



*Churchwide Caroling
 Wednesday, December 18, 2024
 Meet at Carol Sellers at 5:00
 for food & fellowship.
 We will leave for caroling from there.*

Christmas Eve at the Barn Tuesday, December 24th @ 5:00
Donations of homemade cookies needed.

Prayer Concerns December 18, 2024	New Updates in bold type No current update PRAISE
Assisted Living & Nursing Home	
Annic Caldwell	Dadeville HealthCare Room 218 A
Jackie Harrelson	Chapman's Room 408 256-397-1889 3701 Dadeville Road Alex City
Katie Porter	Dadeville HealthCare Room 107
Lillian Robbins	Jim White's sister Brown's Nursing Home Rm. 203 2334 Washington St. Alex City Not doing well, having issues with her legs
Sue Wheat	Veranda dementia June Clark
Our Church & Staff	
Bro Ben & Sonya Hayes	
Austin & Katelin Glass	
Charlie & Michele Kuykendall	Michele's eyes are better but struggles with migraines
Hunter & Christina Baker	
Jason & Lauren Rawls	Interim Children's ministry
Ashley Strohaker	Assisting Lauren with children's ministry
Committee to find Association Director of Missions - they have hired a secretary	
Associational Team	19 are traveling to Elizabethtown, KY Dec. 14-16 to deliver backpacks to kids at Hope Academy, pray for safe travels
Leadership Team	
Vision 2026	New building fund: \$991,355.81 Pray for the committee
Search Committee	Pray for the Lord's guidance. Members: John Wilcox- chair, Jessica Arthur, Belinda Daugherty, Jeff Gullede, Brittany McCullough, Clint McKelvey; Alt. Christina Baker, Terri McCutcheon, Emily Patterson
<p>Pray that we can be thankful for our salvation in Jesus & that in every circumstance we can give thanks to the Father for His manifold blessings. Pray that we would pray for each other in unity through Him.</p> <p>Pray for all IMB missionaries & their families who are supported fully by the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering. 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18 Ephesians 4:1-3 Revelation 7:9</p>	

...My heart's desire and prayer to God...
is that they may be saved (Romans 10:1 NIV).

Please continue to pray for
your "ones" and ALL the
lost & unchurched

Members Needs

Joani Busko	Retina surgery went well, doctor feels like he did a good job on the eye, some of her vision has started coming back, doing good! pray for vision improvement
Butch Clark	prostate cancer but contained; 28 radiation treatments; started 12 th , will receive 2 treatments on Wednesdays, doing well so far
Bob Daniel	multiple myeloma; infusions & meds weekly, PT Thursdays; immune system so low they are discouraged from going out
Glen & Connie Elmore	cancer has spread to lymph nodes and hip; at last scan, cancer has not spread & appears to be dormant
Bill & Debra Francis	Bill wears a nitro patch 24/7; Debra right knee replacement Dec. 31st
Vicki Griffin	PT for hand & frozen shoulder, surgery to get permanent placement of "stimulator" for back pain Nov. 21 st went great, pain is getting better
Pete Harris	eye surgery 18th went well; has a lot of bruising, follow up tomorrow, back on blood thinner today
Gayle Hawkins	Stroke in brain stem that weakened right side, good results from MRI & CTA with contrast, will wear heart monitor until 21st; PT is going good , speech & walking are improving, home; if you bring food, please just bring plates
Jan Holland	Still having some tummy issues, spent night at LMCH Saturday night, inflammation in stomach & intestines
Larry Iacobella	Watchman device broke loose & migrated through two heart valves & lodged near a kidney where it blocked blood flow to legs; surgery to remove it went well; pray for healing & health
Mike Jones	cardiologist appt. went well, right now no ablation or pacemaker is necessary; doing PT to strengthen right side; spine specialist said spine is in good shape, some nerve damage in one leg, inflammation causing the pain when sitting , hoping epidural & PT will be all that's needed
Peggy Kelley	Surgery on thumb went well, sore but doing good, gets stitches out Thursday
Herman Kile	Surgery on face more extensive than they thought but got it all, got a good report at follow-up last Thursday
John Marcell	Diagnosed with leukemia Charissa Reynold's Dad
Mark McClendon	foot surgery went well, can't put any weight on it for 8 weeks, follow up 23rd to remove & replace bandage & splint
Marcus Motes	shoulder surgery to repair a tear in rotator cuff and bicep last Thursday went well, doing good but having a hard time sitting still
Jimmy Peoples	Ortho doc Gomez Columbus surgery went well, good report at last follow up, still some pain but doing better, follow-up December 23rd
Billie Nell Sanford	prayers also for Harriet & Scoon as her caretakers
Wayne & Joyce Smith	Non-small cell lung cancer, only immunotherapy now for minimum 2 years; treatments every 3 wks., Alternating between 2 different immunotherapies; PET scan showed no new tumors, 2 near his spine slightly bigger, may do radiation if they don't improve, no treatment today, doctor wants to be sure he is over tummy issues, next treatment scheduled for Jan. 8, pray for continued healing Joyce had appt with Shiels Mon... she has bone on bone & lots of arthritis, she got a shot in her knee, cream & meds to take when needed, praying this will fix her problem; the pain is better

