

If you have prayer needs, let us know by visiting our website at www.edgewoodag.org or emailing us at info@edgewoodag.org or by calling the office at 410-676-4455.

(2/4/2025) Here are some current prayer needs and updates:

PRAISE REPORTS

Lord, you are my God; I will exalt you and praise your name, for in perfect faithfulness you have done wonderful things, things planned long ago.

Isaiah 25:1

- Dixie England is doing much better with less pain in her knee.
- Robin Adkins is feeling much better.
- Cynthia Whickenheiser's daughter in law's brother Shaun, had his surgery and it was very successful, they got all of the tumor and the doctors are amazed at his recovery. Continue to pray for his salvation.

PRAYER FOR COMFORT

Blessed are they that mourn, for they shall be comforted. *Matthew 5:4*

- Please pray for the family of Polly Shunk who passed away recently.
- Pray for the family of Peggy a friend of Teresa Yoder, who passed away recently.

PRAYER for INJURIES, BROKEN BONES

He himself bore our sins in his body on the tree, that we might die to sin and live to righteousness. By his wounds you have been healed. *1 Peter 2:24*

- Traci McCarty is requesting prayer for her Aunt Sue. She broke her hip & had surgery and was in rehab. Her greatest need is to find Jesus. Please keep Sue & her family in prayer.
- Please keep Vaughn Stamper in prayer as he is having pain in his knee.

- Please pray for Ebony the daughter of Charles a friend of Pastor John, she was in a serious car accident and has major damage to her left arm.
- Erin Fitzpatrick got a new brace for her leg and new shoes are on the way. Her seizures are under control and she has follow ups with her doctors. Please pray for continued healing, and guidance for her doctors.

PRAYER for HEALTH ISSUES

But he was pierced for our transgressions, he was crushed for our iniquities; the punishment that brought us peace was on him, and by his wounds we are healed. *Isaiah 53:5*

- Please keep Fred Tierney in prayer, he has pneumonia and has very little energy. Please pray for complete healing and recovery.
- Please pray for Teresa Yoder, she is having stomach problems and would like prayer for healing.
- Please Pray for Carl Johnson Jr. who recently receive the results of an MRI that showed he has TIA (mini strokes). Please pray for healing.
- Please pray for Courtney's father, Cavil Taylor. Praying for many health needs & for wisdom.
- Vanessa is requesting prayer for her mother's fiancée, Mike Kline. He was seen at the emergency room and is having severe adverse effects and his health is declining quickly. Please pray for his recovery!
- Pray for Vanessa's Mom, Veronica, for wisdom & protection.
- Pray for Robin's new born- grandson - Crew came early at 32 weeks.
- Please pray for Robin. She is having a lot of trouble hearing. And is going for a test to make sure there's no complications as far as a tumor.
- Please pray for Matthew Shinn. He is having seizures. So, please pray that they would stop and he will be healed. Also pray that the Lord would bless his parents Frank & Jessica, with the wisdom of the Holy Spirit in this situation.

- Rita Simms Brother had a recent surgery. But, he is in a lot of pain and has a long recovery ahead of him. Please pray for healing and a quicker recovery.
- Yvonne's granddaughter Destiny is having swelling and severe pain in her back from a cyst. She is scheduled for surgery on February 13th, it will be her 5th surgery. Please pray for a successful outcome and that God will give her a testimony.
- Janet Kelly is having some vision problems. Please pray for healing.
- Please pray for John Furchert who lost sight in one of his eyes, pray for healing and full restoration of his sight.
- Please pray for Anthony W. who lost sight in one of his eyes, pray for healing and full restoration of his sight.
- Please pray for Hailey, 18 year old granddaughter of Brenda Ross who has scoliosis. Continue to pray for healing.
- Please Pray for Cynthia Wickenheiser as she is having problems with her leg. Please pray for healing.
- Brenda Ross is requesting prayer for Pat Carnell who has just retired from being a Missionary due to health problems. She has thyroid problems & the medications are making her dizzy. Please pray for Pat for healing.
- Please continue praying for Betty Leasure. She is having treatment for her foot problems.
- Casseta's husband, John, was injured 2 years ago at work and his right leg suffered nerve damage. He hasn't been able to work or drive or put any weight on that leg since then. Also, he's been suffering over 5 years with multiple abdominal issues.
- Axel, son of Greg Hill has epilepsy. Doctors are still trying to control his seizures. (Greg is a co-worker of Allen)
- During a recent checkup, Mahki's doctor thinks he has a leaky heart valve which may require surgery. (Mahki is Lumisher's grandson.)

