

## Prayer Requests for Members

**Jerry & Janet Peaks** Janet in rehab in Brownsville, TN, **Alec, Debby, and Angie Harvey** long-term health problems, **Olivia Twitchell** and **Willena Twitchell** Willena on hospice care and Olivia as caregiver, **Marilyn Capps** continued health problems, **Mike Mitchell** rehab at home, **Jakob Hunsucker** bronchitis

## Prayer Requests for Family and Friends

### Cancer

**Brittany Bergman** (Diane Maddux's cousin) brain tumor getting chemo and radiation, **Paul Goddard** now on hospice care, **Ed Heskett** undergoing treatments for liver and pancreas adenocarcinoma, **Paul Cowdery** (Greg & Teresa Artz's son-in-law's father) lymphoma responding to chemo

### Other Illness and Life Challenges

**Dorothy Perygin** (Pam Sayles's Mother) several health problems, **Judy Steele** (former member) struggling with many health issues, **Ted Peaks** (Jerry Peaks' brother) recovering from heart surgery

### 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**  
**The Manger – Baby and Children's Supplies**

## Oakland Church of Christ

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Welcome to the worship service of the Lord's Church at Oakland  
January 8, 2023

[www.oaklandtnchurchofchrist.com](http://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.

Special Prayer Requests.....	Tim Stanz
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### Men to Serve

Alec Harvey & Glenn Miller

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#### Invitation Song

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#### Contribution

Announcements.....	Greg Artz
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#### Closing Prayer

# Today's Lesson

**Morning Assembly**  
**What is Your Life?**  
John 1:14

**Evening Assembly**  
**Jesus – The Good Shepherd**  
John 10:1-10

## Announcements

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**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

**January 15** – Fellowship Meal cancelled for building repairs

**January 29** – 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday Building Fund Contribution

**January 29** – Congregational Singing Service 5 PM

### Birthdays

Ed Heskett (1/16)  
Cathy Stanz (1/17)  
Diane Tye (1/20)

### Anniversaries

None

## Too Busy to Pray

I got up early one morning and rushed right into the day!

I had so much to accomplish that I didn't take time to pray.

Problems just tumbled about me, and heavier came each task.

"Why doesn't God help me?" I wondered. He answered, "You didn't ask!"

I tried to come into God's presence; I used all my keys at the lock.

God gently and lovingly chided, "Why, child, you didn't knock!"

I wanted to see joy and beauty, but the day toiled on, gray and bleak.

I wondered why God didn't show me. He answered me, "But you didn't seek."

I woke up early this morning and paused before entering the day.

I had so much to accomplish, that I had to take time to pray.

**Philippians 4:6-7** - Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.