

St. Paul's Prays for the Church and the Christian Home

January 2-8, 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 [HIPAA], we are only allowed to publicly list those individuals who request our prayers.)*

THIS WEEK IN THE HOSPITALS

Riverside: **St. Mary's:** Margo Elsey

Out of Town: David Rapp, Barbara Sawall, Steve Schultz, David Smith

Upcoming Procedure/Surgery: Sandy Sadnick, Chris Sumerall

On Hospice: Bobbe Belden, Ruth Balgeman, Alvin Gerberding, Jerry Stack

ONGOING PRAYER NEEDS: Robert Adams, Linda Ahrens, Tommy Alberts, Mary Ann Allen, Brenda Arms, Joy Arseneau, Eunice Bailey, Emily Bales, Mallory Bass, Annabelle & Abigail Beedle, James Beedle, Kathy Beedle, Mary Benedetto, Lisa Bowers, Dot Buckman, Laurie & Dennis Burke, Charles Byte, Lenore Cooper, James Cornett, Jenora Demers, Darliene Deneault, Charles Drazy, Donna Duchene, Rick Duchene, Jennifer Elliot, Sue Embree, Kathleen Ernst, Bret Gadbois, Linda Gadbois, Carolyn & Stephen Gebhardt, Jean Gebhardt, Dianne Gordon, Jerry Harsha, Judy Hisel, Marilyn Janssen, Dorothy Jensen, Welita Kirchmann, Joyce Latham, Ed Laurents, Michael Lergner, Connie Malone, Tom Martin, Ginny McDonald, Ruth McIntosh, Elaine Mehlberg, Ida Mersch, Alan Mifflin, Greg Montgomery, Tina Murphy, Arlene Nietfeldt, William & Edna Odette, Julie Palmer, Kirk Patchett, Cherryl & Richard Pogliano, Jon Price, Blythe Rogers, Dave Rogers, Henry Sawall, Audra Taylor Family, Catherine Taylor, Kathy Treece, Sandra Varela and Family, Adeline Weber, Larry Winge.

SPECIAL PRAYER REQUESTS

We pray for all those who serve in law enforcement that they can carry out their duties in safety. We especially pray for the Bradley police department at the death of Sergeant Marlene Rittmanic and the injury of officer Tyler Bailey. May God bless the families of these officers and all who serve our communities.

We ask God to watch over us and protect us in our travels as we go during the holidays so we return safely home to our families and friends.

Eternal God, thank you for bringing us once again to the threshold of a new year. Help us dedicate each day of 2022 to following your will for our lives. Guide us, Lord, in all our decisions and actions, day by day and hour by hour. Help us accomplish all that you desire for us to do, until our mission on earth is finished.

<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!"*