

Prayer at Noon

June 11, 2009

The elders of the church are encouraging the congregation to fast and pray every Thursday for 12 weeks. The focus of this time will be our spiritual growth, the church's finances and the needs of our congregation, as well as the ministry happening around the world.

Our Spiritual Growth

- Worship God
- Get Equipped
- Serve Others

Church Finances

- Mortgage Payment Deficit
- Debt Elimination
- Fund the Vision/Mission (Site Development, etc.)

Ministry Happening Around the World

June 10th - Homeless Ministry Team

June 13th

- Coalition for the Homeless
- Little Hands Project
- 15th Street home repair & skill training

June 21-26

- One Heart, Many Hands - Nazarene partnership. 130 teams/3000 volunteers that will be working on projects for local families in need.

Global:

- **Brazil trip (June 6 - 14)**
- Jamaica trip (June 12-19)
- Dominican Republic trip (June 21-29)
- Italy (June 24 - July 6)

Needs of our Congregation

- **Herman Sears:** recently admitted to the hospital for fluid in his lungs. Had gall bladder surgery and a mild heart attack. Now his kidneys are not functioning as they should. Healing and recovery; strength and peace for his wife.
- **Sally Jones, 40,** has been diagnosed with Kidney, Uterine and Lung Cancer. Pray for strength, healing, and treatment.
- **Bermyr Soto,** in ICU with double pneumonia and a punctured lung due to the tubing inserted to drain fluid. 50/50 chance of survival. She is a single mother of two children aged 2 & 9.

- **Darren Nesta,** needs healing and recovery - injured on a construction job.
- **Betty Farley,** who has pneumonia, pray for her healing.
- **Vince Santoro** and family. His mom passed away last night from a stroke, due to cancer complications. Pray for their comfort.
- **Bartow family** and friends, their mother, aunt, sister and friend, Lucy died of cancer in California late last evening. Pray for comfort and peace at a very difficult time.
- **Laurie King** who has been diagnosed with a brain tumor. She also has lupus. The tumor is secreting two hormones and is sitting on her optic nerve, she is scheduled for surgery on the 16th.
- **Thomas Hallstein Sr.** had a heart attack on the weekend. The surgeons cleared his carotid artery, and he is in ICU stable yet critical.
- Yvonne Smith's son, **Joshua, 24,** he is going to have surgery tomorrow, to remove a tumor in his rib cage, pray that there is no cancer found and that he will make a full recovery.
- **JP Cousins** is back in hospital. Pray for his continual healing.
- **Lon Garber:** Treatment (Glevek) would shrink his G.I.S.T. tumor (Gastro-Intestinal Stromal Tumor, malignant sarcoma).
- **George Novak,** Tommy's dad - he has pneumonia and the family have been asked to have a tube inserted into his chest. Pray for healing; strength and peace for the family.
- **Ben Ray,** Ruth Sapp's father, is back home. Pray for peace and for him to be pain free during this last stage of his cancer.

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy Kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.