

Stephen Ministry Weekly Prayer Request Newsletter – January 3, 2026

Jim Marr – When Jim went to the ER for a headache which occurred several days after his fall, he was told he has Covid. The headache was apparently from the Covid not the fall. He is staying away from people until he has tested negative for Covid. Please pray this will be soon.

Thomas Davis – Thomas's heart ablation went very well. He went home the same day and is doing well. Thank you for all of your prayers.

Carol and Fred Dalton – Both Carol and Fred are feeling better. It has been a rough 3 weeks with flu for Fred and bronchitis for Carol. They would like to thank everyone for their prayers.

Lance Hartzell (family member of Steve Ross) – Lance has been diagnosed with leukemia and brain tumor. Please pray for his physicians to have the right plan for both of these cancers.

Finan (great grandson of Joey Pedigo) – Finan is doing much better. Thank you for all of your prayers.

Norma McMurtry – Norma is not sure how long she will have to remain in therapy or at skilled nursing, but she is in good spirits. Please pray she will heal quickly as she is wanting to get back to church.

Frank Wilkerson – Frank continues to feel better after his bout with pneumonia. It will be a while before he can get out of the house and return to church. Please pray that his strength returns quickly.

Lenita Parsons – Lenita is going to try to go into the church office on Monday. Please pray she will have enough energy to last the day. Pray also for complete recovery from her fall.

Danielle Quinnett (co-worker of Bekah Wade) – Danielle is recovering well from her broken foot but still has to figure out the logistics of getting to work after her seizure. Please pray she can get the seizures under control and will be able to return to work soon.

Ava Norman (grand niece of Nancy Gray) – Ava is finally feeling halfway human after 5 surgeries. She is eating better and has only two drainage tubes left in. Please pray she continues to eat and her strength returns soon.

Greg Tyler (friend of Loretta Wright) – Greg's are researching to try to find a new treatment for Greg's cancer. It is a rare cancer and very aggressive. Please pray they can find a treatment that will work and put Greg's cancer in remission.

Donna Shriver – Donna's mastectomy site is almost totally healed. She is anemic at this point. She will have labs on January 23. Please pray that the hemoglobin levels are normal when the labs are taken.

Donna Lautzenhiser – Donna is continuing to heal and feeling well. Please continue to pray that the esophagus will be totally healed soon.

Bonnie Fisher (sister-in-law to Sandy Kelly and Mike Fisher) – Bonnie got sick over Christmas and is still congested and coughing. Please pray that besides her heart problems she will get well from the congestion and coughing also.

Isaac Roman – Unfortunately, Isaac's energy level is improving, but he is having more pain. Please pray that the pain will be controlled so that Isaac can resume his normal activities.

Cindy Wilkerson – Cindy was able to get through the holidays well but is now very tired and needs to build back her strength. Please pray she regains strength to battle her cancer.

Beth (Bidne) Cook – Beth is feeling "alright" after her trip North for Christmas. They had rather mild weather so her neuropathy was better than it could have been. Please continue to pray that the treatments work for her neuropathy.

Norma and Dan Boland – Please continue to pray for Norma and Dan to get into Southern Plaza and for relief of pain for Norma.

Jennifer and infant son Jacob (friend of Christy Kiespert) – Please pray that Jacob will continue to thrive and can soon go home. Pray for a smooth move for his parents to get closer to him.

Vickie Wines (Grandmother of Chealsie Zink) – Vickie has been very tired and struggling with symptoms from her treatment. Please pray she will have relief from the fatigue and side effects of her chemo.

Beverly Clark – Pray that Beverly's new medicine will give her relief from the gout she is suffering in her hands. Pray also for emotional and continuing financial problems.

Tony Pellegrini – Tony's fatigue lasted longer this time after his infusion. He would like to work some more during the month. Please pray he is able to do that. Please pray also that the fatigue is as brief as possible and the infusion continues to work to put his cancer in remission.

Evelyn Moore – Evelyn thought she had discovered the cause of her rash, but it is still giving her fits. Please pray that they can find the cause of the rash and eliminate it.

Jim Donnan (Deb Wade's co-worker's father) – Please continue to pray that Jim, with each treatment, will continue to be strong and maintain his independence.

Kason (Grandson of Cheryl Pavelko) – Kason's ultrasound has been postponed until January 13. Please continue to pray that it will show good news that the spot is no longer there.

Kathi Wagner (Dot Lyon's daughter, Lory's, best friend) – Kathi continues to need prayer during her struggle with cancer. Her son moving into her house should help emotionally as she continues with her cancer.

Bill Underwood – Bill is back home and feeling about the same. He is feeling more stressed for some reason. He has a PET scan scheduled on January 30 to see how his cancer is doing. His next oncologist appointment is in March. Please continue to pray for Bill.

Billy Joe Watson (friend of Wayne Barnes) – Billy had a good holiday with family and will resume finishing his tests for hopefully back surgery to eliminate his back pain. He will also continue with his chemo treatments. Please pray Billy has enough strength to do both.

Sandy Rutherford – Sandy is due to go back to her cancer doctor on Monday the 12<sup>th</sup> of January to have her cancer pills adjusted if necessary. She hopes her cancer doctor will tell her if the medication is causing her weight loss. Please pray she will get the information she needs.

Barbara Hill – Barbara is having her next chemo treatment today. Please pray she will tolerate the chemo without too many side effects. Pray for complete healing of her cancer.

Pray also for her friend, Elmer, to be able to start his treatment after January 6 for the cancer just diagnosed. Pray also that his treatment will put his cancer in remission.

Lief Hill (son of a friend of Wayne Barnes) – No updated news on Lief except that he is still having to be on oxygen full time. Please continue to pray that his cancer can be cured.

Judy McMinn – Judy is asking for prayer for mental peace and God's blessing for her health. Please pray that prayer for her.

Tiffany Montesano – Tiffany continues to have her normal pancreatic issues. Pray, as always, that the issues can be controlled as much as possible. Alex is feeling better. Thank you for your prayers.