



## PRAISE AND PRAYER 01-11-26

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](mailto:jeff@gracebiblechurch.org).

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

### EXALT God with Praise

*Behold the eye of the Lord is on those who fear him, on those who hope for his lovingkindness...Our soul waits for the Lord; he is our help and our shield. For our heart rejoices in him, because we trust in his holy name. Let your lovingkindness, O Lord, be upon us according as we have hoped in you. Psalm 33:18-21*

Praise God who keeps his eye on us

Praise God who is our help and protector

Praise God for his holy name

### ENGAGE with God in Intercession

#### For those recovering from Surgery

**Betsy Bass** – had colon surgery on 12/10. Home, adjusting so pray for strength and complete recovery.

**Liz Anthony** after suffering a stroke and having surgery Liz is now home recuperating. Pray for complete recovery and return of energy. Give God thanks for the care she received.

**Greg Jackson** – had foot surgery on 5/13 to correct a pronated ankle that was turning inwards, making it difficult to walk. He is now in a boot with limited mobility. Pray for complete recovery.

#### For those dealing with Grief/Loss

**Carol Moss** long time member of Grace who moved to VA passed away on 1/6. Pray for comfort for family.

**Gretchen David's** mom passed away on 1/2. Pray for peace and comfort for her and the family.

**Lea Markoff** family and friends at Lea's homegoing on 1/3.

**Paul Seegers** at the home going of wife Phyllis on 12/8 after 74 years of marriage. Pray for God's comfort

**Bessie Jordan family** at Bessie's home going on 11/8 (Angela and Gerald, Rochelle and grandkids) as they mourn her loss.

**Robin and David Howard** at the passing of Robin's mom in October.

**Susie Clemmer's mom** entered glory on Tuesday 10/7. Pray for comfort and peace for Susie and the family

**Diane Burns and family** at the sudden passing of her daughter Honor on 9/30

**Sena Spofford's Mom** passed away on 8/18. Pray for peace and comfort for Sena and the family.

**Dwayne Brandon's** grandmother Elizabeth passed away on 8/7. Pray for comfort for the Brandon family.

**Stephanie Nickerson**, biological father, passed away on Tuesday 6/17. Pray for comfort and peace for her and her brother Robert and Aunt Joyce, the only surviving sibling.

## For those with Health Concerns

**Carlos "Bumper" Hildago** former youth leader at Grace suffered a sudden hemorrhagic stroke on 12/1. After a week of medical care in the hospital, he has returned home. On the road to recovery and is expected to get back to full health in about 6 months.

**Irene Heape** fell and broke leg and is now in The Legacy at Midtown for rehab. Pray for patience and healing. **Betty Lapsley** tripped, fell and broke her left femur bone. She is now in Remington Transitional Care. Pray for healing and effective PT.

**Esther Medina** broke the 5<sup>th</sup> metatarsal in her foot. Wearing a boot. Pray for healing and patience.

**Brooks Weaver (TS Weaver's brother)** had a successful ileostomy surgery on 11/3. Pray for patience, a good attitude, and a complete recovery.

**Bobby and Suzy Rambo** Suzy has Lewy Body Dementia (DLB) a combination of dementia and Parkinson's. Confined to home and struggling. Pray for wisdom for the family as they make decisions for her care.

## For those with Cancer

**John Pittman** adult son of Hayden Pittman, former member of GBC has glioblastoma. Pray for strength for his body, healing and confident trust in the Lord. Also pray for John's wife and 3 adult children to know God's peace.

**Emily Sandefur** – is now 2 ½ months post-surgery. Starting PT and antibody infusions. Taking additional medications along with multiple Dr. visits and follow-ups for the next couple of years.

**TS Weaver's mom** had surgery on 11/6 which went well so pray for endurance, peace and healing.

## For those who need Wisdom/Trust

**Jessica Cuartas** seeking to get full custody of her daughter. **Praise God** a lawyer has been assigned to her.

Visitation of daughter with her father is a challenge currently. Pray for strength, guidance, and endurance as she trusts the Lord during this challenging time.

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

**Angela Hughes** asks prayer for her husband that he would come to faith in Christ; make godly decisions for the family and be a good steward of their finances.

## Global Engagement Worker: Fred Chay Grace Line Ministry

- Pray for a theological think tank in the Philippines to continue to be helpful to the leaders of that country.
- Pray for the group of men he meets with each quarter in Phoenix. Both groups are graduates of a seminary.
- Pray for a third group of his current students.
- Pray for funding for a teaching project that will be recorded for pastors.
- Pray for structure, time, and wisdom to author another book.

**Luke 10:2** Pray for the Lord of the harvest to send forth laborers

## Leadership of GBC

For the Elders as they begin a new year with a new vision: Jay Shaw, David Dillard, Dave Carl, Chuck Rhine, Brian Roy, Bill McCord, Mike Cooper and newly elected Greg Lamb and David Quine

Pray for the rollout of the shepherding initiative to more effectively care for the church family.

Pray for the **Built on Truth Campaign** that we would be dependent upon God and clearly see God's purpose. Mark your calendars for Jan.11 Vision Sunday

## **The President and Congress**

Pray for wisdom and discernment in making decisions and leading the country. Pray for a more peaceful America.

1 Tim.2:1-2

## **Those serving in the Military**

**Devin Clemmer** – nephew of Susie Clemmer, has been deployed to the Middle East for 10 months effective 1/3/26

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

**Nick Miller** – Carlton Meredith's grandson

## **EQUIP**

Read Job 38:1-41 and as you do so reflect upon the majesty of God. Who are we in comparison to God? What can you and I do to know God better?