

# PRAYER REQUESTS 4-12-2022

## **New Requests**

\***Sarah** She is visiting from Colorado. Please pray that, while she visits, she will be drawn to Jesus.

\***Matthew Lafferty's Grandma/Jenny's mom** Please pray that she gets through with her chemo and heals & feels better soon. **Update: She is having surgery today (4-12). She has a calcification that is blocking a bile duct. This seems to be why she has had such digestive trouble during chemo. She went to the ER Sunday with stabbing pain. This surgery could be very involved and require a stent. Pray for a successful surgery to remedy her digestive issues.**

\***Tom Kos** Please keep him in prayer. He is dealing with the anniversary of his son's death (Jim) that happened 21 years ago on April 13th and is also struggling with the recent passing of Patty. Tom also had a dryer fire and has had the added stress of complications of getting his basement and other affected parts of his home fixed.

\***Schlieper Family** (friends of the Lafferty family) Please pray for them as they mourn the loss of their daughter, Carrie, who was murdered by her husband recently. They leave behind 3 teen daughters. Carrie worshipped at North Hills Church of Christ 20 years ago when she attended Pitt Pharmacy School. Carrie's mother, Carol, is a sister in Christ at the Crossroads Congregation.

## **Recent Requests**

\*Wilma Prochaska Please pray for Wilma as she heals from her shoulder replacement surgery.

\*Allison Tichenor's Mom, Laura She had fallen off a ladder breaking her hip, wrist and 9 ribs. Update: Thank you for all the prayers for Laura after her fall. She is now home and participating in physical therapy to continue to heal and grow stronger. Much love and thanks - Allison Tichenor & family.

\*Pat (Matthew's great aunt and Jenny Lafferty's aunt) She passed away very recently from a very aggressive lung cancer. Please keep their family in your prayers.

\*Jennifer Martinez and family (Jane Singleton's co-worker) Her 16 yr old son Mark took his own life. Please keep her and her family in prayer during this very difficult time.

\*Joan Wolfgong She is now living with Jeff and Tammy as her permanent residence. Joan is better since her hospitalization back in February but is not able to live independently. Cards, visits, and phone calls are welcomed. Jeff is still working from home so it is best if you contact him to coordinate if you are planning to visit. 412-952-4160. Her new address is 3310 Wexford Rd, Gibsonia, PA 15044. Her phone number remains the same. 724-272-3558 Your continued thoughts, prayers, and cards are appreciated.

\*Wendy (Liz Fisher's dear friend) She's only 43 and will be undergoing major life-saving surgery. She's having a quadruple bypass, mitral valve repair, and a right side myectomy. This is already a highly complex surgery, but even more so since she had a double kidney transplant as a young woman. Please pray for a successful surgery, recovery, and that her kidneys (that were donated by her mother and sister) will continue to work during and after the procedures. **Update: Praises to God! She is doing really well. She is home after an infection and everything seems to be functioning well.**

## **Please Pray for the following ,who have continuing concerns:**

### **North Hills Members**

James Adair He continues to have a lot of GI problems following his covid infection, and the GI doctor at Children's Hospital says it could be months before this clears up. James will be meeting with a GI specialist. Please pray for continued healing, comfort and helpful information from the specialist.

Jedidiah Lafferty Please pray for Jed as he works with a neurologist that is supporting him with his migraines, which have reoccurred.

Joey Plocki Joey had an extremely bad seizure. He then had an EEG done which showed some type of epilepsy. They are meeting with a neurologist about it. Please pray for Joey and his family.

Kat Gardner Continued prayers for Kat as she battles cancer. Also, pray for George's health as he helps Kat.

Laura Taylor & Bobby Strickland Prayers for God's guidance and blessings during their preparations, their wedding (May 7) and marriage and that all involved will know God's love and/or grow in His love.

Wilma Prochaska She has a heart condition that restricts her activity and her ability to get out. Please pray for her.

