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Please Pray For Our Family

Please pray for God's healing hand to be on those with cancer:
Les Brooks (malignant leukemia); Gregg's cousin Susan, serious cancer

Please continue to pray for:

Keith Cornell, Phil & Linda Weimer, Paul & Donna Johnson, Jean Woods, Renee's mom, Linda Holland, Charlotte Bibb, Les & Joyce Brooks, Glenn Hallas & his family, Gregg Strawn, Hendrickson Family; Renee Gunselman's parents, Deanna Patton

Pray Also For These Health Requests:

Please keep praying for Renee Gunselman's sister, Rhonda. She is doing well in her rehab program, but is having difficulty with neuropathy in her feet, legs, and hands. This is causing her a lot of pain.

Pray for Lindsay House's coworker, Chris, who is recovering from knee surgery.

Continue praying for Jackie's close friend, Becky, who has been in the hospital for over a week. She was sent to ICU last Thursday, and there seems to be a slight improvement with her oxygen now. **2/18 Update: Becky is out of the ICU. She is very weak, but grateful to be alive. She will remain in the hospital for now, and recovery could be long.**

Please pray for Cathy's friend, Mary, who is troubled with illness and further surgery. She supports her family by panhandling and is unable to beg currently.

Physical:

Pray for the Revive conference that Summer Shore and Melissa Campbell have organized. We pray this will continue to be a blessing, and we ask that the women who attended (or watch digitally) are uplifted by the message of Confident Hope. We also pray this event was an encouragement to Summer and Melissa themselves.

Pray for Cathy's friends Sid & Fela. Sid's son (Fela's brother) passed away suddenly 2 weeks ago, and they are in deep grief.

Please also pray for Cathy's friend Debi, who lost her mother last week. We pray for her comfort and for comfort for her family.

Eric Bracht requests prayers for Gary and his wife, whose son died suddenly last week.

Pray for Casey's oldest sister Janice, who is seriously declining in all aspects of health.

Spiritual:

We pray for Nick, who was baptized into Christ on Friday, and for his safety as he joins the Marine Corps soon.

Military: John, Betty Carter's grandson, Navy

Praise:

We are so excited that Allen and Linda Rugh are celebrating 50 years of marriage on Friday!!! Happy Anniversary!

Deacons: Eric Bracht, Eric Jensen, Bob Parsons, Jose Reyes, Jake Shore

Outreach Programs: Bay Area Rescue Mission, Christian Relief Fund, Clothing Drive, East Asian Missions, Food Boxes, Mountain States Children's Home, Orphan Sunday, Quilts for CASA, Special Situations, University Christian Center



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2020 Circle Family Times

Sunday: 9:30AM Bible Classes for all ages
10:30AM Worship

Wednesday: Various Life Groups

Office Hours: S: 2-5; M-R: 8-4; F: 8-12

Family Newsletter

Sign Up For The Dessert Auction In The Foyer Today!



"The Main Thing"

1. To **love the Lord** our God with all our heart and with all our soul and with all our mind and with all our strength.
2. To **love our neighbors** as ourselves.
3. To **go and make disciples** of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything Christ has commanded us.

Upcoming Events

February 20th, 9:30am: From Creation to Chaos Bible Class

February 20th, 10:30am: Livestream Worship on our website & YouTube; In person meeting at Circle Church of Christ

February 23rd, 6:30pm: Wednesday Evening Study: Walking With God in the Desert by Ray Vander Laan (in-person only; no livestream)

From The Desk Of
Rolland House

Thoughts, Questions, Notes

Home.

Let do you think of when you hear the word "home"?

For me it can be a smell, a sound, the flavor or even a déjà vu moment.

A distant lawnmower, a small, propped airplane flying overhead on an unrequited afternoon, the smell of a freshly cut lawn, a bean and cheese burrito. Many things cause me to think of home.

But I can return home having been gone for 30 years and, although some things are the same, many things are different. Even home doesn't feel like home anymore.

My grandparents have passed on. Many of my cousins have moved away. Relationships have disintegrated. Big businesses have moved in and taken up farmland. Buildings that I frequented have been torn down. Even home doesn't feel like home anymore.

We sing, "This world is not my home. I'm just a passing through." We are strangers in a strange land. What was familiar does not stay familiar. But recognizing this Jesus leaves us with these words:

"Do not let your hearts be troubled. You believe in God; believe also in me. 2 My Father's house has many rooms; if that were not so, would I have told you that I am going there to prepare a place for you? 3 And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come back and take you to be with me that you also may be where I am..." (John 14:1-3)

He is gone to prepare for us the dwelling place. A place where he will dwell with his people. A place we can call home. I miss home. Home is more than buildings and farmland and freshly cut grass. Home is where family dwells. Where relationships are healthy and whole. Jesus goes to prepare this place for us. Do you miss home? Remember the words of Jesus Christ, "Do not let your hearts be troubled..." I go to prepare home for you.

Ladies Corner
Stay tuned for information about an upcoming weekly women's Bible Study that will meet at the church and explore Beth Moore's Chasing Vines study. This weekly study will include fun activities and prizes!

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Mission Trip Fundraiser Dessert Auction Sunday, March 6, 5-6:30 pm at the church building.

The theme is Masquerade! We are doing it to fund a mission trip to Mountain States Children's home in Longmont, CO. During the daytime we will be doing manual labor for the home (painting, fence building, etc.) and at night we will be teaching Bible Classes for the kids at the home. If you can't come March 6. Our fundraising goal is \$2,000. There are three ways you can be involved:

- 1) Attend the auction at the church building. To do this, sign up with Jann Bracht in the church lobby.
- 2) Attend the auction digitally from home (we are using a digital auction app). To do this, email Josh your preferred email and phone number and we will send you an invitation.
- 3) If you can't participate at the building or online, you can simply donate money at osucc.com.

Another way you can help is let me know about any shut ins who may want to participate from home. It is sort of hard to get the word out to these people. Thanks!

Sunday Servants Feb 20

Elder of the Month: Rolland House
Deacon/Minister of the Month: Eric Jensen
Service Monitor: Lydia Perry
A/V: J Baxter/F Cloutier; B McCaughan/J Gunselman
Song Leader: Casey Long
Opening Prayer: Eric Bracht
Communion: Bill McCaughan
Closing/Pastoral Prayer: Ed
Speaker: Robert Wood

Sunday Servants Feb 27

A/V: B McCaughan/F Cloutier; A Bracht/Ca Jensen
Song Leader: Frank Cloutier
Opening Prayer: Josh Stutzman
Communion: Gregg Strawn

Table with 2 columns: Ministry, Name. Rows include Circle Facilitator (Eric Bracht), UCC Facilitator (Nathan Lopez), Overall Support (M Zhang, G Brown), Church Safety Ministry (Josh Stutzman), Discipleship Ministry (Jose Reyes), Education Ministry (Eric Bracht), Fellowship Ministry (Ed, Renee & Joel Gunselman), Life Group Ministry, Media/Web Ministry (Frank Cloutier), Men of Iron (Rolland House), People Needs Facilitators (Tami Brown), Clothing Drive Lead (Charlene Franklund), Food Boxes Lead (Charlene Franklund), Publicity Ministry (Maria Zhang), Quilts for CASA (Cathy Brooks), Roster List (Maria Z, Casey L), Van Ministry (Bob Parsons), Vision Ministry (Elders, Deacons, Ministers), Widows Ministry (L Munson), and Women's Ministry (Lead: Team).