## **Prayer List** Please keep the following individuals and families in your prayers:

Denise Hammond The Williams Family The family of Henry Callis Sheila Cage Barbara Mathis Sarah Thompson Lucille Bragg Jerry Davison Lawrence and Charlotte Webb Otha Wilkins Scott Carter Barbara Watson Audrey Staples Edith Umberger Janet Kegley Bernard Bottoms Donna Clary Dee Welch Kathy McReynolds

Meta Lawson Vincent Keller Marjorie Thompson Sharon Keller Sam Bish Lavton Powell Frances Powell Hilda Ozlin Hazel Taylor Jo Ann Vansickle Grace Marshall **Billy Hawthorne** Marvin Virginia Gee Vernon Gee David Jones Brad Morris Allen Alcock Randy Allgood Tommy Cage Obie Walker

Randolph Holmes S. J. Lambert Michelle Day Logan Harry and Margaret Smith Junior McHenry Phyllis Forbes Sue Barnes Woodrow Hudson Garv Pavne Betty Roegge **Bobby Glidewell** Mervl and Anne Crowder Bertha Arthur Al Green Dorothy Driskill Judy and Dennis Sites Mary Crowder David King Betty Lemon

#### Prayers for the church, nation, and world:

# -For our churches, that we can determine the *labor of love* to which God is calling us

- -For the children's ministry at Antioch, that God would call someone to step forward in leadership
- -For the men's ministry at Williams, that God would be working to call men to deeper faith
- -For Charis Storms and the people of Mongolia
- -For the survivors and families of those killed in the earthquake in Tibet, that they might have their needs met
- -For the people of Eritrea and Ethiopia

#### 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, April 25th

# Sermon Notes: To which voices are you listening? Why are you on the road?

Read Acts 9:1-20. Put yourself in Ananias' situation. How would you feel about going to pray for Saul? We do not know if God spoke to Ananias in an audible voice or in his mind. How would you need to hear God in order to undertake this type of journey?

### Monday, April 26th

Read Acts 4:1-31. How would you respond if the authorities ordered you not to speak about Jesus? Peter and John knew that they needed God's help to be bold, so they prayed for boldness. In what areas do you need God to help you to be a light for him? Ask God to help!

#### Tuesday, April 27th

Read Acts 8:26-40. Philip was constantly looking for ways that he could share the Good News and be a light to those he encountered. Are you looking for opportunities to be a light? How? Take time to ask God to put you in places where you can be used to touch others.

### Wednesday, April 28th

Read Acts 27. Paul was being transported to Rome for trial when things started to go badly. Despite his arrest and the storm, Paul is able to reflect God to those around him. How do you shine God's light during your difficult times or in times when others are in trouble?

#### Thursday, April 29th

Read Matthew 5:13-16. Because you follow Jesus, you *are* the light of the world. Can people see the light of God in you? How do you put your light on a lampstand so others can see it?

#### Friday, April 30th

Read Psalm 23. We are invited to be sheep who listen to every word from our shepherd, God. How well do you listen for God's voice? Do you listen to God above the voices of other people and possessions?

#### Saturday, May 1st

Read 1 John 3:11-24. We love and share God's light primarily by our actions. What acts of love have you done this week for people beyond your close friends and family?

#### Sunday, May 2nd

We celebrate the resurrection every Sunday, so take time to prepare your heart. Offer this greeting to your family and speak it to yourself:

> "Christ is Risen!" "He is Risen Indeed!"