



Prayer Letter April 22-28, 2018

Grace of Christ Presbyterian Church

“Do not conform to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God’s will is--his good, pleasing and perfect will.” Romans 12:2 (NIV)

Weekly Prayer Requests

From Our Church Congregation & Family...

Our Praise & Thanksgivings

- I am thankful for my growth group -- women who are investing in each other's lives in a godly way.
- Thank you Jesus for my granddaughter's new job.
- Praise God for answering a huge prayer!
- Praise Jesus for healing Joy's cancer.
- Praise the Lord, he is so good!
- I am thankful I passed my swim test!
- Praises for a healthy, happy year for young family celebrating child's first birthday!
- *So we fix our eyes not on what is seen, but on what is unseen, since what is seen is temporary, but what is unseen is eternal. 2 Corinthians 4:18*
- We are thankful for Thomas - we love the way he leads us into worship.
- Praising God for Pastor Marian's insight and care.
- We are so thankful for our high school age son's new job!

Prayer Requests

- Please pray for my nana's health and that we will see positive results for her throat and voice.
- Pray for my new job - that the staff be patient with me and that I do my job well.
- Prayers for my marriage to be restored and to glorify God.
- If you Lord kept a record of sins...who could stand? But with you there is forgiveness. Thank you God for the abundant promises in your word.
- Prayers for healthy kids and families.
- Continued healing prayers for Frank Bacon, Mary Pooler and Steve Barker
- Discernment for our friend as she looks for a new job in a new city. Praising God for his provision.

Prayer Requests, Cont.

- Please pray for G who has an ear problem that isn't responding to treatment. Needs healing.
- Continued prayers for my daughter who is trying to get out of a verbally abusive marriage. Lord, cover her.
- Please pray for my wife's lower back pain.
- Please pray peace in my job situation.
- Prayers for our family as we work through dad's estate.
- Prayers for L to be healed from his drug addiction.
- Pray for my friend who fell and is hurting all over. Asking that she sees God working in her life.
- Lord we crave seeing you, knowing you as the good, good father you are. Give us new eyes to see you.
- Please pray for my neighbor who has cancer in her bones. May she be healed in Jesus' name.
- Prayers for my friend who is waiting to hear results from her doctor about cancer. God comfort her! Heal her!
- Lord, my family's health is being attacked by Satan. We all need your healing - my husband's diabetes, my daughter's health and myself - knowledge for our doctors and ease our minds as we make decisions.
- Lord till the soil of our hearts so you can plant food see and grow good fruit.
- God, give us your wisdom to discern your ways, knowing that your ways are higher than our ways, that we might trust you in the journey.
- I'm asking for prayers to sell my house quickly so my family can be reunited again.
- Pray for continued healing for my wife's foot.
- Prayers for my friend who is ill. Pray for his well being and that he experience God's favor.

“The LORD is my rock, my fortress and my deliverer; my God is my rock, in whom I take refuge, my shield and the horn of my salvation, my stronghold.” Psalm 18:2 (NIV)

Serving In The World

Lord, we ask for you to maintain the passion of our missionaries.

PROJECT MERCY

Praises: In 2016 30 children graduated prepared to go to university. 2017 35 children bonding and doing well. Two more medical clinics will be opened in school compounds

Prayers: Legal problems can be resolved with a local mayor so 6 more homes can be completed.

Heifer Project-Praises: 85 families have received cross bred heifers.

WHITWORTH

Whitworth community will be faithful to it's mission to honor God, follow Christ and serve humanity.

CRU: EMILY & NATHAN MCINDOO

Praises-opportunity to teach and witness at the winter conference, those who accepted the Lord. 55 BSU students attended the conference

Prayers-Cru would grow from 40 to 50 multiplying disciples in Cru at BSU, of the 100+ involved, God would launch a Cru movement at College of Southern Idaho, a variety of men from the fraternities will participate in the new Greek Men's Bible Study and share the gospel with their brothers.

GRACE OF CHRIST CHURCH STUDENT MINISTRIES

Prayers-volunteers to prepare the Wednesday evening meals-new staff members joining the team-volunteers.

JESSICA MAYO

Praise-Opportunity to connect with student athletes-see lives changed through Bible studies.

Servants In Ministry At GCPC

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

Our Elders

Jeff Arkills	Janet Krieger	Steve Schiewe
Rosanne Bacon	Linda Mathews	Linda Sorenson
Jeff Gray	Rich Milhorn	John Stolzenbach
Steve Hildebrand	Peggy Schaffer	Don Strother

Pray for Our Leaders in Government

Yakima City Council:

Kathy Coffey, Mayor and District 5; Dulce Gutierrez, District 1; Avina Gutierrez, District 2; Carmen Mendez, District 3 and Assistant Mayor; Bill Lover, District 4; Maureen Adkison, District 6; and Holly Cousens, District 7.

Justices of the U.S. Supreme Court:

Anthony McLeod Kennedy; Sonia Sotomayor; Clarence Thomas; Ruth Bader Ginsburg; Stephen G. Breyer; John G. Roberts, Jr.; Samuel Alito, Jr.; Elena Kagan; Neil M. Gorsuch

Our Recent Graduates, College Students & Seminarians

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

- Jack Pickett, UW
- Sarah Reiber, Peninsula Community
- Alejo Rule, YVCC
- Adrian Rule, Marine Corps
- Leanne Sebren, WWU
- Keelan Smith, Evergreen State College
- Karly Smith, UW
- Sarah Ulmer, University of Arizona
- Julia Villasenor, Harvard
- Nic and Walt Watkins, Central Wa University

Our Church Staff

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

Support Staff: Jana Alderman, Tammy Nunley, Deb Kent, Ericka Clark, Diane Kearby, Jon Waite, Alli Weide and Austyn Chenoweth.

“But those who hope in the LORD will renew their strength. They will soar on wings like eagles; they will run and not grow weary, they will walk and not be faint.” Isaiah 40:31 (NIV)