Bob Wilder (Barbara)	Lake Martin Community Hospital, prayers please
Kathy Williams	Great report from cystoscope; cataract surgery went great
Special Requests	
Matthew Alford	2 strokes paralyzed stomach, still having major issues with his stomach & now his vision; Lisa (his wife) had 2 melanomas removed Daugherty's friend
Greer Bailey	3-year-old diagnosed with leukemia still in remission but a long way to go; treatments every Tuesday, unable to take last week, numbers too low, please pray for minimal side effects Granddaughter of Brock & Amy Hill (Ann Atkins)
Roger & Donna Beam	advanced pancreatic cancer, no treatment available, she has Alzheimer's Ann Clark's neighbors
David Bridges	Was scheduled for back surgery but found spots on kidneys that they need to deal with first Ann C
Arthur Lee & Renee Caldwell	he has Parkinsons and Renee has stage 1 breast cancer; had partial mastectomy & 2 lymph nodes removed, started radiation yesterday , 5 days a week for 4-6 weeks Holly
Shane Caldwell	Liver damage, no better no worse, accepted Jesus as his Savior Holly
Baby Callan	Brucile's niece's baby home but needs round the clock care
Iris Canady Family	Ed Canady lost the woman that raised him Wayne S
Rick Cole	Cancer continues to spread Kile's friend
Junior Davis	Bone cancer, shot for shoulder helped Holly's uncle
Ellen Dean (Kenny)	stage 3 rectal cancer, will have chemo & radiation
Shelby Deaton	Ann C's sister-in law cancer spread to bones, stable right now
Robert Eason	Crystal Gulledge's Father esophageal cancer metastasized into gastric cancer; scan showed no signs of a tumor, will remain on chemo to prevent regrowth, all his numbers & organ function are great
Kris Eddins (Kelly)	Stage 4 melanoma in lungs, esophagus & lymph nodes; liver counts are down, not perfect but down, last PET showed 1 spot on lungs instead of 3 & it was smaller, spot on esophagus also smaller, next PET scan January 11th Betty Hamby's SIL
Jamie Farmer	Daugherty's daughter spontaneous hearing loss, don't know cause, injections did not improve hearing, going to try a hearing aid, MRI 23rd as a precaution, pray it is normal
Eugene Foshee	Belinda's brother stage 3 esophageal gastrointestinal cancer, 1 st chemo Nov. 19 th (every 2 weeks for 2 months), then a scan, chemo is very aggressive; had severe reaction to first chemo that put him in ICU, still in A-fib but well enough to come home, oncologist wants him to build system back up before trying another chemo; had ablation Tuesday, sees oncologist tomorrow
Shelia Fuller	Cancer doctor will reevaluate & adjust treatments Holly's SIL
Kristie Garduno	Recovered from mastectomy, reconstruction & hysterectomy, broken foot has been very slow to heal, back in cast but can take off at home, going in to work some Sue Weldon's daughter
Garner Graham (Patrick & Hollin)	doing therapy & hyperbaric oxygen therapy treatments, still some issues with the part of brain healing that controls sight; back on seizure meds doing good; getting stronger & the new therapist is helping; on a waiting list for stem-cell therapy in 2025, no idea when he will start Graham's Grandson
Judy Hanna	Ronda's Aunt RMC last week, sepsis with gallbladder & blood clot in both lungs - both under control, dealing with mobility issues from being in bed so long; mass on kidney that is probably malignant, lost a lot of weight, transferred to a hospital closer to her sister

