



PRAISE AND PRAYER – NOVEMBER 28

If you or someone at Grace needs help or has a care need, please call the church office at 214.368.0779 or email Jeff Sherwood at jeff@gracebiblechurch.org.

Devote yourselves to prayer keeping alert
in it with an attitude of thanksgiving.
Colossians 4:2

EXALT God with Praise

Bless the Lord, O my soul, and all that is within me, bless his holy name. Bless the Lord, O my soul, and forget none of his benefits; Who pardons all your iniquities, who heals all your diseases; who redeems your life from the pit, who crowns you with lovingkindness and compassion; Psalm 103:1-4

During this Thanksgiving season reflect upon and verbally give God praise for all he has done for you and continues to do – forgiveness, healing, redemption, lovingkindness and compassion – add your thoughts.

ENGAGE with God in Intercession

For those recovering from Surgery

James Ciluffo – 2nd hip replacement took place on 10/31. Praise that healing is going well and he is starting therapy. Pray for patience, quick recovery and return of leg strength.

John Spies – adult son of Steve and Cristy Spies had a successful 12-hour surgery to remove a tumor on his tailbone on 11/5. He is now cancer free but has a long recovery and will be in the hospital for several weeks in a special bed to promote healing of the skin graft. Pray that the healing and recovery will go as planned. Praise God for answered prayer and a successful surgery.

Loree Conrad – had major back surgery on 9/17 where most vertebra were fused. Home but could take up to a year to recover. Pray for patience, continued good attitude and the ability to see improvement.

For those dealing with Grief/Loss

Judy Morley to be comforted and experience peace at she grieves the loss of husband Bill who entered the presence of the Lord on 11/7. Pray for Judy's mom Eunice who is struggling emotionally with Bill's homegoing and physically with new medication.

For those with Health Concerns

Porter Klie Carroll 18-month-old son of Maria and James Carroll entered Children's Hospital on Sunday Nov.10 unable to stand or walk. Multiple tests including spinal tap are inconclusive so pray for Dr. to have wisdom, the parents to trust, and for Porter to be healed. Praise that Porter is home and beginning to drink a little.

Ben Hale– longtime member of Grace; brother-in-law to Ann Sawyer is now in hospice at Highland Springs. Pray that God will take him peacefully and that Marcia, his wife along with his adult sons Brooks and John will experience God's peace and grace.

Lynda Clinger – friend of Kristin O'Toole has been diagnosed with breast cancer. Pray for successful chemo treatment, mild side effects and possible future surgery

Kaye Beatty's mother Betty Dalton has compression fractures of her thoracic and lumber spine. She is a diabetic and now has limited mobility while on medication and adjusting to assisted living. Pray for her healing and for Kaye and her sister to have the strength to meet her needs.

Tom Kendle – cousin of Cherry Werner recently retired and was in an accident resulting in brain bleed and he already has heart issues. Spent a few days in ICU and now moved to Progressive Care Unit. Pray for healing and wisdom in decisions.

Jake Martinez – teenage son of Arturo and Meya Martinez dealing with IBD and unable to go back to school. Pray for healing and removal of anxiety.

Brooks Weaver (TS Weaver's brother) has chronic poor health with significant weight loss the cause of which is still undiagnosed. Started new medication but experienced side effects so quit. Very discouraged so pray for a clear diagnosis and wise decision making.

Janice Miller – Gives God praise for her progress and is very grateful for everyone's prayers. Please rejoice with her and continue to pray for healing and pain reduction.

Suzy Rambo diagnosed with Lewy Body Demetia (DLB) a combination of dementia and Parkinson's. Pray for wisdom and strength for the family as they make decisions for her care.

Deb Claybrook-Moody's mom, Margaret Claybrook, is in hospice which is hard on Deb who is also handling all the estate matters. Pray that they will be able to sell her house in Canton.

For those with Cancer

Jan Craven – diagnosed with pancreatic cancer. Moved in with Cara (Jan's daughter) and Ben Appleby. Entered hospice. Pray for peace and comfort for Jan and family as she walks through this valley.

JoCarol McNabb - diagnosed with esophageal cancer. Undergoing daily radiation and once per week chemo. Has good prognosis and in good spirits. Pray for recovery.

Annette Leslie - Having completed chemo treatment she is now on a medication regimen. Pray for continued healing.

Jerry Brown - Continue to pray for good response of the cancer to treatment, and the Lord's comfort and encouragement for him and wife Jolynne.

John Stephenson - Struggling to walk or stand but undergoing therapy to gain strength.

Abigal Etter; Lauren Ott, Malinda Johnson, Ben Britt

For those who need Wisdom/Trust

Richard David – requests prayer for he and his wife as they experience spiritual attacks on their marriage covenant.

Joann Donahue – lives alone with no family and was financially taken advantage of by another couple so pray for resolution and wisdom for where to attend church. Lives near Arapaho and Preston. Has no car.

Brenda Miller asks prayer for her adult son who is homeless and dealing with addiction

Kim Garrett – new to Grace; saved in 2020 and asks prayer for husband and 2 boys Danny (23) and Jack (18) that they would come to faith in Christ.

Zhou Jiaqu – daughter of Ting Ping Zahn, who recently returned to China, is in a difficult marriage and does not know the Lord. Pray for her salvation.

Global Engagement Worker (aka missionary)

The leadership of GBC – for the Elders David Dillard, Mark Penley, Paul Barth, Bill Bush, Chuck Rhine, Bill McCord, Dave Carl, and Brian Roy to shepherd and lead with joy seeking to please the Lord.

The President and Congress – pray for a smooth transition from one administration to the other and that God would direct their decisions in the process.

Those serving in the Military

Devin Clemmer – nephew of Susie Clemmer, Seymour Johnson AFB in Goldsboro, NC

John Leugs – nephew of Cam and Judy Grysen, Fort Leavenworth, KN

Mason Hendricks – Holly Hendricks brother, Fort Benning, GA

Nick Miller – Carlton Meredith's grandson

EQUIP

Read John 6:35-40 and reflect upon the implications of Jesus being the Bread of Life.