

St. Paul's Prays for the Church and the Christian Home *September 12-18, 2021*

During the Church Year, we remember in prayer the boards of the church and their programs as well as each of the homes of our congregation. This weekend, these boards, programs and homes will be lifted up in prayer on the weekend by the entire worshipping community and day by day throughout the week by all of our members in their personal/home devotions and prayers. Please take this page and use it in your prayers this week. You may wish to keep it with your devotional materials, or post it in some prominent place in your home (refrigerator, bulletin board, etc.) to remind you to hold these specific children of God in your prayers.

*Sick/Hospitalized ** (Please note: Hospitalization can be a time of stress in one's life. If you are going into the hospital, please notify the church office so that Pastor can visit with you before or during your hospitalization. The hospitals may not always notify us, so please call the church office if you or a member of your family is hospitalized. Because of Privacy Laws [HIPPA], we are only allowed to publicly list those individuals who request our prayers.)*

THIS WEEK IN THE HOSPITALS

Riverside: Darren Blair, Kurt Mesenbring **St. Mary's:**

Out of Town: Katelyn Avalos, Ron Hardy, David Rapp, David Smith

Upcoming Procedure/Surgery: Ethan Anderson, Bobbe Belden, Chris Sumerall

On Hospice: Georgia Anderson, Ruth Balgeman, Alvin Gerberding, Jerry Stack

ONGOING PRAYER NEEDS:

Robert & Edie Adams, Linda Ahrens, Mary Ann Allen, Brenda Arms, Joy Arseneau, Eunice Bailey, Emily Bales, Pat Baker, Allison Ballantine, Mallory Bass, Annabelle & Abigail Beedle, James Beedle, Kathy Beedle, Mary Benedetto, Lisa Bowers, Dot Buckman, Dennis Burke, Charles Byte, Lenore Cooper, James Cornett, Jenora Demers, Darliene Deneault, Charles Drazy, Rick Duchene, John Duesenberg, Jennifer Elliot, Sue Embree, Kathleen Ernst, Bret Gadbois, Linda Gadbois, Jean Gebhardt, Norma Genson, Dianne Gordon, Jerry Harsha, Marilyn Janssen, Troy Janssen, Dorothy Jensen, Welita Kirchmann, Ed Laurents, John Lunn, Connie Malone, Tom Martin, Ginny McDonald, Ruth McIntosh, Ida Mersch, Alan Mifflin, Greg Montgomery, Tina Murphy, Arlene Nietfeldt, William & Edna Odette, Kirk Patchett, Cherryl & Richard Pogliano, Jon Price, Blythe Rogers, Dave Rogers, Verdelle Salm, Henry & Barbara Sawall, Mike Schulte, Audra Taylor Family, Catherine Taylor, Kathy Treece, Sandra Varela and Family, Marsha Wagner, Adeline Weber, Larry Winge.

SPECIAL PRAYER REQUESTS

We thank You God for the gift of our pastors, teachers and supporting staff of our church and school as they share the Gospel message in word and deed. As we recognize their years of faithful service, we praise thank You that You are faithful to Your promises in Christ and by Your grace You have made them faithful. O Lord, continue to give them a servants hearts as they take up the cross to follow You and keep them steadfast in their faith.

Lord of all nations, God of all peoples, we praise You for answering the prayers of Your people as we sought Your mercy and protection following the events of September 11, 2001. Your providence and care have given to us daily bread and protection from enemies. Let us ever trust Your mercy even as enemies continue to threaten our peace. Bring comfort through Your Word to those whose hearts are heavy on this anniversary, may they find their hope in Your Son's victory over evil and the grave. Turn all our hearts to Jesus, who is our life and our salvation, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

<p>If you desire prayer, please note your request on one of the Prayer Request forms and place it in the offering plate as it is passed. Your request will be forwarded to our confidential prayer chain. If you are interested in being part of the prayer chain, please contact the church office.</p>
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*"What a Friend we have in Jesus, all our sins and griefs to bear!
What a privilege to carry everything to God in prayer!"*