

PRAYER REQUESTS FOR MEMBERS

Alec, Angie, and Debby Harvey multiple health problems, **Olivia Twitchell** recovering from ankle surgery and Dr. appointment July 9th, **Donna Rike** MS

PRAYER REQUESTS FOR FAMILY AND FRIENDS

Cancer

David Rast (son of Tim Stanz's friend and Teresa Artz's cousin) stage 4 cancer – immunotherapy discontinued, **Benson Holmes** (friend of Larry and Linda Ellis) appendix cancer planning surgery, **Billie Hesselrode** (Tim's long-time client and former missionary) cancer treatment paused to regain strength, **Perry Montague** (Debby Harvey's cousin) kidney cancer, **Ron Shirley** (Diane Maddux's brother) squamous cell carcinoma in throat treatment started May 30, **Susan Wilkins** (Cathy Stanz's friend) head and neck cancer deciding next steps

Other Illness and Life Challenges

Dorothy Perygin (Pam Thomas' mother) several health problems, **Gary and Judy Steele** (former member) multiple health problems, **Rodney Roberson** (brother of Donna Rike) recovering after surgery, **Chris Roberson** (Donna Rike's sister-in-law) multiple health problems, **Lana Hood's son, wife, and their children** unstated prayers, **Lucas Walters** (Debby Harvey's cousin) Down syndrome and other health concerns starting special needs school, **Becky Roberson** (Donna Rike's sister-in-law) low white blood cell count, **Augusta Washington** (Donna Rike's niece) histoplasmosis infection caused vision loss in one eye pray it doesn't spread to other eye, **Zach Thomas** (Donnie's son) back injury, **Ted Peaks** (Jerry Paaks' brother) had nerve block on Thursday testing for a more permanent ablation, **Martha Riley** (Rylie and Jake Jenkins' great grandmother) multiple serious health conditions

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/>

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

July 6, 2025

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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
Singing.....	Larry Ellis
Mansion Over the Hilltop.....	823
Hold to God's Unchanging Hand.....	435
Prayer.....	Gene Jenkins
Where the Gates Swing Outward Never.....	817
Lesson.....	Greg Artz

God Will Lead the Way

A New Creature.....	462
Rock of Ages.....	497

Lord's Supper

Communion Comments.....	Tim Stanz
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Men to Serve

John Gossett & Alec Harvey

Contribution

Children's Songs/Closing Song.....	
Announcements/Closing Prayer.....	Greg Artz

Today's Lesson

Morning Assembly
God Will Lead the Way
Exodus 13-14

Evening Assembly
I Command You
Deuteronomy 6

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

July 20 – Morning Singing Worship Service

July 20 – Fellowship Meal After Morning Worship Service
(No 5 PM Worship Service)

Birthdays

Donnie Thomas (7/1)	Bobby Tye (7/3)
Susan Smith (7/6)	Alec Harvey (7/10)
Jesica Grooms (7/14)	Jeanette Williams (7/16)
Paulene Keller (7/19)	Gene Jenkins (7/20)
Angie Harvey (7/21)	Tim Stanz (7/26)
Jerry Peaks (7/30)	

Anniversaries

Joe and Donna Rike (7/24)

The 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.

Read Through the Bible in a Year

July 7 – July 13, Proverbs 6– Proverbs 27