

Grace Baptist Church

WEEKLY PRAYER LIST April 8, 2009

If you have a prayer request or praise, please email Trish Lindsay at secretary@grace4u.com or by phone @424-9623 by Tuesdays at noon.
For emergencies during non-business hours, please contact one of the Elders listed below.
Ray Brown, 595-7032; Bob Bragdon, 424-0912; Donald Busch 665-9250

OUR CHURCH

Pray for our Leadership as they continue seeking God's direction for our church.

Pray for our Easter breakfast and service, that we may be a welcoming place in the community.

Pray for our upcoming Italian Dinner & Movie Night on April 25th. Pray for a good turnout as we seek opportunities to minister to the community.

Please pray for GBC as we begin plans for our VBS program. We have tentatively set the date for June 29-July 3. Please pray about how God would have you participate.

Grace Christian School

Continue to pray for our current families as they make decisions for next year.

Pray as we seek a new location for Grace Christian School.

OUR PEOPLE

Praise

Pam Clark had her surgery for breast cancer last Friday and it went well. Her lymph nodes were all clean. PTL!
Continue to pray for comfort and healing.

Family/Friends

Please pray for the following people who are unemployed:
John DeFilippo's cousin, Lucia, Nancy Busch's brother Mark, Mrs. Mendola (G.C.S. parent).

Health

Pray for Peter Lindsay's mother, Nellie who has been in the hospital this week with an irregular heart beat and blood pressure issues. Pray they can regulate her medicine and for healing.

Pray for Karen Johnson's mother, Mrs. Hallam. The Dr.'s found a mass on her adrenal gland and she is having a test to determine what it is. Pray for wisdom for the doctors and comfort and healing for her.

Pray for Donnice Weitemeyer's mom. Pray for healing, comfort, strength and wisdom for the family.

Continue to pray for Barb Clark as she pursues pain relief in her back. At this point surgery is not an option due to the

stress fracture and condition of her bones. This is very discouraging. She will be receiving steroid injections to help relieve the pain. Pray the injections work and for comfort, wisdom and healing.

Pray for Barb Clark's grandson Brent. He has an enlarged liver and spleen and the doctors are looking to see why. Pray for wisdom and healing.

Pray for Barb Clark's uncle (95 yrs. old) who fell and broke his hip last Sunday. He will be having surgery this coming Monday. Pray for comfort and healing.

Please continue to pray for Kathy DeFilippo's Mom. She has had dangerously low Blood Pressure recently. Although it is a symptom of the kidney disease she has, it can cause dizziness and fainting. Kathy will be visiting with her next week.

OUR WORLD

MISSIONARIES WE SUPPORT –

Ted and Ruth Brewer; 24 Maywood Drive, Nashua, NH 03064, 603-881-9387, newpeace@myfairpoint.net

New Peace Network-reconciliation and renewal,

Request: Ted is home with 2 surgeries behind him. God has given a large measure of healing to his right hand. Pray that God will spare Ted the severe nerve pain that comes with shingles. Also that the insurance would fully pay for the surgeries and related medical expenses.

Ted and Debbie Child, Amanda & Lindsay; 1248 Poplar Ave., Mountainside, NJ 07092; tedchild@alum.mit.edu or debbiechild@alumni.brown.edu (Debbie, Amanda & Lindsay)

Campus Crusade-East Asia.

Request: Ted spoke at the men's retreat attended by mostly students at universities in their region and it went well. Pray that these men continue to follow the Lord and put the lessons learned at the retreat into their lives. Debbie and the girls had a good time ministering and being encouraged by the other women at their retreat. The retreat speaker was a co-worker of the Child's in VA. They are asking the Lord to transform their whole region with the light of the gospel and they can be a blessing to the rest of the country even to other nations. They want to reach out to different ethnic groups. Ted will be traveling with a local brother to a nearby country to see if there is a ministry opportunity for their students this summer.

Rev. William and Karen Paige; 279 Shaker Rd., Concord, NH 03301, 603-228-2416; wpaige@juno.com
Community Chaplains Service Inc. (P.O. Box 117, Foxboro, MA 02035); NH National Guard/Nursing Home Chaplain in Concord and Manchester.

Request: Support still not at needed level, YTD need: \$21,681 and actual is \$14,653.73.

Jason and Mandy Post, Emma, Zoe, Ruby; 2 Liosmore, Cappagh Road, Galway, Republic of Ireland, 469-765-3570 (5 hours ahead of EST), jasonpost@mac.com, www.theposts.org;

World Venture-church planting

Request: They are having an evangelism study on Wednesday nights and had several corporate prayer meetings. This culminated in "Friend Day" and had 81 in attendance. Pray for the seeds that were planted. They are having record crowds of university students for DVD nights. Jason began a Bible study on Monday nights on campus, pray for room to meet. Mandy meets with a couple of university girls to mentor and minister to. She also has a Bible study with a couple of moms during the week. Continue to pray for the first generation convert, as he is really struggling. The Posts have been in discussion with the school that Emma attends to see if they can use their brand new building as a place for the church to meet. The landlord of the Posts house is thinking of selling or moving back in.

Greg & Asa Swenson, Micah, Jonah, Karin, Ellen; 1808 Pierce St. NE, Minneapolis, MN 55418, H-612-781-7452, gaswenson@usfamily.net,
World Venture-appointed to Japan.

Request: Since their last prayer letter 2 churches and 9 individuals have either increased their support level or joined their team of financial partners. Their support package was increased by 6.5% as of January 2009 and the support commitment level has increased to 73% - only 27% to go. Please pray that the Lord would meet their remaining support needs this spring so they can begin taking concrete steps for an early to mid-summer departure.

Ralph & Sandra Thompson, Ryan, Alyssa, Alana; P.O. Box 99078, Mombasa, Kenya 80107, 011-254-041-2490321; rpthompson@worldventure.net, www.thompsonforkenya.com

World Venture-church planting.

Praise: Sandra's back has been doing much better.

Request: Ralph's mother's (Cathy) breast cancer surgery went ok, but they need to go in again and get a small amount of cancer that they missed. The cancer is non invasive so she won't need chemo. Pray for those they are discipling and/or mentoring and seeking. Pray for finances. They need \$678 more per month. They also need \$4,316 for World Venture's leaders meeting, and conference for those involved in theological education and leadership training and for modular program in apologetics through the University.