

## "We ask...He hears" 1 John 5:15

# Newcastle Christian Church Prayer Requests As of November 15, 2019

(Requests remain on the list four weeks unless they are resubmitted.)

#### **Members:**

- 1. Lyn Manuel is in a neck brace, will not have to have surgery at this time. Her next doctor appointment is in February. Prayers that she will continue to improve.
- 2. PTL! For the successful Operation Care trip, and God's watch care over our travelers.
- 3. Neil Newcomb requests prayers for Saundra, for medical resolution of infections that may affect her hip replacement.
- 4. Joe & Darlene Miller are thankful to God, and for our prayers for a home sitter, they got a good one.
- 5. Pat Ray has a bad case of the shingles. Prayers for healing. Casina says he is doing a little better.
- 6. Luke Nix had hernia surgery Nov. 6<sup>th</sup>. Prayers for comfort and quick healing for him.
- 7. Stephanie Garrett had eye surgery on Nov. 6<sup>th</sup>. All went well, she is resting at home.
- 8. Cathy White's mother, Joanna Denham, passed away. Prayers for God's comfort and peace for the family.
- 9. Vanis Hightower passed out and was taken to the ER on Oct. 29<sup>th</sup>. All tests there came back good. Pediatric cardiologist didn't find anything in his testing; Vanis has an MRI and EEG on 11/22. Prayers that answers will be found and it's nothing serious.
- 10. David Parks had surgery to reattach a retina on 11/13. This was not successful, so they tried again on 11/14. There were several complications and unexpected issues. Time will tell if this was successful or not; David must follow a difficult regimen of laying flat on his stomach for 5 hours, then on his right side for 24 hours a day for 7 days with only a 15-minute break each hour. The doctor said they are hoping to regain at least 75% of the sight in his affected eye; let's pray for 100 %. He and Lori need our daily prayers.
- 11. Jim Storey had hernia repair surgery on Monday, Oct. 28th. Surgery was successful, and he is recuperating at home. Prayers for quick healing for him; getting over an outbreak of hives, a reaction to a topical used for the surgery.
- 12. Harden Hassell has been diagnosed with a treatable brain disease (not a stroke as previously thought) and is at Jim Thorpe Rehab. He is weak from being in the hospital, and Carole & Harden say they miss church. Please pray for quick healing and rehab for Harden.
- 13. Mike Aston had surgery to repair torn rotator cuff on Monday, October 28<sup>th</sup>. Surgery was successful, and he is recuperating at home. Prayers for fast healing for him.
- 14. Tammy Clark asks prayers for nephew Dalton Grooms; he will remain in jail for at least another 3 months. Another hearing is scheduled in January.

#### **Loved Ones & Friends:**

- 15. Billy Collier requested prayers for Kara McInnis, the wife of a minister friend, she is back in ICU, and they are struggling to try and help her get well.
- 16. Billy also asked prayers for a friend of Michelle's from jr. high/high school, Erika Kleiner, whose cousin Scott Hapgood was on a family vacation, a guy on drugs broke into their hotel room and Scott struggled with the guy. During the struggle, the guy died. Scott has had to get legal help with possible charges against him, and travel to the location to defend himself, and it has become quite an ordeal for him and his family, and turned their lives upside down. Prayers that the truth will out and Scott and his family can get back to normal.
- 17. Cal Cossey asks prayers for the family of the police chief in Mannford, OK, who was killed during some kind of confrontation with an employee while on an out of town trip. Cal's brother knew this man, he lived in Stroud, his wife teaches at Stroud schools (with Loretta Lee's granddaughter), and his kids go to school in Stroud. This is a very difficult time for the family and for the communities and schools affected by what happened.
- 18. Curtis Lee and Stephanie Garrett ask prayers for Mandy Cawley who is having kidney issues and knee problems.
- 19. Stephanie also requested prayers for the mother of a good friend of Camille's, Mrs. Delacruz, who is battling a digestive cancer, and they've stopped chemo, the cancer is spreading.
- 20. Gary LaVelle's father has passed away. Prayers for the family.
- 21. Mike Aston asks prayers for Bob Korstgens who may have to have heart surgery soon.
- 22. Saundra Newcomb's niece, Beth Winslow, had a routine surgery, but has experienced two code blues since then. She isn't responsive yet, and it's not looking good. Prayers for Saundra and her sister as they deal with this situation, and for Beth to get well.

