Prayer List

Please keep the following individuals and families in your prayers:

Brennan Simkins Lucille Bragg Chuck Wright Tom Cadmus Martha White Frances Seamans Betsy Biggerstaff Caroleen Williams **Buzz Willis** Drew Anne and Woody Tom Tanner Anthony Newcomb Hudson Charlotte and Lawrence Trula Large Harold Springer Webb Dan Stienen Kitty Springer Jerry Davidson The Vernon Barnette Mike Wright Betty Thompson Otha Wilkins family Adam McOuire **Edith Parham** Ashley Grant Scott Carter Vernon and Virginia Gee Grant Cooper Carrie Hostetter Allen Alcock and family Mary Crowder Jo Ann Vansickle Dee Welch Anthony Newcomb Hilda Ozlin Vicky Dorothy Driskill Hazel Taylor Ruth Hathcock Ogburn Taylor Marvin Billy Hawthorne David Jones Alicia Clary **Brad Morris** Michelle Honevcutt MaKayla Clary Edith Hite Hailev Haves Hank Grace Marshall Raymond and Edith Annice Shuler Michelle Day Logan Tanner Carolyn Hite Penny Callis Glenda White Gary Birkett Eugene Pierce Elaine Pearce Kathy McReynolds Bernard Nash The family of Falcon Kenneth Lavne Servicemen and women Hodges Bessie Owens Junior McHenry

Prayers for the church, nation, and world:

- -For Charis Storms as she settles into life in the Mongolian countryside, that she would have wisdom in establishing the mobile library project
- -For the families of Jean and Scott Adam, Phyllis Macay, and Robert Riggle who were killed by pirates off the coast of Somalia
- -For the people of Libya, that they may find true peace
- -For our national government as they establish a budget for the coming year
- -For the new United Methodist Church plant in the Fort Lee area and for their pastor, Rev. Gina Anderson-Cloud, as they call people back to the church
- -For the people of Andorra, Austria, Liechtenstein, Monaco, San Marino, and Switzerland

Others I would like to pray for:





Inviting you to daily time with God.

Every day the Transformation Journal will offer you a scripture passage and a question or two for reflection. Take a few minutes each day, and see what God has for you! The prayer list is also on the back, so please take time to pray for those we have lifted up on Sunday.

Sunday, February 27th

Sermon Notes:

Read 1 John 4:7-16. John tells us that "God is love." What does it mean for God to be love? How does it help you to understand God more fully to realize that everything that God does springs from a motive of love?

Monday, February 28th
Read Luke 15:11-32. When the younger son was still a long way off, the father saw him and ran to him. How does it help you to understand
God knowing God is watching for you and ready to run to you when you turn to God?
Tuesday, March 1st
Read Deuteronomy 7:7-9. We do not often think of God being motivated by love in the Old Testament, but this passage makes clear
that God chose the Israelites because of God's love for them. How does this help you understand God more fully?
Wednesday, March 2nd
Read Romans 8:31-39. Go through this list of things that Paul tells us
cannot separate us from God's love. Do you wonder if some of these things can separate you from God's love? Which ones? Talk with God about your concern!

Thursday, March 3rd

Read John 15:12-17. Jesus declares that the greatest love anyone can
have is to do what he has done for us. How does it feel to know that God's love for you is the greatest love possible?
Friday, March 4th
Read Romans 5:6-11. God's love for us was shown in Jesus giving his ife before we had done anything to earn God's love. How does it feel to know that God's love is unconditional?
Saturday, March 5th
Read Isaiah 43:1-7. God's great love for us means that we need not ear. When do you struggle with fear? Talk to God about those times and places when you are afraid and hear God's words of love to you!
Sunday, March 6th

As we gather for worship, prepare your heart by focusing on God and offering this prayer: "Living God, as we gather to worship you today, help me to encounter you, to truly worship you, to hear from you and to have my life changed by you. In Jesus' name, Amen."

Readings: Exodus 24:12-18; Psalm 99; 2 Peter 1:16-21; Matthew 17:1-9