



Prayer Concerns

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Home Bound	Assisted Living & Nursing Home	Members Needs
Bonnie Ellzey	Eula Mae Berry Chapman's doing OK but limited contact with family is really hard on the patient & family Linda D. Mom	Joe Belser eye pressure 40 when it should be 20, continue drops & back in 3 months
Maude Iacobella getting weaker; they are staying in to protect her	Daisy Collins Chapman's Assisted Living Rm. 15	Donald & Martha Fay Black CA125 went up from 112 to 132; stopped treatment until October 8 when will start a different treatment... 1 every week for 2 weeks, skip a week, then repeat (goal is 35 or lower)
A.J. Thompson doing well	Abanell Ellison Jimmy P. Mom Chapman's Assisted Living Rm. 18	Jane Ann Carrol home with sitter & home health June C.
Ruth Wilkes	Linda Fraser Dadeville Healthcare Regina Porter's Mom	Belinda Daugherty unspoken request
Corona virus & all affected	Jackie Harrelson Chapman's Room 408 256-397-1889 doing well	Leon & Bobbie Nell Guy doing good but "fragile", they are lonely & really miss being with their church family
All Medical Personnel & First Responders	Barbara Lee Dadeville Healthcare Rm 204 Diagnosed w achalasia (loss of ability to swallow); keeps complaining about being hungry, so going to try a liquid diet (comfort feedings) even though she has a feeding tube & there is risk of aspirating; not doing well with liquid diet, coughing a lot when she drinks or eats broth	Dorothy McKelvey recovering from heart valve replacement; doing well
Our Church & Staff Bro Ben & Sonya James & Delilah Zack & Hannah Forrest & Caren Leadership Team	Katie Porter Veranda Rm 1 doing good	Gail Missildine rotator cuff surgery; pain the day after therapy but driving now
Our Schools Administrators Teachers Custodians Cafeteria Workers Parents Children	Mike Weldon Bill Nichols Veteran's Home	Doug & Emily Patterson little fever & tired from chemo last Thursday but not too bad next chemo September 24 th ; 1 more round of chemo & back to MD Anderson in October; COVID test due to cough but negative!
Our Government	Mary Williams Adams Nursing Home, 1555 Hillabee Street Alexander City 35010; room 2; talked to her daughter; Dementia & Parkinson's; can't walk anymore; last week was a good week; 81st birthday is September 27th	Danny Penza home doing Dialysis 3 times a week in Lafayette; ambulance transports him for treatments Kids are great; Danny is hanging in there; still can't get up by himself
		Larry Ryan moved in with a friend and it's working out well; continue to pray for an opening at EASE House



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Bobby & Sharon Traylor Sharon feeling good, Bobby not quite a 100% but getting there

Diane Wheeler surgery to repair the muscle in her left eye (drooping closed & she can't see) Tuesday, September 29th Eye Foundation B'ham

Amanda Williams results on aspiration & lab: white count & CRP back up, infectious disease said cultures still negative, so still no answers on how to treat; sleep study on 30th

Special Requests

Huey Allen agreed to go on Hospice; he thinks he only has a short time; he wants to live long enough to vote; **good days & bad days** Linda M's brother

Evelyn Bagley 93 Jimmy Bagley's Aunt recovering from hip surgery; took a turn for the worse; Hospice has been called in

John Blake fell & broke leg; surgery required; EAMC rehab for 21 days 9/8/20 Gloria W

Preston Brazell PET scan showed place on lung is only spot; biopsy inconclusive; going to Cancer Center of America in Noonan, GA; no cancer; infection; did do surgery & remove about half the lobe; **home Sunday, still quite a bit of pain, hoping each day is better** Roger Clark's friend

Roger Mac (Lou Gehrig's disease) & **Margaret Caldwell** Margaret doing ok; just taking it day by day; each day is a little harder

Hal Chase wife Elaine & Mom Eddie Joe Wright's friend Stage 4 Colon Cancer has spread to his liver & lungs; may only have a few weeks to live; **has lost a lot of weight, chemo has made him feel better & appetite has improved**

Missionaries/Military and their Families

The Baker's home til early January
Brittany Hall - Urban Nations Outreach NY
Adam & Charli Spates Nicaragua
Randy White XMA
Persecuted Christians



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Shoebox Gift

Due to COVID, we are going to order already stuffed shoeboxes online this year.

Cost is \$25 a box which includes shipping.

Donations so far will purchase 350 boxes.

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Arthur Conway 70's Mary Belser's brother; COVID, transferred to Athens, intubated; very critical; please pray for his family too; it is so very hard not to be able to be together & comfort each other; **gave blood transfusion to hopefully get him strong enough to endure trac surgery, cannot stay on ventilator**

JoAnn Corley friend of June Clark breast cancer; radiation treatments making her very sick

Maggie Dailey hip replacement surgery went well; home recovering Dorothy Holdridge

Fred Deaton cancer has gone to lungs; great attitude, he says he has beaten cancer twice & he'll beat it again; **3rd chemo this Friday**, he has 1 more treatment in 4 weeks (9/16/20), then reevaluate Ann Clark's brother

Anita Forbus home recovering from knee replacement; doing PT; improving slowly Gloria Willis

Tom & Jenny Hall & Family nephew **James** (fluid around his heart & lungs) in assisted living facility in Auburn; still not motivated to do anything

Kathy Hamby home; uterine cancer stage 3 or 4; chemo every 2 weeks; still doing well with treatments only 41 Dorothy H (Ed Hamby's niece)

Mike Hearn bad infection in knee he had replaced; surgery to remove permanent rod in knee & replace with temporary one; **if infection continues to get better they will be able to try to redo the knee replacement in 5 weeks** (9/14/20) friend of Gloria

Rev. Wayne Henderson brain cancer; getting weaker; **about the same, not eating much**; Please continue to pray for Wayne and his wife Margaret; Jackie Wilbourn

Shay Hethcock back at work Gloria Willis

York Holland Veteran having mental health issues; he is getting some counseling & is doing great

Shannon Hughes cancer of pancreas & liver suspected

Gale Jones tested positive for COVID along with her sister & brother-in-law that she just visited; COVID better **but fell & broke big toe & now in boot; sister-in-law and brother-in-law both in hospital with pneumonia & COVID**

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The Crisis Center is in need of 2 lb. flour, 2 lb. corn meal. They have plenty of oil & crackers at this time.

