

Celebrations and Concerns: February 28, 2021

Prayers are requested for Jim Witherspoon, who will have heart surgery later this week.

Prayers are requested for Fred Holt. Please pray for **Fred's** full and speedy recovery. According to his daughter, Caitlyn, Fred is improving despite the odds, but is still very ill.

Prayers of healing are requested for Becky Brinkley. She had major back surgeries last week. Becky has entered a rehab facility in Charlotte, to recover from the successful operations. Pray that her doctors corrected **Becky's** spinal issues, and that the procedure will eventually relieve her constant pain. Pray for her husband, **Keith**.

Congratulations to Angie Forbis, newly retired from Alamance Elementary School! A drive-by retirement party for Angie is scheduled at the school on **Sunday, Feb. 28 at 3 p.m.**

Prayers are requested by Elizabeth Hadley for her brother, Ben Bennett. Ben had a large blood clot in his lung.

Pray for Melinda White, who had an eye surgery Feb. 10; and another on Feb. 24.

Christian sympathy is expressed to the family and friends of **Thomas Eugene "Gene" Carroll**, who died on February 11, 2021.

Pray for the APC Child Development Center. They seek well-qualified employees so they can continue to provide excellent childcare for our community.

Prayer is requested for Susan Marsh's sister-in-law, Anne Gwyn. Anne is in hospital with pneumonia, complicated by her existing heart disease.

Prayer is requested for Sam Burgess' mother, Sara Burgess. She is not doing well. After being at home on hospice care for weeks, Sara had a major medical event. Please keep Sam and his siblings in your prayers

Prayers are requested for Dana Smith and family. Her mother, Rachel Boone, who lives at an Assisted Living/Memory Care center, has tested positive for COVID-19.

Pray for protection for Joe. He surely needs the prayers; as does his extended family.

Joy Thomas' sister Sue received encouraging news about the progress of her cancer treatments! Thank you for your prayers answered; please pray for Sue's continued healing. Joy Thomas asks that we pray for her sisters and for her mom, "Fluff."

Pray for a friend of the church who suffered a miscarriage. Prayers for comfort, healing, and wholeness would be greatly appreciated.

Prayer is requested for Jim Poe Sr. He is very lonely, and misses Jean very much.

Prayer is requested for Jo Winslow (**Lisa Boswell Winslow's** mother-in-law), who lives in a nursing home.

Prayers are requested for Jerri Kiser. Her broken ankle is healing properly. She'd still like prayers.

Prayers are requested for Barbara Reece, and her ongoing treatment for cancer.

Prayer is requested for Jay Busby, undergoing intense treatments for cancer.

Prayers are requested for Logan Forbis, who has chronic breathing problems.

Prayers are requested for Mary Ellen Shores, Director of the APC Child Development Center.

Prayers are requested for Hazel Aydelette. You may send cards and letters to her at Clapp's Skilled Care Center, Room 502, 5229 Appomattox Road, Pleasant Garden, NC 27313.

Joe & Dodie Miller ask continuing prayers for their niece's two daughters.

Prayers are requested by John & Susan Marsh, for **John's** caregiver's family.

Prayers are requested by Lee & Mary Ellen Shores. They trust that, since God knows why they want your prayers, you can respect their desire for privacy.

Pray for those who are not able to work because of COVID-19 restrictions.

Pray for protection from those who actively work evil against us.

Pray for U.S. cities in turmoil over race relations. Pray for our republic.

Salem Presbytery's physical office has closed. Pray that the changes will make Salem Presbytery a more effective instrument for God's mission in this part of God's world.

Pray for continued healing for Dena Fail.

Barbara Alexander asks continuing prayers of safety for her niece Lauren, a cancer lab nurse who administers COVID-19 tests at Alamance Regional Hospital's drive-through testing site.

Pray for continued healing for Dodie Miller, who has chronic back pain.

Wendy Mills asks prayer for her uncle, Gary Blake, for his many health problems.

Prayers of healing are continually requested for **Peggy Busby**, who is under treatment for multiple myeloma.

Prayers of healing are requested for **Danny Thomas's** sister, Sheila Cole, who has cancer.

Prayers of healing are requested for the Isley family. Sister and brother, Tonya and Dana, both have cancer.

Prayers are requested by Joel & Ann Long. They trust that you will accept their request for privacy.

Prayers of healing are requested for Ann Thacker Lewis, who has ovarian cancer.

Prayers are requested for Loretta Allred, **Floyd Fogleman's** sister. Loretta has leukemia.

Prayers of healing are requested for **Michelle Goodman's** parents, Marvin & Faye Wood.

Prayers are asked for Nancy Buie, **Barbara Keeler's** mother. **Prayers of healing are requested** for Kris Keeler's brother, Chuck Keeler, of Mesa, AZ.

Prayers of healing are requested for **Kathy Carraway Dick**.

Prayers are requested for Edith Wharton, a long-time Food Pantry guest.

Prayers are requested for improved health for both **Bobby & Jeanie Wyrick**.

Tim & Jan Hobbs request prayers for their son, **Zach**. The church office has his address. **Zach** is always glad to have news about Alamance.

It is the policy of Alamance Presbyterian Church to respect the privacy of its congregation and their extended families. We only publish news about those who have given permission to share health information publicly. If we do not have permission to give details about a medical condition, **we will not print those details**. If we do not have permission to refer to someone by name, **we will not print that name**.

For the safety of all US military personnel, please do not use any form of electronic social media to post details of their service! This means that you should not refer to them by their "go by" name, or mention their military rank, or where they are serving; and that you should not post any photographs that might reveal where in the world they are, or what they are doing while they are there.

Please keep the following in your prayers:

Loretta Fogleman Allred
Jesse & Erin Atkinson
Hazel Aydelette
Mason Benton
Gary Blake
Rachel Boone
Geneva Boswell
Sara Burgess
Jay Busby
Peggy Busby
Ken Carraway
The family of Gene Carroll
Eugenia Causey
Norman & Edna Causey
Sheila Cole
Dena Fail
Dan Fields
Betty Forbis
Logan Forbis
Bob & Carol Gant
Kyle Goodman
Norma Gray
Bryce & Pat Greeson
Thelma Greeson
Greta
Connie Hackett

Zach Hobbs
Fred Holt
Joe
Ryan Johnston
The Isley family
Barbara Keeler
Chuck Keeler
Lauren
Ann Thacker Lewis
Ciara Thomas Linnens
Joel & Ann Long
Joyce "Fluff" Maness
John & Susan Marsh
John Marsh's caregiver
Susan Martin
Kathy Medder
Keith Morris
Ada Nelson
Clarence Oliver
Darrell Parker
Jim Poe Sr.
Barbara Reece
Tony Reid
Jess Rigel
Dick & Pat Royal
Sue Ryan

The Session of APC
Bill & Lois Sharpe
Carol Sharpe
Shirley
Lee & Mary Ellen Shores
and family
Dana Smith and family
Patty Staley
Darren Stevens
Chris Strandberg
Jonah Thomas
Joy Thomas
Savannah Thomas
Ernest Thompson
Lou Walker
Cheryl Ward
Jo Winslow
Marvin & Faye Wood
Sue Wright
Bobby & Jeanie Wyrick