- 23. A teacher at Blanchard Middle School has passed away; she was a popular young teacher and this is a difficult loss for the students and faculty. Prayers for peace and comfort.
- 24. Paula Floyd is staying with her mother, Marge Barker, who has MS, has been diagnosed with pneumonia and is not doing very well. Prayers for God's mercy and care for Paula and family as they deal with this situation.
- 25. Prayer request from Tina for a friend, Quan, who was shot in July. He is having residual nerve damage from the injury. Prayers for healing.
- 26. Courtney Loveless asks prayers for Tammy Rogers, the mother of a friend of Morgan's from high school. Her health is declining, so prayers of healing and comfort for her.
- 27. Courtney also requests prayers for Audrey Fowler, the wife of the guy we rent inflatables from, battling cancer.
- 28. Billy and Whorton request prayers for Amy Neff, hurting again after a second back surgery to fix what went wrong with the first surgery. She is doing a little better, but is not 100%.
- 29. Retha Jantz asks prayers for her granddaughter, Hope Miller, battling cancer.
- 30. Tammy Clark asks prayers for the Les Wortham family, he passed away unexpectedly on 10/31.
- 31. Cristal Thacker requests prayers for her brother, Jonathan, who had a very risky surgery on Thursday, Oct. 31. Things were not as bad when they opened him up as they had thought they would find, but he is still having some complications. Prayers for good recovery and healing.
- 32. Dana Konrath asks prayers for health and finances for family and friends.
- 33. Courtney Loveless asks prayers for Heather Washburn, one of her Preschool parents, a tumor has been discovered in her stomach. Prayers that it is benign.
- 34. Courtney also asks prayers over her brother's court hearing; it has been moved back another two weeks into November.
- 35. Littlejohns asks prayers for Sarah, a friend's granddaughter, for diagnosis and treatment of some issues she's having.
- 36. Jackie Hadley requests prayers for her daughter-in-law, Paige, who had neck surgery on Wednesday, Oct. 23. She is doing well. Prayers for successful surgery and quick healing for her.
- 37. Saundra Newcomb requests prayers for her niece, Michelle Vaughn, who is hospitalized in Phoenix with respiratory illness and suspected bleeding ulcers.
- 38. Curtis Lee requested prayers for the family of Janice Wilcoxson, Barbara Gowdy's sister-in-law (her brother's widow), who passed away on Thursday, Oct. 24<sup>th</sup>. Prayers for God's peace and comfort.
- 39. Justin Hightower's friend, David Wentz, battling liver cancer, is on Hospice care now. Prayers for him and his family. Prayers that he lasts until December when they can begin a new chemo treatment for him.

### **General Prayers:**

- Pray for the leadership of our country, and for good Christian leadership.
- Pray for those who have fallen away, for their eyes and hearts to be opened and for them to return to their faith in the Lord.
- For our missions at Camp Sooner, Cookson Hills, Lakeview Bible College, Ozark Christian College, and Operation Care.
- Lord, we are thankful for your grace, mercy, and blessings.
- Pray for God's guidance for our church leadership, including our pastors and their wives, to keep a hedge of
  protection around them as they are doing the Lord's work.
- Pray for our church family to attend church and increase our relationships with God.
- End to terrorism; pray for the turmoil that is increasing in our world, for Jesus' presence to give peace.
- Please pray for our military men and women serving our country and their families and our veterans. If you would like prayer for someone in the military, call the office. Their names will be added here: *Grady Wint, Sasha Kirkpatrick, Ben Ryan, Paul Jones, Kurt Fuller, Logan Wint, Derek Park, Bo Nixon, Morgan Loveless, Emily Carroll, Jeremiah Thacker, Marcus McCawley, Caleb Cotten.*

"If my people, who are called by my name, will humble themselves and pray, and seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways, then will I hear from Heaven, and I will forgive their sin and heal their land." (II Chron. 7:14)