Terri Snipes
 Doris Talley

Margie Beck
 Elaine Kelsoe
 Suzanne Parker
 Bill Stackhouse
 Keller Thompson

Janie Craigge
 Wes Marchman
 Chip Simpson
 Dinie Stone
 Betty Yates

Friends & Family

Leland Barnett
 Bill Deegan
 Austin Grissom
 Randy Waldrep

Tommy Beck
 Henry Franks
 Tricia Hunt
 David Wilson

Caroline Combs
 Linda Fuller
 Larry Shelby
 Debra Yates