Hunter Hayes	Around 10 leukemia, finished chemo, bone marrow transplant, he & his Mom are staying in B'ham for 50 days after bone marrow transplant per doctor orders to make sure it is working, seems to be doing well Belinda
Charlie Horton	Doing better, still working on regulating BP
Sandra Horton	feeling better, waiting on insurance approval for pacemaker; fell last Wednesday night, ambulance took to ER, getting a second opinion on broken bone in shoulder
Gray Howard	Stage 4 small cell cancer Jeff Gulledege
Ed Huey	Cancer on back of tongue, finished chemo & radiation; recovering from left shoulder replacement, right knee next, then right shoulder, then left knee; doing great Huey's son
Sybil Humber	Busko's friend fell & hit her head, minor brain bleed but no surgery needed, getting better daily but still recovering
Ann Jennings	Shane's stepmother declining health, pray she accepts Jesus as her Savior before it is too late
Christopher Johnson	Rare form of lung cancer, on leave from military to begin strong treatments Holly's cousin's grandson
Pat Lynch	Heart & lung issues, pray for shortness of breath to improve & increased energy, ECHO 31st
Alma McGill	Mike's Mom 21-day rehab at hospital
Teddy & Bertha McGinty	Teddy was in a bad accident & broke back & neck, moved to rehab in Gadsden Monday, still in a lot of pain
Brandon McGuirt	severe headaches, numerous tests & MRI have not shown cause, pray they are able to find out what triggers his headaches Linda's grandson
Laura Miller (Stephen)	Battling cancer, started Hospice Care last Monday Jean's DIL
Karen Mills	Breast cancer, double mastectomy & reconstruction surgery, lymph nodes negative, had surgery to remove one of her spacers due to infection; 28 radiation treatments started Dec. 9 th doing great so far Belinda's niece
Kay Nix	Mantle cell lymphoma, cancer has come back, started radiation last Friday Holly
Kyle Orr	stroke, home recovering with Home Health, doing good Carolyn Alexander's brother
Saylor Partridge	First open-heart surgery went well, doing good, waiting until next cath procedure to see when she can have second open-heart surgery
Thad Pate	Lung cancer metastasized to back; PET scan showed 2 new tumors on lungs, a tumor on spine and colon, reaction to chemo, took off chemo because kidneys not strong enough in a lot of pain; they have found a chemo he can tolerate
Pauline Paxton	Septic infection due to previous surgery, still in hospital, probably until first of the year, has a trach, can sit up & walk with assistance Ann C.
Pat Peavy	Hole in colon; surgery was risky but went well, ostomy bag working & hopefully will be temporary, home recovering, doing better Karla Teel's mom
John Phillips	Cancer, diabetic, 2 shots a day, stable right now Ann Clark
Sharon Phillips	leak in aorta, not a candidate for open heart surgery, will put on a clamp to stop leakage January 15th Ann C
Don Poole	Knee replacement went well, pray for his recovery friend of Jimmy Bagley
Susan Price	Cancer has spread to brain, treatments at MDA Nita K's daughter
David Robinson	Has issue with floaters in 1 eye & film/haze, slight haze on other eye, may or may not cause issues later, eye specialist not concerned, back in 6 months
Margaret Robinson	bladder issues, appt. Dec. 20

Lyn Scarbrough	Cancer stage 4, scan showed cancer present in lymph glands near original kidney cancer site; continuing early treatments (new genetic tailored med in tablet form), CT scan showed cancer has not spread & tumors are 50% smaller, another check in 3 months Wayne Ingram
Freddie Sherrell	One of Shane's customers just found out he has cancer & leukemia
Benjamin Smith	John Jernigan's 8 yr. old cousin battling cancer, was in hospital struggling with pancreatitis, continues to recover, but still unable to start 3rd 8-week round of chemo last week due to lab numbers, will try labs again Tuesday, his body is weakened by the chemo so starting PT to help strengthen ; recent pancreatitis attack was caused by one of the meds critical for his survival so difficult decisions had to be made to alter treatments temporarily
Debbie Smith	Spine/nerve problems; appt. went well, doctor said he thought he could help her but cannot schedule surgery until March, will do PT for now, please pray it helps with the pain Susan Tittle's sister
Mike Stonebreaker	reaction to anesthesia during foot surgery and almost died, recovering at Russell rehab Ann Clark
Warren Thomas	5-year-old leukemia, in school, treatments every 2 weeks Jane Kile
Chase & Kendall Turner	Baby Catherine born March 26, lungs not completely developed so prone to infection, weighs 8 pounds but still has lung problems & can't go home Kile's friend
William Ware	Dorothy Holdridge's brother Alzheimer's
Mary Alys Washer	Breast cancer, finished chemo & radiation; fell & broke knee cap again in 4 places, back at work on crutches Mary Beth Wingard's daughter
Rowan Colby Washer	Mary Beth Wingard's great grandson born Oct. 17 th at 5 lbs. 10 oz., they knew he had a heart issue & was facing surgery after he was born, 1 st surgery went well, working on gaining weight getting ready for another heart surgery
Jolie Waters	Jenning's daughter unborn baby, Macie, is breach, back to doctor Thursday; pray for healed relationships
Carter Webb	lump on arm, MRI results showed vascular malfunction of veins or arteries in arm, appt. with pediatric vascular doctor at Children's Hospital Atlanta January 7th Daugherty's great grandson
Sue Weldon	Cellulitis in leg not healing, sleep apnea test showed need for CPAP machine
Derrell Wheeler	two emergency back surgeries, then another to relieve compression to spinal cord; rehab in Columbus, strength is improving, skin tear not healing as quickly as it needs to which is causing issues, therapy going well, still no feeling in lower legs & feet but they have used equipment to help him stand. The cards are much appreciated Benitta Hall's Dad
Jeremy White	Hernia surgery EAMC December 26th
Karen Wilson	cancer all over, had brain surgery, in induced coma
David Woffard	Bladder cancer, using as opportunity to share the gospel; in between treatments, cystoscopy showed fewer tumors (2) small, so another surgery soon Chuck L
Elaine Wright	Bronchitis, better Holly's aunt
Missionaries/Military and their Families	
Anuj & Alexis	Pray for students to be receptive to gospel as they learn "story quotes", pray for the health of the village during fever season, strength, stamina & funding for ongoing mission projects during December & January
Conway's	Missionaries in Kushan Will & Matt Families Mary Belser
Param & Brittany Yonzon	Urban Nations Outreach NY Param as interim pastor after pastor & associate pastor left, continue to pray for stamina as they minister, relational healing within the church & relationships with Jewish neighbors, pray for the search committee as they seek a full-time pastor