

Prayer List

Please keep the following individuals and families in your prayers:

Kathy McReynolds	Otha Wilkins	Denise Harper
Layton Powell	Scott Carter	Junior McHenry
Drew	Carrie Stostetter	Allison Brooks
Dale	Martha White	Dorothy Smith
Anthony Newcomb	Vince Chris	Edna Bagley
Lois Farmer	Scott	Blake Thompson
Stuart	J. J.	Kathy Callis
Frances Seamans	Virginia and Vernon Gee	Lisa Horoszwski
Charis Storms	Billy Hawthorne	Alicia Clary
George Andrews	Brad and Laurie Morris	Danny Thomas
Becky Kelley	Peter Clegg	Dorothy Driskill
Susan Murray	Michelle Day Logan	Ruth Hathcock
Jesse	Patsy Graves	Judy Sites
Tommy Cage	Red Tanner	Mae Overby
Sheila Cage	Edith Tanner	Tommy Jenkins
Tom Tanner	Josh, Katy and Blake	Kitty Springer
Teresa Thompson	Overby	The family of Billy
Jerry Davidson	Joe Coleman	Spillman
Betty Thompson	Edith Parham	Grandma Hammond

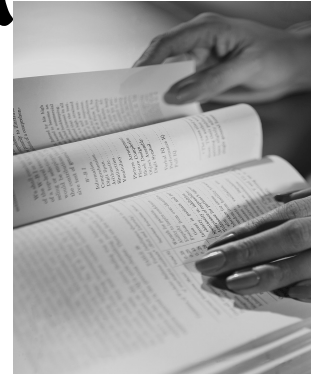
Prayers for the church, nation, and world:

- For Charis Storms and her work in Mongolia, that she would be a blessing. Pray also for her local church in Mongolia.
- For the new church plants: The Stand UMC (Fort Lee) and Journey UMC (Amelia) to transform lives through outreach.
- For our church, that we would share the commitment of the early church to care for needs in our community.
- For the 12 million people in the Horn of Africa who are at risk of starvation, that they would receive everything they need.
- For the people of the Czech Republic, Poland, and Slovakia

Others I would like to pray for:

Transformation Journal

September 4, 2011



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, September 4th

Sermon Notes:

Read Hebrews 12:18-29. God tells us that we can expect all things that can be shaken to be removed, so that the unshakable, eternal things will remain. What in your life is shakable? What is unshakable? How can you prioritize those things that are unshakable?

Monday, September 5th

Read Luke 13:10-17. How does Jesus challenge the regular weekly worship service? What would it look like for Jesus to challenge our regular worship by inserting the power of God into our Sunday mornings? How can we seek more of God’s power in our worship?

Tuesday, September 6th

Read Exodus 19 and 20:18-21. Moses and the people spent three days preparing to come before the Lord. But the people were still frightened away by the display of God’s power to the point that they rejected God. Are you willing to hear God speak?

Wednesday, September 7th

Read Revelation 21:1-7. We can look forward to being citizens of the heavenly Jerusalem one day, but looking forward to the day when God will be present with us requires us to live differently today. How does this vision of the new Jerusalem invite you to live differently now?

Thursday, September 8th

Read Hebrews 3:12-19. We are called to exhort one another to follow God. How do you exhort those around you to follow God? Who is one person that God is calling you to encourage to follow God today?

Friday, September 9th

Read Luke 4:16-22. This passage proclaims Jesus’ mission. How do our worship times give priority to those items that are part of Jesus’ mission? How can we do better?

Saturday, September 10th

Read Matthew 12:9-21. Jesus points out that we are more interested in caring for those things that are our property than one another. Does our worship provide a time for God to bless those around us?

Sunday, September 11th

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.”**