

Prayer For Our Congregation

- **Prayer focus for January:** Jeremiah 29:7—But seek the welfare of the city where I have sent you into exile, and pray to the Lord on its behalf, for in its welfare you will find your welfare.
God grant us wisdom to know how to intercede for our city and surrounding communities through prayer, to actively do good and promote the welfare of the city through our good works, and may others see our good works as light in the darkness of sin so that you might be glorified in us and through us.
- Salvation for our children and teens who are hearing the Gospel at Church and at home.
- Wisdom as we pursue ways to participate in foster and adoptive care and care for foster and adoptive families.
- RBC women who visit refugee women in Clarkston, GA.
- Provision for Children's Ministry workers
- Visitors who may be joining our Congregation
- For the Tanzania mission trip

Salvation

- Josh C
- Kira | J.E. | SS
- New Christians, seekers, and "secret church" goers in Clarkston. For peace, courage, and safety. Pray they will be safe in the presence of anti-Afghan and anti-foreigner sentiment
- Roy Umphrey- Cousin of Win Powell- prayers for salvation. Health is improved.

Sympathy

- **Family and friends of Wylene Helton, who passed away on 12/27**
- **Jeff and Sherry Loper** and family, grieving the loss of his father on 12/27.

Medical/Physical

- Danny Burns—biopsy 12/1 showed kidney cancer. Doctors are determining best treatment prior to surgery in 2-3 months; more specialists to see.
- **Jeff Callaway—cousin of Sarah Cornett. Critically ill after quadruple bypass surgery 12/23.**
- Mike Mullins, Clayton's father, continuing to have problems with blood clots.
- Tim Monk- leukemia in remission.
- JD—needs a liver transplant—May be able to go to Chicago for treatment

Medical/Physical (cont.)

- Charlotte Baker—Jean Roberson's co-worker's daughter with terminal brain cancer, now on hospice, and her co-worker Lisa, who has serious health challenges herself with multiple myeloma
- Greg Harper—stage 2 throat cancer. Treatment finished 10/31.
- Jeremy Simpson—successful liver transplant 10/4
- Jim Siler, Mindy Estep's brother in FL—stage 4 metastatic cancer
- Chad Rhea, Jennifer (Estep's) husband in FL—recovered from E-bike accident, some residual soreness.
- Ruth Powell—Cancer diagnosis
- Jonathon Chambless—lung mass
- Robbie Hambright's acquaintance Laverne—leukemia
- Corinne Johnston—Eric Rubin's sister, breast cancer, receiving chemo since 8/19
- Beau B.—Vestavia West 2nd grader, brain tumor, cancer free. Request prayers for peaceful temperament.
- Stacy Knight- continues with CLL—currently stable
- Jeffrey Powell- son of Ann Powell
- Chase McLain- health challenges with eyes and inflammation.
- Marisa Mullins- Clayton Mullins's sister- ongoing health challenges.
- Linda Johnson- close friend of Ron and Mary Smith- struggling with recent medical challenges.
- Lynn Culp- niece of Faye Sykes/Cousin of Barry--rare kidney tumor with no current treatment
- Alan Tubbs- son of Jackie Tubbs- recovering slowly after amputation of feet. Has prosthetics. Making gradual progress through therapy. Ongoing prayers are appreciated during this very slow and painful process.
- Karen F.- friend of the Lopers who suffers from complications related to polycystic kidney disease.
- Stacie Horan- daughter of Suellen & Gene Rayfield- suffering from ongoing eye issues due to shingles.
- Colin Richardson—metastatic melanoma. Undergoing treatment with reassuring results.
- Linda Cobb- friend of Wayne Boody- undergoing treatment for pancreatic cancer.

Medical/Physical (cont'd)

- Wayne Gray-- father of Jennifer Sykes—stable
- Billy Lester—continues requiring care for serious ankle fracture
- Elaine McLain's cousin, Kenneth Harrell, doing well
- Sue Stephens- Robbie Hambright's sister- suffering from blood cancer.
- Ben Franklin — Shalom Annapogu's father
- Jim Myers—Katie Smith's father, still having some important issues since extensive cardiac procedure
- Unspoken prayer requests Laney DeMaris- continues to suffer from serious, long-term gastrointestinal problems.

Independent Living | Assisted Living

- John Harris- Brookdale Senior Living
- Ann Powell — The Oaks
- Gordon Burkhead — The Crossings
- Bobbie Taylor- assisted living.
- Mildred Boody, Wayne's mother, nursing home with hospice care.
- Jackie Tubbs—**Galleria Woods for rehab** following hip fracture—continue prayers as she and her family adjust

Missionaries

- NC — Nepal — Nell Horsley's grandson
- Melissa L. — Page Rubin's cousin
- Andre and Valentina Khudyakov- Missionaries in the Ukraine
- Emma B—Myanmar—Camille's cousin
- Rick McLain—Mission work in Cuba
- **Kevin Rideout—friend and co-worker of Kerra Jayne—prayers for safety, God's providence, after kidnapping October 21, in Africa**

Missions Partners

- Steven Castello & Matt Waldrep: Boston Church Planters
- Jim & Jeanne Slaughenhoup— Clarkston, GA.
- Kerra Jayne—now back in Birmingham, pray for next steps, discernment for God's plans
- **Tanzania Missions Partnership**, including Tumaini Jipya Secondary School for Girls, Africa Inland Church, and International Theological College of Tanzania. **RBC team to Tanzania 12/30/25-1/10/26: Chase McLain, Jean Roberson, Doug Clark, Sherry Loper, Colby and Lauren Nelson, Lauren Shirani, Walker Mason, Rachel Hagues.**

Other & From Website

- Peace for the Woodlawn community
- Julie Love- Jane Roach's niece
- Those directly affected by conflict in the Middle East
- Relief & peace for the persecuted church worldwide & in India
- I-3 Academy and the surrounding community
- Noelle McKinney- prayers for endurance and wisdom as she works to complete her doctoral dissertation.
- Prayers for Muslims and those who work to reach them

Military

- All military personnel and their families
- Sam Chapman—moving to Guam as a Navy optometrist after OCS. Newly married.
- Bob Banks — Langley AFB
- Griffin Bruns
- Chris Zerner (Brunson)
- Scott and Katie Eckhart (Benton)

Unreached People