Loaves & Fishes

Still in need of plastic bags for distribution and disposable gloves and masks. They have enough food for several weeks at this time.



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Ronnie Jones Marie Tidwell's brother-in-law brain tumor; malignant Glioblastoma, finished first round of treatment; on a break for 23 days; then 5 days of treatment; that plan will probably go for the rest of his life; **MRI showed no new growth, scan is clear, maintenance dose of chemo for 3 months then repeat tests**

Carolyn Lacy breathing better, Dementia worse Carol's Mom

Harper Matthews Mom Sierra Matthews Ann & Jim Clark's great grandbaby born May 12 Hip dysplasia (left leg is good; brace for right leg) doing well, does not have to wear the brace all the time; bone protruding from skull

Wyman and Margaret Matthews both are hanging in there
Joani Busko's Dad & Mom

Bill McGuire Jim's middle brother positive for COVID; **doing good!**

Charles McWhorter tested positive for COVID; needs new aorta valve & has other health issues; in rehab at Chapman's; **started retaining fluid, wanted to go home, sent home with Hospice**
Dorothy Holdridge

Gary Melton doctor appointment September 29 for results & checkup

Peggy Moran COVID **not much change, legs still weak** (Sharon Patterson & Sue Harris' sister)

Stanley Patterson lung cancer stage 4; (Saturday 5th) put in tube at Russell to drain infection & it worked wrong; now on vent & sending to B'ham; **home but still on O2; very weak but talking, etc.; still no answer about infection** (Linda Davis) Betty Hamby's cousin

Jena & Bryan (her Dad) his healing of heart toward God & family conflict Jimmy Bagley

Linda Kay Peters home with Home Health; multiple myeloma of bone marrow is rare, treatable but not curable; on chemo shots; never been sick before & she is 71 Gayle Hawkin's 1st cousin, they are very close



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Barbara Petrosky Britney's mother in law COVID **Finally tested negative; thank you for the prayers**

Robert Pickett 90% blockage on right side plus other health problems & weighs almost 400#; treating with meds Evelyn

Neil Reddish had heart procedure and feels so much better
Bonnie Cahoon's brother

Ronnie Reddish waiting for results on bone marrow test to see if liver is affected
Bonnie Cahoon's brother

Daniel & Jessica Riuz Joani & Tom's daughter Daniel is 2nd in command in the Bahamas with Samaritans Purse, his boss had to go to Beirut for at least a month due to the bombing so he is now in charge which means a lot more responsibility for the family **Lydia Grace, 7 year old daughter – has been running some high fevers since May; all tests came back good except for a indication of inflammation**

Amy Caldwell Richey stomach cancer; finished chemo & radiation; feels much better; **appt. with surgeon at Vanderbilt yesterday to schedule surgery** Joyce Smith's childhood friend

Margaret Robinson vertebroplasty procedure to inject special cement was done and went well; other issues still causing pain: muscles & osteoporosis
Holly Robinson's Mom

Ethan Roland grandson of Carol Meadows that used to live here; head on collision, youth minister at his church, 22 yrs. old; lives in Arkansas; out of coma, moving all extremities, responds to 90% of commands; still long way to go but family is rejoicing

Billie Smith Ann Atkin's sister-in-law home from hospital, liquids only for 4 weeks 9/8/20; CT scan then schedule bowel resection surgery to remove infected part; doctor's appointment 17th

Trish Stallings breast cancer Carmen's daughter-in-laws Mother

Carolyn Sudberry recovering from knee replacement; doing good



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Ross Tapley 21 months Pat Lynch's great grandson
Born without enough pigment; light goes through the iris in his eye & it should not; pray specifically for pigmentation in his eyes to develop

Ronnie Walters heart bypass needed; surgery scheduled
September 23rd Belinda Daugherty

Sue Weldon breast cancer; had ultrasound, biopsy, & MRI; & appointment with oncologist; surgery to remove the lump went well; also took biopsies of 2 lymph nodes; biopsies revealed lymph nodes were cancer free; **surgery scar looked good, spot under arm had to be drained & is real sore, they will contact oncologist @ Russell to set up schedule for radiation treatments**

Belinda Siggers Whaley Got a good report; it is ovarian cancer but is the kind that is treatable with chemo; outlook is good; started chemo; **2nd treatment out of 5 today**; has every 5 weeks; teaching Kindergarten at DES Carol Sellers

Bro Gary Wiggins surgery went well; he had 4 bypasses; doing good; **back to work**

Britt Yarbrough recovering from heart ablation & knee surgery

JoAnn Yates her memory is better than it was but it's still not good; she has a doctor's appointment this week June McClendon's sister

Teresa Zabel improving slowly; therapists are coming in; still not much use of legs but she wants to be able to stand up with her walker so she keeps trying Diane Wheeler's niece