PRAYER REQUESTS FOR MEMBERS

Alec, Angie, and Debby Harvey multiple health problems and moving to new home, **Olivia Twitchell** health problems, **Donna Rike** MS, **Diane Tye** back pain, medication adjustments, **Donnie Thomas** started treatment for liver cancer on 10/28 at Jackson, TN VA nuclear medicine

PRAYER REQUESTS FOR FAMILY AND FRIENDS

Cancer

Perry Montague (Debby Harvey's cousin) kidney cancer, **Shirley Forrester** (Diane Tye's sister-in-law) stage 4 cancer having improvements from treatment, **Daniel Roberson** (Donna Rike's brother) completed chemo but found new nodule, **Debbie McNabb** (relative of Debby Harvey) cancer, **Burliss Davis** (relative of Donna Rike) chronic lymphocytic leukemia

Other Illness and Life Challenges

Lucas Walters (Debby Harvey's cousin) Down syndrome and other health concerns, **Augusta Washington** (Donna Rike's niece) having to get injections in her eyes but histoplasmosis is stable, **Ethan Bradford (**Donna Rike's nephew) had pneumothorax and had part of lung removed and then unexplained drop in blood pressure, **Ben Wiles** (Larry and Kathey's son) long COVID, **Gary and Judy Steele** (Former Members) multiple health problems, **Joy Dacus** breathing difficulties and iron instability, **Dick Weber** (Oakland visitor) not in good health, **Lana Hood's great granddaughter Kayani** (baby) back in ICU, **Josh Hunsucker** (Jakob's brother) trying to turn life around, **Kathy and Earl Wright and Kathy's brother Curtis Livingston** multiple health problems (Kathy is a friend of Carol's and has been a long-time paramedic in Fayette County), **Trudy Arndt** (friend of Diane Maddux) had a stroke and now in rehab, **Dorothy Perygin** (Pam Thomas' mom) palliative care

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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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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Joshua 1

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

November 3 – Tennessee Children's Home Donation and Contribution Pick up at church building

November 8 – Bridal Shower for Dulce Rangel Artz, wife of Isaac Artz – 2 PM at the church building.

November 15 – Thanksgiving Fellowship Meal After Morning Worship Service (No 5 PM Worship Service)

Birthdays

Mary Nettie Burch (11/2)
Tracy Hendrix (11/14)
Donna Rike (11/19)
Olivia Twitchell (11/25)

Anniversaries

Alec and Debby Harvey (11/17)

Republican, Democrat, And Libertarian Arrive at Heaven

A Republican, Democrat, Libertarian, and an unassuming man all arrived at the gates of Heaven.

First the Republican spoke to Peter, "I sure am glad I made it here. I was sure to give plenty of money to the poor." Peter replied, "Sorry sir, your name is not in the book."

Then the Democrat smiled and said, "Well, I was a great warrior for social justice. I stood up for those with no voice." Peter said, "Sorry sir, your name is not in the book."

Then the Libertarian looked at both with a smile and said, "Peter, I know my name is in the book. I caused no harm to anyone and allowed each person to make their own decision with their life." Again, Peter said, "Sorry sir, your name is not in the book."

Then the unassuming man walked up to Peter, quietly said his name, and Peter welcomed him to Heaven, and he walked in the gates.

At this all 3, the Republican, Democrat, and Libertarian, walked up to Peter and with indignation said, "Who was he? What makes him so special? Why him and not us?"

Peter said, "That little man's name is unimportant. What is important is that he had his priorities right. You see, he was not rich, not powerful, and chose to focus on serving Jesus to receive a crown of life that would not perish in place of spending so much time to receive praise from men, money, power, influence, and an earthly crown that will perish."

Mark 8:36 - For what does it profit a man to gain the whole world and forfeit his soul?