- Robin Adkins is continuing to ask for prayer for Baby Hope. (Born prematurely on 6/27/23.) Hope had surgery on her brain which was successful. Doctors said she still would not walk or talk; however, she is now **walking!!** The doctors are in awe! Keep praying for Hope's continued developmental success!
- Linda Stewart's son, Brandon, is home from the nursing home and recovering. He recently started to experience feeling in his leg and has been able to do more self-care!
- Pray for Pat Hitchens & her husband Danny – Pat has dementia & Danny fell and broke his back and had to have back surgery. He is mostly immobilized and needs a lot of prayer.
- Bud McCarty's sister Cookie is having issues with her loss of vision, as well as, her ability to cope with it.
- Norma Turner, Cheryl Field's sister, needs prayer for healing in her vision. Norma also suffers daily with vertigo

BACK PAIN

“Heal me, LORD, and I will be healed; save me and I will be saved, for you are the one I praise.” *Jeremiah 17:14*

- Dave Adkins needs prayer for complete healing. He is suffering from lower back pain caused by severe arthritis in his spine and is having great difficulty breathing.
- Please pray for Frank Kleptka as he is suffering with severe back & leg pain. He doesn't have any one to help him and is receiving limited support from the VA. Please pray that the pain he is suffering will be removed and he will receive more support from the VA.
- Cheryl Fields needs prayer for back pain.

IN HOSPITAL, REHAB or ASSISTED LIVING

Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous. Do not be frightened, and do not be dismayed, for the Lord your God is with you wherever you go.”

Joshua 1:9

- Please pray for Roger Kregar. He is very sick and needs our prayers.
- Ann Cox's former boss's wife Marilyn is in the ICU. Please pray for healing.
- Please pray for Damaris, Jennifer Bowers boss. She is in the hospital for an aneurysm and stroke. Pray for healing and no lasting effects.
- Mary Nell (the mother of a friend of Teresa Yoder) has congestive heart failure. Please keep her in your prayers.
- Frank Butler had a urinary tract infection. He is back at the Nursing Home and is interacting & praying for others!! Please continue prayer for him.

CANCER AND BLOOD DISORDERS

So we fix our eyes not on what is seen, but on what is unseen, since what is seen is temporary, but what is unseen is eternal. *2 Corinthians 4:18*

- Jeannie Hughes is asking for prayer for her friend Ann who had a hysterectomy in June and they found cancer. She went to the doctor's recently and was told she has 3-6 months to live and 70% chance with treatment. She is the wife of Jeannies pastor. Please pray for Ann and her family. (Requested by Deloris Baggett)
- Please pray for Steve Taafe (the brother of one of Julie Cox's co workers) who has been diagnosed with colon cancer. Please pray for healing and salvation.
- Rita Simms has several members of her family that have recently been diagnosed with cancer please pray for their healing.

- Linda is battling stage 4 breast cancer. (Friend of Janis Rivers)
- Jenell Ross's mother needs prayer for deliverance from the spirit of infirmity. She has hypertension, cancer and trouble breathing at night. Would appreciate prayers for healing, strength and a closer fellowship with the Lord
- Please pray for Donna Laird, who is a life long friend of Steve Macas. She had Breast Cancer Surgery on October 9th. She is Recovering and has started treatment.
- Please Pray for Courtney Spence, she is only 41 years old and has been diagnosed with colon cancer.
- A friend of Lumisher, Ricardo Hamblin, has cancer.
- Please pray for Denise, Bev Fitzpatrick's daughter-in-law. She has pancreatic cancer and has been very weak. After 2 1/2 years she is beating the odds. She is still receiving treatment and is on a special diet to help manage the side effects of chemo. Please continue to pray for her healing.
- Rita, Yvonne's employer and friend, had surgery for cancer. She is doing well but needs prayer for the radiation treatments & for her family to give her support.
- Betty Crookshanks is requesting prayer for her cousin Tammy, who has uterine cancer and is still receiving chemotherapy, while also dealing with asthma.
- Freddie, Lumisher's brother, has been diagnosed with throat cancer.
- Pray for Greyson, a young child with neuroblastoma. (Darlene Secret)
- Marty Smith (Allen Smeltzer's friend and former boss) has leukemia He lives in Florida but travels to Maryland for treatments. He still needs prayer for healing.
- Mike, Darlene's brother-in-law, has a blood disorder that needs to be

EMOTIONAL HEALTH

Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewal of your mind, that by testing you may discern what is the will of God, what is good and acceptable and perfect. *Romans 12:2*

