# Keep These in Your Prayers

<u>Long-term illness:</u> Charles Lipscomb, Helen Giger, Lela Warren, Sara Hall, Lou Griffin, Martha Copeland

Health, grief or need for strength or guidance now: Judy Deal, James Nokes, Landyn Kidd, Sina Martin, L. G. Owen, Cathy, Jack & Stephen McNulty, Landry Lewellen, Jack Hogan, Marian Hassell (friend of Elayne Reid), Emma Lambert, Richard Young, Hayden Green, Savannah Bradburn, Robin Calicutt, Joan Bonneau, Cody Gilcrease, Janice Poteet, Jimmy Lawson, Richard & Barbara Edwards (Patti Long's brother & sister-in-law)

<u>Continuing Care Retirement Community</u>: Chandler Nursing Center: Emogene Finley, Yolanda Evilsizer Oak Terrace: Mary Stewart Brookdale: Marilyn Pollard The Atria: Gayle Haynes Park Place: Helen Reese

<u>Remember to Pray for Our Military</u>: Steven Mount (Air Force Major, multiple deployments, Viglini family), Liz McGovney (Lt. Col., Army, John Taylor family); Preston Toole (Army, friend of Lou Griffin family), Joe Wangler (Air Force Master Sgt, Autumn Fenner's brother), Aaron Sherman (Air Force, son of Tim & Jana Sherman), Sarah Oliver Martin (Lt. Col, Air Force, Charles Oliver family)

If you have updates to these lists, please notify the church office.

#### **Weekly Activities:**

<u>Sunday:</u> Connect Service, 9:30; Sunday School, FLC 11; Traditional Worship, 11; Visioning Meeting, HH, 12:15; Youth Dinner, 5:30 FLC; Pastor's Bible Study, HH, 6 pm

<u>Monday:</u> Monday Morning Ladies Bible Study, Parlor, 10; Celebrate Recovery Step Studies, FLC, 6 pm; Men's Bible Study, Parlor, 6:30 pm

<u>Tuesday:</u> Men's Prayer Breakfast, Dairy Queen, 7 am; Retired Persons Ministry, HH, 1:30, Angelus Ringers, CR, 7 pm

Wednesday: Cross Training & Youth, 5:30; Chancel Choir, CR, 7 pm

Thursday: Celebrate Recovery, 6-8:30 pm, FLC









## September 26, 2021

### **Our Mission**

Bringing ALL together in Christ's love Through worship, growth, and service.

### **Our Vision**

A family of faith, united by grace, making a difference for Christ in our community and the world.

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Call to Worship: Raise a Hallelujah

**Good God Almighty** 

Welcome Stephanie Mayfield

Songs of Meditation: My Jesus

**Believe For It** 

Prayer/Lord's Prayer Rev. Bryan Harkness

Scripture 1 Peter 1:6-7 (NLT); 2 Corinthians 12:9-10; Psalms 103:10-12 1 Peter 1:6-7 (NLT) <sup>6</sup> So be truly glad. There is wonderful joy ahead, even though you must endure many trials for a little while. <sup>7</sup> These trials will show that your faith is genuine. It is being tested as fire tests and purifies gold though your faith is far more precious than mere gold. So when your faith remains strong through many trials, it will bring you much praise and glory and honor on the day when Jesus Christ is revealed to the whole world. 2 Corinthians 12:9-10 9 He said to me, "My grace is enough for you, because power is made perfect in weakness." So I'll gladly spend my time bragging about my weaknesses so that Christ's power can rest on me. <sup>10</sup> Therefore, I'm all right with weaknesses, insults, disasters, harassments, and stressful situations for the sake of Christ, because when I'm weak, then I'm strong. Psalms 103:10-12 <sup>10</sup> He doesn't deal with us according to our sin or repay us according to our wrongdoing 11 because as high as heaven is above the earth, that's how large God's faithful love is for those who honor him. 12 As far as east is from west—that's how far God has removed our sin from us.

Message "I Want to Believe But...Heartless God" Rev. Bryan Harkness

Sending Forth: King of Kings

#### **Announcement & Dismissal**

Rev. Bryan Harkness

**Sermon Notes:** 

When God doesn't seem fair

God can <u>redeem</u> your pain (1 Peter 1:6-7)

God doesn't cause pain but he can always \_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

God is in your pain. (Psalm 46:1)

We want God to give us what we \_\_\_\_\_. God wants to show that that he

is what we \_\_\_\_\_\_. (2 Cor 12:9)

God isn't always fair but he is \_\_\_\_\_\_. (Psalm 103:10-12)

Visioning Meeting: Today at 12:15, HH, Focus: Young Families and Children

Church Security Meeting: October 30, 8:30 – 5:30 pm, RSVP online

New Pastor's Bible Study, 6 pm, HH, October 3<sup>rd</sup>, Psalms Operation Christmas Child Information coming soon