Twin Lakes Church Prayer Update-2/2/2023

PRAISE

Jeff and Martha Denny-their 9 month grandbaby, Penny diagnosed with a neuroblastoma tumor. After months of treatment, including four chemotherapy sessions and one blood transfusion her tumor shrunk by 87% so no surgery should be needed! She will be closely monitored, but no more treatment is recommended. Thank you for praying!!

HOME WITH THE LORD

Marlene Rutledge-just a little over a month after her husband, Dale, passed away, Marlene too has gone home to be with the Lord.

TLC, MISSIONS, OUTREACHES & MINISTRIES of Santa Cruz.

Please pray for **World Outreach Week - Feb. 4-9!** We will have 15 of our global partners with us and we are hoping they can connect with a lot of people in the congregation. Pray specifically that people will sign up for our Dessert and Dialogue events. Pray for great connections and conversations.

Continue to pray for **Tarak and Eileen Khan who serve in Israel and Sri Lanka**. They will be traveling to Israel in March. Pray for their preparations as they will visit the two churches in nazareth where they help families and children. Pray for the economic situation in Sri Lanka. Inflation, food price increases, lack of jobs, fuel and medicine. Many children are not going to school because they are forced to work and support their families.

Remember **Johan and Christa Combrinck serving in South Africa**. The country continues to have many blackouts and few hours with electricity. It makes it difficult to get work done. AFnet has also sold their property in Pretoria and will need to move their office. Pray they are able to find a suitable place and the move goes smoothly. Also pray for them as they have some serious decisions to make regarding their own long-term plans of finding a place where they can settle their family in the States, before the grandchildren have to start their next academic year.

PRAYER FOR AMERICA

Regina Anyang's daughter, Rashina-is deployed for six months and will be away from her 10 year old son and husband. She was able to come home for Christmas! She is now back in Houston until June.

HOSPITALIZED AND SURGERIES

Brad Hart-is in and out of Stanford's oncology unit with a more aggressive diagnosis of Leukemia. He is on chemotherapy and needing units of blood quite frequently. He is very weak and unable to work. Pray for effective treatment and God's provision.

Leonard Beserra-has stage 4 cancer. Pray for his family and for wisdom for the doctors.

Bob and Lori Barone-Bob is currently being treated for brain tumors that have returned and he recently had a grand mal seizure and is in ICU. Pray for Lori who is struggling emotionally and physically.

Dennis Sutherland-has Diffuse large B cell Lymphoma. He had extensive treatment at Stanford for a cancer transplant. He just developed double pneumonia and is back at Stanford.

Karen Ruland-has pancreatic cancer and is at Dominican. Pray for answers from the doctors.

PHYSICAL ILLNESS AND OTHER DISABILITIES, HOSPICE

Brad Bogard-A longtime attender of TLC is in need of a kidney transplant. Pray that someone with A or O blood type is led to make a donation. Without a new kidney Brad will continue on dialysis. Your prayers for Brad are welcomed and so very much appreciated.

Jeanette Scott-after having Covid, has damage to both of her lungs and she is on oxygen. Pray for healing.

Linda Mallory-has been diagnosed with Stage 3 Kidney disease. Pray for healing and for her grief and anxiety.

Sue Moyer-had knee revision surgery on 12/6. Pray for improvement in her recovery and relief of pain.

Carrie Mendoza-she was diagnosed with an autoimmune disease called Undifferentiated Connective Tissue Disease. Pray for relief.

Frank Harris-is home from the hospital and needs fulltime care. Pray for strength for his wife Carol.

Jim Smith-that he is healed of severe daily pain since stroke. Pills don't help. Pray for relief.

Kathy Skomsvold-back at Pacific Coast Manor after a stay in the hospital. Pray for God's peace to envelope Kathy.

Wilma Erlandson-after being in the hospital for blood clots, she is recovering at home. Pray for her to regain her strength and mobility. Sacha DeFoy-a quadripelegic who lives at home and is in need of more caregivers that will work through IHSS. Please pray for her and let us know if you have some possible resource ideas. (care@tlc.org)

Thom and Myra Jones (live in CO)-both fell last Sept and fractured several bones. They are recovery but there are a lot of negative side effects. They are so thankful to be God's children. Pray for healing and relief from pain.