- Christopher Hopkins is feeling like the world is crushing down on him. Angela Hopkins, his mother, is seeking prayer for his mental health.
- Please pray for Kendra Waite and her boyfriend to find a home.
- Rylee Ham, is a young girl whose family's car was hit by a drunk driver. This left Rylee with a traumatic brain injury. She requires total care from her mother. The family's only income is from her stepfather and donations. Please pray for a miracle for Rylee and her family.
(Andrea Smeltzer)
- Please pray for Allen Smeltzer's nephew Jacob, who is struggling with addiction.
- Pray for Eleonore Mech. Eleonore is having trouble with her memory and has stability issues, falling occasionally. Pray for her health, safety and peace.
- Pray for Corey, who is dealing with some emotional stability issues.
- Rita is requesting prayer for her friend, Mark, who is suffering from depression.
- Harold Wilson has dementia and needs prayer. (Sandra Wilson, his daughter)
- Isabella Ramos has been diagnosed with dementia and needs prayer. (by Janis Rivers)
- Barbara Dixon needs prayer for dementia.

CONTINUING HEALTH ISSUES

The steadfast love of the Lord never ceases; His mercies never come to an

end; they are new every morning; great is your faithfulness.

Lamentations 3:22-23

- Please pray for Desire, one of Donna Ridgely's 10 year old students. She has been diagnosed as severely diabetic. Desire is a non - verbal autistic student. Please pray for her healing, peace and for the peace of her parents. Desire is back at school.
- Larry Campbell continues to have pain and needs prayer. Keep Larry & Brenda in your prayers
- Bill Woods has Parkinson's and needs prayer.
- Dixie's mom has pain in her leg caused by lymphedema. She is taking antibiotics. Pray that the swelling goes down and her pain lessens.
- Nora Stamper has asthma and other physical problems and needs prayer for healing.
- Sharon Spears still has leg pain and is frequently tired.
- Kathy Stanley needs prayer for her eyes, diabetes, a leg infection, and a leaky heart valve.
- Phyllis Stanley (shoulder)
- Ann Cox (leg & diabetes)
- Janet Kelley (arthritis)
- Linda Roe (arthritis)
- Pray for all those who are suffering from colds, flu, viruses, or Coronavirus. Also for those who are serving the sick.

UNSPOKEN NEEDS

“Your Father knows the things you have need of before you ask Him.” *Matthew 6:8*

- Teresa Yoder is asking for prayer for an unspoken need.

SALVATION, ADDICTION, DELIVERANCE

Jesus said to him, “I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me.” *John 14:6*

- Faith called requesting prayer for Jade who is in jail and facing prosecution. She is asking that we would pray for leniency from the prosecutor and that he would be able to get into a recovery program of some sort.
- Please Pray for Linda Roe’s sister, Carolyn. She lives in LA and the Palisades fire is approaching her home. Please pray for protection for her family & property.
- Rita Simms is requesting prayer for her youngest son to find salvation.
- Pray for Alyssa, for salvation (from Ann Cox)
- Pray for the girls living with Yvonne Bennet for salvation and that God keeps them safe until they find salvation.
- Pray for salvation for all of Yvonne’s family, both immediate family members and extended family members.
- Rita Simms would like prayer for her son, Sean Graves, who has a learning disability and needs salvation.
- Jeff Wickenheiser- Anthony’s brother needs prayers for deliverance from alcohol and salvation.
- Keep all unsaved and wayward families and loved ones in prayer.

PRAYING FOR DIRECTION / WISDOM / PROTECTION

If any of you lacks wisdom, you should ask God, who gives generously to all without finding fault, and it will be given to you. *James 1:5*

- Rita Simms is requesting prayer for her daughter a new job opportunity.
- Sandra Wilson needs the Lord’s help to get her finances in order.

- Pray for Matilda's older daughter, Mimi, for a God fearing and loving spouse.
- Pray that the Lord uses Mimi's published book to touch lives.
- Pray for the homeless people in our local area.

MISSIONARIES

“Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, and before you were born, I consecrated you; I appointed you a prophet to the nations.” *Jeremiah 1:5*

- Conflict in Israel
- One of our missionaries is waiting on the results of some tests and scans of her right leg which has been giving her intermittent pain for several months. We just received this update from her: “The tests revealed degeneration further. I have good days and bad days, but I do have less pain, if I'm taking care of it properly. I think surgery may come at some point in the future, but we're not there yet.”
- Pray that the ministry needs are met for Pastor Alfred Juma and his ministry team in Kenya.
- All our 31 Missionaries.
- All our local Missions & Outreach Ministries.

LEADERSHIP

That the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give to you a spirit of wisdom and of revelation in the knowledge of Him. *Ephesians 1:17*

- Church Leadership
- Pray for our Governmental Leaders, President, Governor, etc.
- Pray for our Nation

Philippians 4:4-7

Rejoice in the Lord always. I will say it again: Rejoice! Let your gentleness be evident to all. The Lord is near. Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.