

PRAYER REQUESTS 2-22-2021

New Requests

***Theresa Arneson** (Sharon Walter's mom and Michelle Plocki's grandma) She has been in critical care in Neuro ICU at Presby. She is now off the ventilator after a long process. Please pray that she may be able to breathe on her own for the rest of her hospitalization. The Neuro team believes she may have a bleeding disorder because she has bleeding in her spine, but are perplexed at the cause of the bleeding. She is to be under the care of a hematology doctor. Please PRAY for wisdom, peace, comfort, strength and for Theresa to return to her previous level of health.

***Judy Barber & Children and Vikki Ferguson's family** Benny Barber, Vikki's uncle (her mother's brother) has passed away recently. Please pray for comfort of his wife and children and all of Vikki's family. He was the 'baby' of his family and they are experiencing feelings of shock right now.

Recent Requests

*Nicolas Redenbaugh (friend of the Taylors) He is a young man who is in critical care and currently not able to breathe well on his own. Also, pray for strength for his family who are unable to be with him. **Update: Praises that Nicholas is now breathing on his own and has been sent home!**

*William Castillo (friend of Jen Branson) William has COVID-19, is having hallucinations and they can't figure out what is going on. Please pray for him and those caring for him. **Update: Praises that William has been downgraded from the ICU, and has eaten a little food!**

*Art (he is the brother-in-law of Anne Taylor's sister-in-law) He had a knee replacement this week and is now back in the hospital with a possible heart attack and is in the cardiac ICU. He may need a valve replacement. Also, prayers for his wife, Linda, who is having a difficult time. **Update: Praises that Art did not need a heart valve replacement and his catheterization went well!**

*Khwan Vongthong's family (Vikki Ferguson's friendspeak reader) Her uncle (her mother's brother) has end-stage bone cancer. Her mother lives with her here in Pittsburgh. He is in their home country, Thailand. They are very torn up about his condition and that no one can get back there to be with him or his family during this very traumatic time. Please pray for her uncle Paeth, his wife & children, and for Khwan and her mother Ath. **Update: Khwan's uncle Paeth has passed away. Thank you for your prayers, and please pray now for God's comfort on her, her mother and their family.**

Please Pray for the following ,who have continuing concerns:

North Hills Members

Jan Mengel and family Please pray for their relationships and challenges that they face.

Joan Wolfgong Joan is dealing with some chronic health conditions. Please pray for her improved health.

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

Patty & Tom Kos Please pray for continued healing and strength after Patty's fall and as she continues to fight cancer.

Friends and Family

Cathy (Brian Sadlowe's mom) She has been diagnosed with mouth cancer. Please pray for healing for her.

Dennis Prochaska (Wilma Prochaska's nephew) Please pray for Dennis's strength and comfort in the coming weeks. 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.

Ginny & Eddie (Ginny is Josephine Grubjesic's friend) Eddie has been diagnosed with cancer. Prayers for healing for Eddie and comfort for both he and his wife, Ginny.

Jon (Liz Fisher's uncle) He's been battling stage 4 esophageal cancer throughout the pandemic. He's on extensive chemo treatment and has lost a great deal of weight. Please pray for healing and comfort while he goes through 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.

Kai (from the Fishers) He is a young child who has Leukemia. Please continue to pray for successful treatments.

Levi and Lainey Chisholm (Friends of the Steigerwalds) They are 2 year old twins that had a bad accident. Praises that Lainey is coming along! But, Levi is showing signs of severe brain damage. Please pray for 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.

Nancy (Lori Gephart's mom, who is a co-worker of Jeff Steigerwald) Please pray for Nancy as she had suffered a stroke. Nancy is home, but requires someone to live with her permanently as she has no use of her left arm and limited use of her leg.

Pam Kos (Tom Kos's sister-in-law) Prayers while she continues her kidney dialyses and pray for her as she is restricted in the nursing home to her room unless she is having dialysis.

Patty and her dad (Katie Jackson's friend and co-worker) Patty's dad is fighting jaw cancer. Please pray for healing as he takes chemo pills now and possible radiation treatment in the future, and for no return of the cancer. Also, that they see God's hand at work through this.

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

Robert Wiezorek (Mary Ann Clayton's cousin) He is in his late 60s and was diagnosed with inoperable lung cancer. Please pray for him as he is receiving radical chemotherapy and radiation. After having challenges with his heart as well, he had part of his heart condition stabilized with a cardiovascular procedure and medication. Please continue to pray for him as they continue to treat his conditions. Prayers also for him as he is experiencing some depression and is physically run down.

Sharon Sovinski (Wilma Prochaska's friend's sister) She continues to be in the clinical trial for treating Ovarian Cancer and is doing well. Please continue to pray for her healing.

Sonny and his mother (Anne Loudon's student) Sonny's mother, who has been battling cancer. Please pray for "peace", which is Sonny's request. A year ago it didn't look like she had much time left, but she is still fighting. However, she still needs prayers and so does her family.

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. There hasn't been a lot of improvement in her condition, but she has been fairly stable. Tina is very grateful for all the support and prayers she has gotten from North Hills.

Tina Schwartz Weimann (Laurie Wile's friend) Tina has been fighting breast cancer and is receiving chemotherapy. Please pray for strength and healing for her.

Christian Concerns:

The Church Prayers for Christian unity.

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.

The Present COVID-19 Situation World Wide Prayers for the all encompassing needs of the world at large and our local state at this time.

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.

Prayers for the efforts to grow and plant. Prayers for the lost and those seeking the Lord. All unspoken requests.