

COVENANT OF CONCERNS

*If you have updates to any of the concerns listed below,
please let Scott or Tiffany know or email mbc@mbcnyc.org.*

Global & National Concerns:

All those whose lives are impacted by violence, conflict, war, natural disaster, and injustice of any kind
Those seeking to bring about justice, love, and peace in our world
National & International Leadership

Recent Concerns of Our Church Community (shared 6/17 – 6/24):

Cynthia (Kathy's friend) – got a good prognosis
Homecoming graduates Ronald and Reggie who died in the past couple weeks

Continuing Concerns of Our Church Community:

LAST WEEK:

Stephen – remembered James Dunn on what would have been his 86th birthday

Tiffany - travel mercies for various staff and church members.

LAST 3 MONTHS:

Alyssa (pastor of DC church) – upcoming brain surgery for aggressive tumor.

Paula - Travel mercies and family grace.

Michael – lesion shown in brain MRI, follow up testing.

Becca (Paula's former student) – meeting birth family for first time.

Henkels - A friend's nephew has recurring cancer after being in remission. Now at 9 years old he faces hearing loss from the chemo.

Laura's mom – ongoing health problems and legal adventures.

Brett's niece – graduating from high school and getting married in July.

Jerry Phelps and family – nephew took his life.

Velma - her brother recently married and had a new baby.

Brett - Family transition as his dad moves to a memory facility and his mom settles into her new home.

Friends and family of Liz Tunks – passed away at 97 years old. A great mentor at Metro years ago.

Jacob and Rebecca - moved to Nashville, TN

Ruby - 26 years of living with HIV+ diagnosis!

Scott K's grandmother - home from surgery

Eunice - health

Brittani's brother and sister in law - going through separation.

Brittani - going through transitions from move to NYC

Sonya (Paula's friend) - dad passed away.

Scott S - Ray passed away

Kathy's brother and sister-in-law

Ed and Jeanine (Kathy's friends)

John Halbrook – hip replacement surgery

Angie – Moving to Memphis in August – full ride for MFA

Udi (Paula's friend) – mother died in UK

Diana (Paula's friend) – anxiety

Ashcraft Family – Graham's mother Ann passed away, prayers for family and Randy especially

Church Life:

Our Pastors & Staff in their various ministry responsibilities through Metro and RMM

Brazilian Baptist Church

The Staff and Ministries of the Alliance of Baptists, the Cooperative Baptist Fellowship, Church World Service, National Council of Churches and Graffiti/East 7th St. Baptist

WHO WE ARE

Metro Baptist Church is a Christian community where all are welcome regardless of gender, age, sexual identity, ethnicity, social standing, education, or economic status. We believe that everyone is created by God in the likeness of God to be a full participant in God's redemptive plan.

Metro Baptist Church seeks to be a free and faithful voice of the Gospel of Jesus Christ, adhering to historic Baptist principles, freedoms and traditions. We value worship, religious education, missions and evangelism, theological depth and diversity, intellectual openness, religious freedom, social consciousness, responsible stewardship, and warm fellowship.

We receive into membership any person who publicly professes faith in Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior. If you are a Christian and are not active in a church, we invite you to become a vital part of the Metro Baptist Church family by transfer of your church letter or by statement of faith. If you do not identify yourself as a Christian, we invite you to begin that journey of discipleship with Christ this very day. Please speak with one of our ministers at the close of this morning's service if you wish to join the Metro family in our journey of faith.



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METRO BAPTIST CHURCH

**We must learn to live
together as brothers or
perish together as fools.**

-Martin Luther King, Jr.-



*To all who are weary and need rest,
To all who mourn and need comfort,
To all who are lonely and need friendship,
To all who are complacent and need disturbing,
To all who sin and need a savior,
To all who are glad and would serve,
This church opens wide its doors.*

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