

Prayer Requests for Members

Alec Harvey prayers for nerve recovery, **Angie Harvey and Debby Harvey** long-term health problems, **Olivia Twitchell** health problems, **Jerry Peaks** multiple health problems, **Donnie Thomas** recovering from surgery at home, **Doris Heskett** stage 3 kidney disease, **Greg Artz** recovering from surgery, **Donna Rike** MS

Prayer Requests for Family and Friends

Cancer

Cheryl Medley Hill doing better, **David Rast** (son of Tim Stanz's friend and Teresa Artz's cousin) stage 4 cancer treatment paused to regain strength, **Benson Holmes** (friend of Larry and Linda Ellis) receiving treatments, **Billie Hesselrode** (Tim's long-time client and former missionary) cancer treatment paused to regain strength, **Perry Montague** (Debby Harvey's cousin) kidney cancer, **William Wismler** (Teresa Artz's uncle) throat cancer starting treatment

Other Illness and Life Challenges

Dorothy Perygin (Pam Sayles's Mother) several health problems, **Gary and Judy Steele** (former member) several health problems, **Cheryl Morris** (Friend of Harveys) rare illness with large mass in lung, **Rodney Roberson** (brother of Donna Rike) last back repair surgery failing, **Gayle Dalager** (Tim Stanz's aunt) health declining and moved into memory care, **Jan Wood** (Diane Tye's sister-in-law) recovering at home after head injury, **Lucas Walters** (Debby Harvey's cousin) child with Down's syndrome, nonverbal, with multiple recent health concerns, **Michael Bellanti** (Doris Heskett's son-in-law) recovering from diverticulitis surgery, **Brittany Watkins** (Carol Mitchell's daughter) upcoming C-section between Aug 18th-21st

Supported Ministries:

David French – Zambia, Africa
<https://zambiamissions.org/>

Curry Montague – Hungary
<http://www.kregyhaza.hu>

Tennessee Children's Home
<https://www.tennesseechildrenshome.org/>

Local Evangelism and Outreach:

SomerOak Senior Living – Worship Service Each Sunday at 1 PM
<https://somerOakSeniorLiving.com/>

Food Pantry – Food and Supplies for those in need

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Welcome to the worship service of the Lord's Church at Oakland

August 11, 2024

www.oaklandtnchurchofchrist.com

Sunday Morning Bible Study: 9:00 a.m.

Sunday Morning Worship: 10:00 a.m.

Sunday Night Worship: 5:00 p.m.

Wednesday Night Bible Study: 7:00 p.m.

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| Special Prayer Requests..... | Tim Stanz |
| Singing..... | Larry Ellis |
| Let the Beauty of Jesus Be Seen..... | 625 |
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| Lesson..... | Greg Artz |

Encourage One Another

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Lord's Supper

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| Communion Comments..... | Larry Ellis |
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Men to Serve

Glenn Miller & John Gossett

Contribution

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| Children's Singing/Closing Song..... | |
| Announcements/Closing Prayer..... | Greg Artz |

Today's Lesson

Morning Assembly
Encourage One Another
Deuteronomy 1:38

Evening Assembly
The Centurion at the Cross
Matthew 27:33-54

Announcements

Welcome visitors! We are so glad that you have chosen to worship with us! Please fill in a Visitors' card and put it in the collection plate.

COMING EVENTS

August 18 – Fellowship Meal After Morning Worship Service
(No 5 PM Worship Service)

August 25 – Congregational Singing Service 5 PM

Birthdays

Glenn Miller (8/1)

Larry Wiles (8/8)

Sandra Thompson (8/15)

Larry Ellis (8/17)

Brentley Grooms (8/23)

Anniversaries

Ron and Cindy Dacus (8/8)

Larry and Kathey Wiles (8/14)

Glenn and Wanda Miller (8/20)

Importance of Keeping Your Word

Keeping your word is the essence of integrity. As Stephen Covey points out, "honesty is making your words conform to reality. Integrity is making reality conform to your words." It is essential to leadership. Without it, you cannot be an effective leader.

Why?

1. Integrity is required for trust. If people can't trust your word, they won't trust you.
2. Trust is necessary for influence. People choose those they let influence them, and this is based largely on trust.
3. Influence is essential for impact. You can't make the impact you want to make unless you can influence others and shift their behavior.

James 4:4 - 4 You adulterous people. Do you not know that friendship with the world is enmity with God? Therefore, whoever wishes to be a friend of the world makes himself an enemy of God.

Are you keeping God's Word? Is it a way of life or only when convenient?

How can we expect to influence the world for Jesus when our actions and words do not reflect the Words of Life given by Jesus?

DON'T LET YOUR LIPS AND YOUR LIVES PREACH TWO DIFFERENT MESSAGES

A person's character is shown through their actions in life NOT where they sit on Sunday.