THOSE STRUGGLING WITH CANCER

Melissa Pottorff-is going through chemo and radiation for stage 2 cancer. Pray for her health and for her family.

Charlotte Jensen-has Multiple Myeloma that has relapsed. Pray for God's peace, effective treatment and minimal side effects.

Nancy Morgan-that her immunotherapy continues to be effective.

Don Smith-has multiple myeloma and is receiving treatments. Pray for wisdom and for relief from pain.

Patty Hendricks-has bone marrow cancer and is on chemo. Has MDS, a low white blood count. She is very susceptible to infection.

Rick Larkin-battling Multiple Myeloma for 4 years. Pray that the noncancerous mass at his brain stem does not grow again.

Dan Cossentine-for monthly blood tests to show Dan's cancer undetectable. Also, that the lesion on Dan's pancreas does not grow.

Nicole Keller (age 14)-recently diagnosed with bone cancer. She had surgery on 12/2. Pray they were able to remove the entire tumor and for good results. Pray for Nicole and Natalie (her younger sister) to come to know the Lord so intimately and undeniably.

Sandy Haugen-just diagnosed with pancreatic cancer. Pray for peace, comfort and give the doctors wisdom.

Sherry Kilkenny-for continued good results following chemo. She rests in the truth that God is faithful & constant. Pray for her daughter who also is BRAC 1 positive. Pray for peace, wisdom and direction as decisions will need to be made.

Bea Diaz-Stanford doctor wants her to move to Palo Alto to be closer to the hospital. She needs a 24/7 caregiver in the Palo Alto area. **Dale Pollock-**diagnosed in April 2021 with Non-Hodgkin's Lymphoma called "Mantel Cell Lymphoma". Dale's is the medium to slow growing kind. Pray for healing and strength for Dale and his wife, Joanna.

Rob Rideout-has been diagnosed with Multiple Myeloma. Thank you for your faithful prayers. He is now on a maintenance program for his cancer and his critical numbers are in the normal zone. Pray that he will be completely healed.

Michael Michel-has stage 4 lung cancer. Pray that treatments will continue to be effective.

Richard Nydam-has cancer in the prostate, lymph nodes and bones. Pray for strength during treatment and complete healing.

Jane Brough (now lives in Texas)-her cancer is back. She will start infusion therapy and immunotherapy after 12/5. She is most relieved and at peace that they have a plan to fight this cancer. Thanks for keeping Jane and her husband Bruce in your prayers.

Tito Dipietro-has a rare cancer and was misdiagnosed so the cancer has spread. Tito believes in miracles and the power of prayer. Pray for his family to be comforted.

Josie Diaz-found out she has stomach cancer and starts chemo on 1/20. Pray for good results and no adverse side effects.

Melissa-has bone and breast cancer. Pray for healing.

FAMILY/FRIEND CONCERNS

Patty O'Kelley's relative, Neal-is battling stage 4 prostate and lung cancer. He is on intense treatment. Pray for the side effects.

Aaron Olson's friend Andrew-MRI showed several new areas of tumor progression. Pray for clarity on next steps. Pray for a miracle.

Beatrice Easter's son-in-law-has brain cancer and has had 2 surgeries and has started chemo. Pray for peace for the family.

Rita Wining's sister-in-law Denise-an aggressive form of breast cancer. She is on the last leg of treatment. That will last until Jan/Feb.

Anna Lubin's friend, Steve Robinson-was diagnosed with rare and aggressive brain cancer. Prayers for wisdom for the doctors, that the Lord will bring Steve to know Him through this trial. Prayers for peace, comfort and healing of his children, who love him very much.

Susann Roberg's friend Lynn-has been battling breast and lung cancer for 2 yrs. Pray for strength and comfort throughout this journey **Rebecca Bennett's Mom, Marcia Meyer-**is battling Multiple Myeloma, a cancer with no cure.

Teri Hillenga's friend, Ali Kacmar (mother of 2 small kiddos)-was diagnosed with cervical and ovarian cancer.

Deborah Espinosa's daughter, Yolanda-suffering from stage 4 cancer. Pray for both Deborah and Yolanda.

Gina Lira's brother in law, Bill-fighting pancreatitis and bladder cancer. Pray for healing and relief from pain.