### **Friends and Family**

Cindy Nuckolls (Vivian Parker's daughter's, Holly, Mother-in-law) Her cancer has metastasized and Cindy is struggling with her chemo. Please keep her in prayer.

Dennis Prochaska (Wilma Prochaska's nephew) Please pray for Dennis's strength and comfort. Also pray for his family. He is diagnosed with ALS (Lou Gehrig's disease). Update: Dennis is now in need of help with his daily activities. His three grown sons, who don't live far and his fiancé are all sharing the responsibility. They are taking it one day at a time. Please pray for strength and peace for all of them.

Dmitriy's family and the Ukraine (The Rausch's son-in-law, Jennifer's husband) Please pray for them as they are from the Ukraine and are needing safety during this crisis.

Drew (Seth Tichenor's good friend's brother) He has been diagnosed with stage 4 pancreatic cancer. He is in his early 40s and is receiving chemo. Please pray for comfort as he and the family deal with this.

Justin Aikens (Susan Parson's brother) He is in need of a living donor for a liver transplant. Please pray that he is able to find a match/someone willing to donate part of their liver for him very soon.

Karen & 12 year old son (Phyllis Renner's co-worker) Karen's son was diagnosed with Lymphoma and will have to undergo chemotherapy. Please pray for them.

Katelyn Dougan (the Feather's friend) Katelyn was diagnosed with stage 1 breast cancer and has already started chemo. Please keep her and her family in your prayers throughout the next several months of treatment

Kenny Branson (KC Branson's dad) He was diagnosed with cancer and is receiving treatments. Please pray for his health but more importantly for his spirit and his faith and that he can use this trial to glorify God and reach doctors, nurses and concerned family members with the gospel.

Levi and Lainey Chisholm (Friends of the Steigerwalds) They are 2 year old twins that had a bad accident. Please pray for continued healing for both with special prayers of a miracle for Levi.

Louise Craft (Amy McCumsey's aunt) Please pray for her as she has colon cancer. Prayers for continued positive health are appreciated.

\*Nate Moore Prayers for Nate, a senior at Eden, who fell and fractured his neck with immediate paralyzing effects. Please pray for his family, Eden Christian school, teachers, students, who were with him during the fall, his friends, and students in the school. Praying also for this to not harden student's hearts and for healing to be given to God's glory.

***Bright, cheerful cards and signs for Nate are being collected and will be delivered to him. Nate really is encouraged by Cards sent to him and his mom reads over them many times.***

***Cards can be mailed to Eden Christian School Sewickley Campus with Nate Moore name addressed.  
318 Nicholson Road, Sewickley, PA 15143.***

Pam Kos (Tom Kos's sister-in-law) Prayers while she continues her kidney dialyses.

Riley Faith (Phyllis Renner's friend's granddaughter) She is 4 years old and fighting stage 4 cancer.

Tina Oshlick (Buddy Veiga's cousin) Prayers for Tina as she fights bone cancer with expensive weekly treatments while caring for her young autistic son. Her cancer continues to spread despite experimental and traditional treatments. She continues to get treatment for the cancer and they remain cautiously optimistic that she will continue to be able to tolerate the Chemo.

### **Christian Concerns:**

The Church Prayers for Christian unity. Prayers for the efforts to grow and plant. Prayers for all unspoken requests.

Marriages Please pray, as there are many struggling.

Prayers for the lost and those seeking the Lord.

Prayers for those with family/relationship issues.

Please pray for those who are contemplating baptism and becoming a Christian.

The poor and all the sick, including from COVID Please pray for them.

Persecuted people Please pray for the many people around the world who are being oppressed and are suffering ethnic and religious persecution - some of whom are fellow believers in Christ.

Our Nation Prayers for peace and God's help and guidance.

Pray for an end to the Corona virus and for those that who are suffering not only physically, but mentally and spiritually as well.

Supreme Court They are having hearings on abortion, viability of life, and Roe vs Wade. Requesting prayers during this lengthy process in our nation.