

Prayer Concerns

Across the Globe

Israel: Victims of the Hamas terrorist attack on Israel & innocents in Gaza

Ukraine: Civilian casualties and pray for peace to return.

Jalena (& Steva), Serbian couple, friends of the Hubleys, very sick, need a miracle.

Pray for comfort for those who have recently lost loved ones:

Friends and Family of Norm Merrill, special lifelong friend, Pauline Barr, Bea & Walt

New Requests:

Kim Harwood, Friend of Amy Skrzela, Wisdom for drs to treat Lung cancer, Biopsy 1/30 to check nodes identified in recent scan.

Mark Meadows, father-in-law of Lauren, Healing from heart issue, low-30 heart rate.

Dennis Cooper, father-in-law of Justin Bartholomew, Healing cancer advanced to S-4, spread to pancreas, Pray for peace, God's presence, Wisdom for drs to treat.

On Going Faith Family Concerns:

Bob Swartwood, Healing from gall bladder surgery, home.

Sandy Swartwood, Healing from shoulder surgery & pain control, home.

Patti Hammond, Healing from breast cancer surgery, surgery successful, home

Pauline Barr, Healing of hip fracture from fall, rehab, home.

Mel Altom, Healing after surgery to repair hip & ongoing out patient rehab, home

Judy Helms, Healing from serious condition. Praise for progress, rehabbing at home.

Kris Taubitz, Healing from clavicle surgery, Pray rehab relieves pain & helps heal.

Laura Burt, Pray that her house in Clio sells.

On Going Family/Friend/Neighbor Concerns:

Cheslene, sister of Chris Reid, Healing from hip replacement following a brake.

Caleb Svec, (10yo), brother of Ruth Burt, daughter-in-law of Laurie, Healing of paralysis

Patty Cleveland, aunt of Amy & Joleen, Wisdom for drs as they conduct heart tests.

Haley, granddaughter of the Corys, Reduction of seizures from epilepsy.

Al Hammonds, father-in-law of Cam Moore, Peace put on hospice, due to cancer.

Danny Lannin, brother of Nancy Olson, Peace, put on hospice due to cancer.

Kim Vincent, best friend of Terrie Hengy, Peace, hospice, cancer & family issues.

Cancer Concerns:

Jan Caswell, sister of Steve Horton, Healing from lung cancer surgery, at U of M.

Jeremy Browning & Sue (his mother), Son-in-law of Hammonds, Healing of cancer.

Loretta Johnson, fiancé's mother of Jacob Cory, Healing from cancer, chemo.

Cheryl Cortese, daughter of Shelby, Healing of cancer, liver, bones & lymph.

Bill Haire, friend of Joleen, Healing of leukemia, needs match for bone marrow.

Kim Smith daughter of Lola Keehne, Healing from cancer.

Matthew Alternitter, friend of the Moores, Healing stomach cancer, now S4.

Dave Swartwood, nephew of Bob & Sandy, Healing, S-4 pancreatic cancer,

Kathy, sister of Marsha Altom, Healing colorectal cancer.

Tom Bellinger, nephew of Bea, Healing from mass on heart.

Sandy Bliss, mother-in-law of Laurie Burt's daughter, Peace, cancer returned.

Bill Cole, brother of Chris Dace, Healing from throat cancer.

Stephanie Long, niece of the Swartwoods & Moores, Healing of breast cancer.

David Hilliker, cousin of Karen Moore, Salvation & Healing, lung cancer returned.

Pray for Those with Physical Concerns: Marsha & Mel Altom, Amanda Bliss, Paulette Chandnois, Cheryl Cortese, Lee & Arlene, Jeff & Joseph Cory, Carolyn & Ron Dunn (Sharon Taylor's parents), Diana Harris, Jeff & Steve Hittle, Russ Jacko, Dale & Bonnie Jackson, Gideon & Denton McKnight, Renee Miller, Chris Reid, Richard Reynolds, Joe Schuster, Sharon Schreiber, Add Sylvester, Jerry Stanfill, Steve Taylor (bp), Betty Walker, Russ White, and Ted Yurk.

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Who
We
Are:

Followers
of Jesus
who

Multiply
disciples
while

Caring
for Others

Welcome

Sermon Series

LIVING
BY THE
BOOK

Psalm 119

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Thank You for Worshipping with us

Order of Service . . .

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Welcome

Opening Praise

Prayer

Announcements

Praise & Worship

Time of Prayer

Sermon Pastor Brent Kriesch

"Why Troubles are a Gift from God"

Closing

Benediction

Our Story . . .

Our journey as a church began in 1902 when a couple began seeking God for a church after moving to Flint. In 1904 the hall was rented in downtown Flint and the Flint Relief Mission was begun. From 1905-1913 the mission grew and continued to minister from the corner of Second and Saginaw Streets.

With the growth of Flint so came the growth of the church. In 1913 a new church was built at 730 E. Hamilton Ave. And as many continued to come to Flint to find work in the shops, many joined the church.

In 1956 under God's leading, a new church was built on the corner of DuPont and Gracelawn Ave. It was soon to become the "lighthouse" on the corner.

In 1973, once again under the leadership of the Holy Spirit, a new church was built at our current location, 1327 North Elms Rd, and Faith Missionary Church continued to see God bless and grow the kingdom.

Our journey began in 1904 as the Flint Relief Mission and continues today as Faith Missionary Church. Our hope and prayer is as you have worshipped with us today that you may desire to join us on the journey of helping others find Jesus.

Living by the Word

Sermon Notes . . .

Why Troubles are a Gift from God

Psalm 119:65-85

Big Idea! God uses afflictions/troubles to teach us His Word and build our faith!

1. God is _____. (vs. 65-68)

2. _____ develop _____ in us (vs. 69-77)

3. The _____ are not _____ but ____ should be. (vs. 78-80)

What afflictions/troubles are you facing?

Immerse Yourself in **God's Word**

Look for **God's Fingerprint** on Your Life

Keep putting Your **Faith in God**

As the year begins, all are encouraged to
COMMIT TO A YEAR STUDYING GOD'S WORD
Sermons will be based on the longest chapter in the Bible, Psalms 119, which focuses on
THE POWER OF GOD'S WORD.