PRAISE AND PRAYER 11-08-26

If you or someone at Grace needs help or has a care need, please call the church office at 214.368.0779 or email Jeff Sherwood at jeff@gracebiblechurch.org.

Devote yourselves to prayer keeping alert in it with an attitude of thanksgiving. - Colossians 4:2

EXALT God with Praise

This I recall to my mind; therefore, I have hope. The Lord's lovingkindnesses indeed never cease, for His compassions never fail. They are new every morning; Great is Your faithfulness. Lamentation 3:21-23

- Praise God that his lovingkindnesses never cease
- Praise God that his compassions never fail
- Praise God that he is great in faithfulness

ENGAGE with God in Intercession

For those recovering from Surgery

Susie Clemmer – fell and broke her hip on 9/26. She is now recovering from hip replacement surgery, and after a stay in Ventana, has returned to her place in The Emerson. (11/4)

Jo Carol McNabb – had esophageal cancer which resulted in having her esophagus removed and reconstructed with part of her stomach. She came through the surgery well on 9/4, and after rehab is now at home. Recently, her pancreas was not working properly, so pray for wisdom for the doctor to figure out why, as well as patience and healing for Jo Carol.

Greg Jackson – had foot surgery on 5/13/25 to correct a pronated ankle that was turning inwards, making it difficult to walk. Developed infection in January 2026 resulting in more surgery. Still has very limited mobility.

For those dealing with Grief/Loss

Chris Reynolds' Dad, Tony, entered glory on 10/11. Pray for peace and comfort for Chris, his mom Donna, and the family as they mourn their loss.

Mary Rhoads' husband, John, entered glory on 9/20. Pray that Mary, the kids, and grandkids will find comfort at this time of loss. John's granddaughter Allyson, who was very close to John, is struggling with his passing. Memorial service is being planned for Nov.14 here at Grace at 2pm.

Marcia Hale's daughter, Malinda, passed away on 8/6 after a long battle with cancer.

Dewayne Brandon's mom, Connie, passed away on 6/21. Pray for peace and comfort for Dewayne, his sister, and the grandkids.

Bruce and Tricia Parker and family as they deal with the loss of their son Brendan on 6/9. Pray for God's comfort, grace and peace to guide and direct their hearts.

For those with Health Concerns

Anita Denison is scheduled for hip replacement surgery on 11/9. Her husband **Jim** is having fainting spells. Pray that the doctor can determine the cause and provide a solution for him.

Cara Appleby's stepmom, Caroline, is dealing with ovarian cancer. Had surgery on 7/31 to remove the mass. Chemo started on 8/23 and she has now completed 2 of 6 rounds. **Praise** that biopsy on lymph nodes was negative. Continue to pray that she will respond well to the chemo and for God's healing touch. Pray for God's peace for the family and grandkids.

Don Hoggatt's nephew, Matt McGrew, had a brain tumor removed on Tuesday (4/14). Additional surgery took place on 6/13 to get the rest of the cancer. He is now on 6 months of chemotherapy pills then 8 weeks of radiation. Pray for strength and that the result will be cancer free.

Shalom Bouhasin, 10-year-old son of Anthony and April, has been ill since January. He is diagnosed with PEM (post-exertional malaise) which results in extreme fatigue and cognitive issues following minimal physical or mental exertion. Thank you for praying as God has blessed him with progress in the right direction. While he continues to sleep a lot, he is beginning to do more physical things. Pray for continued progress, for his complete recovery and for wisdom for the parents to know how much activity he can handle without a major setback.

For those with Cancer

Bev Armstrong had surgery on 10/9 for breast cancer and her follow-up chemo began on 10/26. Bev has completed her first chemo with the next does scheduled for 11/9. She is experiencing extreme fatigue and bone pain. Pray that her body will tolerate the treatment well and that God's healing touch be upon Bev. Also pray for Rob as he cares for her and continues to serve as Executive Pastor here at Grace.

April Crane's cousin, Natalie, had emergency surgery for treatment of breast cancer on 8/3. She continues to recover and is undergoing radiation. Pray for continued healing and that God would open her heart to the truth and power of Christ. She very much appreciates the prayers.

For those who need Wisdom/Trust

Jessica Cuartas – has been officially diagnosed with Multiple Sclerosis relapsing-remitting. Has started treatment to keep the lesions at bay. Pray for a positive response from the treatment.

Sarah – seeking wisdom and peace in financial decisions. She gives praise that Bible Study at work is going well and people keep showing up so continue to pray that coworkers will come to faith in Christ.

Global Engagement Partner: Will and Julie White with Mission Aviation Fellowship

1) Praise and **prayer for Will's expanding recruiting team** for Mission Aviation Fellowship. He has 14 employees under his supervision. They are gathering new ideas to move forward in unity as they search and pray for more pilots, mechanics, teachers, and IT specialists to send out to the different MAF programs around the world.
2) Praise and **prayer for son William and wife Rebekah** with their finances and work as they expect our first granddaughter in February 2027. Rebekah has had a rough pregnancy, being hospitalized 3 times in the first trimester with HG (hyperemesis Gravidarum). They live near us in Idaho.
3) Praise and **prayer for daughter Abby** as she leaves Wednesday, Nov 4th for a new ministry opportunity in Arkansas. She will be mentoring some native American teenagers who have graduated high school in a "gap year" as they consider going on to college or into a ministry themselves.

Leadership of GBC

For the Deacons: Mark Adams, Justin Arnett, Joe Foster, Michael Golden, Ron Gooding, Jay Hopper, Todd Ratliff, Joseph Shumate, David Smith, Seth Spofford, Luberto Velez. Pray for joy and stamina in serving the church family.

Prayer and **Praise** for God's provision in our **Built on Truth Campaign**

The President and Congress

Pray for wisdom and discernment in making decisions and leading the country. 1 Tim.2:1-2

Those serving in the Military

Devin Clemmer – nephew of Susie Clemmer, has been deployed to the Middle East until October 2026 but now may not get home until December.

John Leugs – nephew of Cam and Judy Grysen, Fort Leavenworth, KN

Nick Miller – Carlton Meredith's grandson

EQUIP yourself with God's Word

Read Eph.2:14-16. According to vs.14 what is the result of Jesus being our peace? How did Jesus accomplish that goal – 15-16. What does this say about the value of community?