THE PRAYER NEEDS OF THE CHURCH

"Ask, and it will be given to you; seek, and you will find; knock, and it will be opened to you."

Matthew 7:7, ESV

Jim BowmanTammy LittleFrances VanderfordShirley BoswellCatherine MangumJohn YoungJan BurwellFerald MannGabe YoungSheila EctorTom McPhersonCynthia Ward

Brenda Holland Esther Plyter Salvation for Unsaved

June Little Becky Sneed

- •Pray that the Word of God preached will cause us to love the Lord with all our heart, mind, soul and strength.
- •Covenant children and their parents
- •College & Graduate Students: Allison George (UNC-CH), Gavin George (UNC-CH Grad Student), Ashley & Caleb Wright (Point U)
- •God's grace & wisdom for our young & single members searching for relationships & direction for their lives
- •God's blessings on & wisdom for authorities: parents, church leaders, bosses, government leaders, judges & officers of the law
- •God's grace & strength for our aging members
- •Thanksgiving for visitors
- •Funding for sanctuary repairs/remodel
- •Political peace in our country; freedom of religion to continue to be upheld

FAMILY OF THE WEEK: Becky Sneed

EMERGENCY WORKERS, LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS, ARMED FORCES:

•Jack Snow, Jay Snow, & John Snow •ARP Military Chaplains (CPT Leon Buchanan, Germany)

LOCAL CHURCH: Grace Hill Church (ARP), Pastor Ross Durham

LOCAL MINISTRIES: Campus Outreach, Elon University

MISSIONARIES: World Witness

A.R.P. CHURCH MINISTRIES: Grace Presbytery

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME We extend a warm welcome to all who worship with us today. Please fill out a visitor card and leave it in your seat, place it in the offering plate in the front, or deposit into the offering box at each exit. We would like to have a record of your visit and know your name. If you are interested in becoming a church member, please speak to the pastor after the service or contact him during the week.

THE PRELUDE is a sacred curtain dropped between the sacred and the profane. Please silence or put away all phones and electronic devices. During this time, be prayerful and reverent in preparation for the worship of our holy God in His sanctuary.

A WORD ABOUT OUR WORSHIP SERVICE: Sermon

The minister of God's Word reads, explains and applies the Scriptures to the congregation. Our practice is to preach the whole counsel of God. We preach through the Bible, verse by verse and book by book. In the reading and preaching of God's Word, we believe God himself speaks to his people, convincing, converting, comforting and counseling those who hear by the power of the Holy Spirit.

CHILDREN are an inheritance, a blessing from the Lord! We encourage parents and children to worship together in the sanctuary on Sunday mornings. An infant/cry room with a speaker for listening to the service is available for parents with young children.

LORD'S DAY EVENING WORSHIP & PRAYER SERVICE is held each Sunday at 6:00 PM in the Sanctuary. Rev. Crotts will be preaching through *Isaiah*. Please use the South Narthex at the parking lot for entrance until 6:00 PM and the North Narthex if arriving after 6:00 PM.

TITHES & OFFERINGS may be placed in the offering plates in the front of the Sanctuary, in the offering boxes at Sanctuary entrances, or you may mail to First ARP Church, 2250 Saddle Club Rd., Burlington, NC 27215.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES for all ages meet weekly at 9:45 A.M. with coffee, tea and fellowship prior to starting time in the Fellowship Hall. A special class will meet February 25 and March 3, 10, 17, 24 in the Fellowship Hall to learn about & discuss growing our church.

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY meets 1st & 3rd Tuesdays at 12:00 PM at Southbound Sandwich Works to study Hebrews.

LADIES' CONFESSION OF FAITH STUDY meets Wednesdays at 11:00 AM at the church building. A lunch outing to Southbound Sandwich is planned each month. (NO STUDY MARCH 13)

WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY meets at 7 PM in the Fellowship Hall to study *Exodus*. (NO STUDY MARCH 13)

HOLY WEEK SERVICE Sunday, March 24 at 6 PM.

A RESOURCE ROOM is available and includes resources for a range of ages and spiritual nourishment.

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