

# Grace Baptist Church

## WEEKLY PRAYER LIST November 12, 2008

If you have a prayer request or praise, please email Trish Lindsay at [secretary@grace4u.com](mailto: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.

#### Grace Christian School

Pray for our 1<sup>st</sup> Annual Craft Fair this Saturday, Nov. 15th.  
Praise God for sending us more crafters than we can fit!

### OUR PEOPLE

#### Family

Pray for Kathy DeFilippo's nephew Scott. He's in jail in Atlanta and will probably be there for a while. This time he will have mandatory programs he has to attend. He is a very troubled man and is not saved.

Pray for Chris Cyr. The investigation at work is over and all went well, but after prayerful consideration he has decided to resign from New England Regional Mortgage. Please ask God to guide his search for a new job.

Pray that Alicia Brown finds work in December and January. She needs to earn \$4,500 for her upcoming trip to the Malaria Research Institute at Macha, Zambia, Africa through Messiah College.

#### Health

Pray for Gerry Swenson, that her fractured hand will heal quickly. She will be in a splint for 5 weeks.

Please pray for Christian Bishop, son of Lori Bishop. Lori has contacted the church for financial help in the past. Her son, Christian has a condition known as Cholesteatoma, which is a destructive and expanding growth in the middle ear and/or mastoid. He is at Children's Hospital in Boston and will have surgery to remove it. This has been a recurring problem and this is not his first surgery. Lori is a single mother of six, two of which are in Iraq. Please pray for healing and wisdom as they try to determine a long - term solution.

Pray for Karen Hallam's father in Pennsylvania who has been diagnosed with cancer of the esophagus. He has been discharged from the hospital w/limitations and will continue with chemo for now. Pray for strength as Steve and Karen's wedding is approaching.

Continue to pray for Barb Clark as she pursues pain relief in her back. She traveled to Dartmouth Hitchcock in Lebanon on Tues. Nov. 11<sup>th</sup> for a nerve block. While this is not a permanent solution, it will hopefully provide some amount of pain relief. Pray that God would grant her wisdom as she seeks additional measures for pain relief.

#### Praise

Rene Beretta thanks everyone for your prayers. After weeks of testing and an Ultrasound showing her uterus covered in polyps her doctor insisted on one more Ultrasound. After waiting several weeks to have this done she began to feel better and the Ultrasound showed No Polyps!! Praise God! Only through prayer could this have happened!

### OUR WORLD

#### MISSIONARIES WE SUPPORT –

**Ted and Ruth Brewer; 24 Maywood Drive, Nashua, NH 03064, 603-881-9387, [newpeace@verizon.net](mailto:newpeace@verizon.net)**

New Peace Network-reconciliation and renewal,

**Request:** Ted has been experiencing increased neck pain in the last several months, making it a struggle to just get the basics accomplished, also pray for the NE churches using their services at this time.

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

Campus Crusade-East Asia.

**Request:** That the Holy Spirit brings revival to the region for His glory.

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

**Praise:** For residents Jon, Dorothy and Steven that Bill led to salvation!

**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:** The hotel where they have been holding worship services needs financing to stay in business. God to lead them to a place suitable and affordable for use long term. Pray that the process to get their visas renewed will go smoothly. Pray for outreaches through the Christian Union at the University, DVD nights and relationships with parents in the parents committee at Emma's school.

**Bill & Mary Scarpitta, Nicholas, Michael, Daniel; Krasnodar, Russia, now at 21 Robbins St. Brick, NJ 08724, scarpittas@hotmail.com**

World Venture-church planting.

**Request:** Pray that Mary's pain level goes way down so that they could return to Russia. Continue to pray for Nick's treatment for tuberculosis. Please also pray for the church and all believers in Georgia for strength and protection during this time of war.

**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:** They still need 40% more support. The need is for 40-50 additional families/individuals and 5-10 more churches to support them.

**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:** Good trip back to Kenya; their church in Mombasa is continuing strong; opportunity for Ralph to mentor believers involved in ministry; opportunity for Sandra to lead a children's choir for a Christmas musical.

**Request:** Need \$435 more a month; replicate Asian fellowship to those from a more orthodox Sunni background to provide a contextualized and safe environment for seekers; good health (been suffering with conjunctivitis, fevers, virus', stomach issues and Ryan treated for latent inactive TB)

## MISSIONARIES WE SUPPORTED THAT RETIRED THIS YEAR –

**Alex & Kathy Katona (served in Hungary); 1123 Larkspur Lane, Dallas, NC 28034, 704-922-43679**

**Tom & Kelly Mitchell, Emily, Bethany, Paul, James [served in Peru]; 9993 Rt. 32, Freehold, NY 12431, 518-634-7288, tkebpitchell@msn.com.**

**Request:** Tom was in a motorcycle accident in June, he had surgery in Peru where 6 inches of damaged intestines were removed and abdominal cavity was cleaned from intestinal leakage and stitched up. In July, he was hospitalized in the states for a knee infection. They are requesting for God to lead them in what He wants them to do in the states.

**Ann Young (served in Philippines); P.O. Box 463, Brunswick, Maine, 04011, 207-729-0370, anncyoung8@aol.com.**

**Request:** Need for teachers for missionary kids (future missionaries); train nationals in Bible colleges and seminaries to train others; new missionaries to adjust to the culture; for Carmen and her school.

**Address for NE World Venture: Andy & Nancy Spohrer; 444 Stillwater Ave., Bangor, ME 04401, 888-224-4546, Fax: 207-234-2939.**