Sarah Haywood's sister, Diana Manner-Started her treatment for her aggressive cancerous brain tumor. She is having both chemotherapy and radiation treatments concurrently. Please pray for protection and for complete healing! Pray for her family in all areas **Anna Jenkins daughter Laurie**-struggles with mental illness. Pray for healing.

Cindy Choate's grandma Callie (103 yrs old)-was diagnosed with a brain tumor. Pray for God's peace.

Shelly Roberson's mom, Charlotte Giovinazzo-started chemotherapy 9/26. She is fighting lung cancer.

Debra Espinoza-her daughter is going through cancer treatment, she has experienced loss of family members this year, and she needs to move from her home of 30 years and does not know where she will live. Pray for God's peace and direction.

Matt Twisselman's cousin-is suffering from persistent depression while her husband is experiencing significant pain from a stroke.

Lisa Van Dien's friend Billie-has cancer. Please pray for the tumors to shrink and not spread.

Virginia McMillan sister Denise-is starting chemo for stage 3 cancer. Please pray for strength as she goes through this time.

Camille's cousin Easton-he was born in Dec with Osteogenesis, a bone condition. Pray for healing and for salvation for his parents.

Mary Crable colleague, Laura Lee-who has been through cancer now has cancer in her mouth. She will be starting chemo. Pray for complete healing. Tamara (a single mom) cancer has metastasized onto her spine. She's in extreme pain, and she does not know Jesus.

LC Kelly-healing prayers for a young mom with aggressive breast cancer.

Anitra Smith's friend, Beth-was in a motorcycle accident. She will have a long road to recovery. Pray for God's provision.

Janet Hill-just as she lost her mother, her son angrily cut her out of his life. Since she's a widow, she feels like she has no family. She hasn't seen her 7 yr old grandson since he was 2 yrs old and has never met her 2nd grandson born last June. Pray for reconciliation.

John Nesheim's friend's 19 yr old grandson Jake and their family-the amazingly happy lad who trusts God has been nearly paralyzed by an inoperable brain tumor since age 5, now is in the hospital with pneumonia which could end his life.

Mary Crable's sister, Geri- Chabot-had heart surgery and developed complications. Pray that the embolism clears up.

Mary Hoff's daughter-(lives in San Diego) needs a nanny for their 3 month old baby. Pray that she finds just the right person.

Gina Schiveley's friend's granddaughter McKinzey-ran away from home early in December. Her family has not heard from her. Please pray for her protection and that she contacts her family soon.

Anna Greco-needs affordable housing with Christians. Also, prayers for her finances and her health.

Ridge Rawle-unspoken prayer request.

Gabriel Samara-for God's peace as he struggles with navigating the use of his new cell phone.

Lucinda Millaway's daughter Stephanie-had a double mastectomy and now she has tested for malignancy again. She lives in Bend OR Kim and Andy Bedell's good friend, Elaine George of Fresno-has an angiogram scheduled for 1/30. Pray for no complications.

Kathleen Donahue-has an interview at MBARI next week for a job. Pray for strength and confidence.

Avra Pirtle's daughter-in-law Melissa-was in a car accident. Her main issue is her heart because she has Marfen's disease.

James Schaarschmidt-for Adam & Susie, she has breast cancer & wants surgery, always delays.

Esther Carmona-for her neighbors, Guadalupe Ojeda, Lilia Gutierrez, Martha Saldaña that are battling cancer.

Annie Van Nuys son's coworker-at UCSF..brain tumor surgery recently...health took a turn for the worse. He may not be a Christian. Pray for comfort for his wife and for God to be glorified...maybe even a miracle.

Stephanie and Jeff Morway-Jeff has poor health due to diabetes and they just found out he has a heart blockage. Pray for wisdom for the doctors and peace and strength for Jeff and Stephanie,

Don Dyer-that he will be able to talk to people.

PRAY OUR SHUT-INS feel loved and cared for by our TLC family.

Barbara Courtney, Betty and David Dunworth, Billie Falconer, Celene Jandreau, Denise Bryson, Dorothy Lewis, Eileen Ross, Estalene Dalmadge, Frankie Carey, Jeanie Carlson, Joanne Faulk, Kathy Skomsvold, Mary Prevost, Mary Kay Squires, Pauline Roby, Ruth Seidel, Sue Doxatater, Susie Price, Tod Simmons, Virginia Eyler, Wilma Erlandson