



Prayer Letter November 18-24, 2018

Grace of Christ Presbyterian Church

Psalm 34:18, "The LORD is close to the brokenhearted and saves those who are crushed in spirit." (NIV)

Weekly Prayer Requests

From Our Church Congregation & Family...

Our Praise & Thanksgivings

- God bless our pastors and thanks to Pastor Stoltzenbach, Pastor Jim Marian, and Pastor Alex Rule. Praise God for family, church, our Pacific NW climate, friends and home. Thank You!
- I will trust and have faith in our Lord!
- Praise the Lord, my husband made it through his heart attack! Thank you for all your prayers.
- The Lord is faithful. Blessed be the name of the Lord! He is perfect in all His ways.
- Thank you Pastor Jim for an amazing sermon on letting go of our fears and trusting in God instead.
- Praise God for our worship team – they are awesome!
- Thank you for welcoming us into the family of Grace of Christ.
- I am thankful for my church family!
- Praise that Jim is back for choir.
- Our Father in Heaven we give you the glory for the great things you have done. We are grateful you hear and answer our prayers.
- We are thankful for vacations and time to be refreshed!
- Praising God for all the volunteers who help make this church run so smoothly! You are each appreciated!!
- Thanks be to God for providing so many blankets and coats for those in need this winter.

Prayer Requests

- Please pray for our son who is struggling with his behavior at home and at school. It is exhausting, he's 5 years old.
- Pray for love and peace for our church, Yakima, U.S., and the world.
- Pray for a job and for resident card which got lost.
- Prayer for God's guidance for what to do.

Prayer Requests, Cont.

- Please continue to pray for R. as he has 2 chemo treatments left. Thank you.
- Prayer for successful cancer surgery Tuesday.
- Prayers for our college kids Zach and Sarah; that they can keep focused on school, and that they seek Jesus and blessings on their health: physical and spiritual.
- Please pray for my friend whose husband passed away this week and give her strength for the coming days.
- Pray for comfort for Jim Bigelow's family as they mourn the loss of Maureen.
- Praying continued healing for Frank.
- Pray for a grandson who is out on the streets.
- Pray that God may guide the surgeon during my upcoming hip surgery; that I may have patience and hope during the recovery.
- A few weeks ago a request was made to pray for a young man, Josh, who was estranged from his family and addicted to drugs. He has returned home and agreed to undergo treatment. Please pray for his recovery.
- Pray for safe travel during the holidays. Pray for healing for all who need healing spiritually and bodily.
- Please pray for Jenifer and God's healing touch over her.
- Please pray that Christ's love would encircle our family's Thanksgiving reunion. Thank you.
- Pray that I find what professional road to go for.
- Prayers as my son goes into surgery on Friday! Prayers for fast healing and quick recovery!
- Request prayer for friend who has kidney stones with Dr. apt this Thursday. She doesn't want possible surgery. Also prayer for myself as I have a fractured rib this week and other health issues.
- My grand-daughter needs to find another apartment. She still has her job but unfortunately using drugs.

Serving In The World

HOW TO PRAY FOR MISSIONARIES

- Pray for their RELATIONSHIP with GOD
- Pray for their Physical/Emotional Health
- Pray for their Family Life
- Pray for their Communication

BARKER'S (AARON & RONDA)
BLESSINGS OF HOPE
BRENT
CAMPBELL FARM
CRU: EMILY & NATHAN MCINDOO
DAVID
FELLOWSHIP OF CHRISTIAN ATHLETES
GRACE OF CHRIST CHURCH STUDENT MINISTRIES
GRACIA DE CRISTO
GUSTAFSON'S (GARTH & CAROLINE)
HABITAT FOR HUMANITY
JESSICA MAYO
LIVING WATER FOR THE WORLD
LOVE, INC (IN THE NAME OF CHRIST)
MABEL SWAN APARTMENTS (ACROSS FROM CHURCH)
MADISON HOUSE
MENDING WINGS
MOULTRAY'S (RYAN & HEIDI)
PROJECT MERCY
TIM TEUSINK
TRAILSEEKERS BOYS
TRAILSEEKERS GIRLS
TRANSFORM YAKIMA TOGETHER & CAMP HOPE
UNION GOSPEL MISSION
WHITWORTH
YOUNG LIFE
YOUNG LIFE SMALL TOWNS

Servants In Ministry At GCPC

Lord, bless our Elders and Deacons with wisdom, direction and guidance.

Our Deacons

Ann Aldous	Olive Gambito	Cindy Peugh
George Aldous	Alan Harding	Joyce Sagare
Ellen Bartelli	Nancy Harding	Cathy Simons
Lou Bartelli	Larry Hasen	Jerry Simons
Barb Bordeaux	Nancy Hasen	Peggy Steere
Becky Briere	Cordy Jennings	Barbara Toweill
Doug Cairns	Rick Larsen	Louis Toweill
Cathy Campbell	Charlotte MacKenzie	Arden Underdal
Lynne Collins	Barbara Manka	Doris Wheeler
Anneliese Eastridge	Verna McLaren	
Marcello Gambito	Dick Myers	

Pray for Our Leaders in Government

State Government:

Governor- Jay Inslee
Lieutenant Governor-Cyrus Habib

State Senators:

13th District-Judy Warnick; 14th District-Curtis King

State Representatives:

13th District-Tom Dent, Matt Manweller
14th District-Norm Johnson, Gina McCabe

State Offices:

Insurance Commissioner-Mike Kreidler
Secretary of State-Kim Wyman
Attorney General-Bob Ferguson
State Auditor- Pat McCarthy
State Treasurer- Duane Davidson
Commissioner of Public Lands-Hilary Franz
Superintendent of Public Instruction-Chris Reykdal

Our Recent Graduates, College Students & Seminararians

God, look after our young adults, bless them with clarity and wisdom. May they seek You, grow deeper in their faith and find Joy in thier surroundings. We pray they are encouraged in this journey. Amen

- Lauren Alderman, Whitworth
- Gissel Camarena, YVC
- Zach Clark, WSU
- Tanner Cline, Gonzaga
- Elise Erickson, Central
- Jahzeel Garcia, YVC
- Kaytlin Gross, EWU
- QuAnna Grove, WSU
- Ali Hildebrand
- Liam Johnston, EWU
- Pierson Jones, CWU

Our Church Staff

Lord, we ask for a renewed passion to be sparked within our church programs and ministries...

Preschool Staff: Alli Weide, Crystal Lopez, Jenifer Knight, Sheree Tsbota, and Katrine Schraan.