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## PRAYER REQUESTS

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Send requests by 5:00PM Wednesday to Pam Akihiro at 636-345-6694 or email to [pamakihiro@cmfmissionary.org](mailto:pamakihiro@cmfmissionary.org) for inclusion Saturday.

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### **Jesus Come Quickly. Church Remain Faithful.**

Tamy has persistent pneumonia.

Aimee has an ongoing cough.

Marla Bond's son Kevin has a rare form of brain cancer.

Prayers for David Peterka's family on the death of his father, Dan.

Prayers for Gerson, Heather, their kids and all of the Rapha House family and the current unrest there.

Dave Davis as he lives with Parkinson's and it's symptoms. Please keep Dave, Linda and their family in your prayers.

Keith Kepley's wife Alicia has Huntington's. Please pray for her and the family.

Chris Raynes has back pain, neuropathy, pain in his legs and feet and difficulty eating from chemo in December and January 2019, and radiation through May 2019. Please pray for his continued healing.

Please pray for Joy and the rest of the committee as they seek a new pastor. She has asked for prayers for discernment and wisdom. She is currently travelling in Germany with her daughter. Please pray for their travels.

Dave's business partner's wife, Kathy, has breast cancer. She's finished radiation and now just taking a pill for chemo.

Prayers for Aimee Crowe's co-worker, Kenna and her family. Kenna's father Ken has been diagnosed with stage 4 pancreatic cancer. With chemo they are estimating he'll have 11 to 12 months to live.

Jen's ongoing health issues.

Our sister in Wonderland, Euodia, she is currently visiting her mother for the first time in 4 years. They have a broken relationship but Euodia truly desires it to be healed.

Please pray for Jen's teammate M as she prepares to leave and return to the states in January.

Jen's friends Geoffrey and Elizabeth Erwin. Elizabeth's mother passed away and a couple of days later Geoffrey was diagnosed with a mass near his heart. He was admitted to the hospital to start radiation and they removed a liter of fluid from around his heart.

Sue's co-worker Stephanie and her family as they grieve the loss of her husband Mike.

Sue's coworker, Jill who lost her job.

Connie has knee replacement surgery scheduled for March.

We were able to assist two families last Christmas. Please keep the

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## PRAYER REQUESTS (cont.)

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Congolese family (dad is a Pastor) and Jennifer and her two children in your prayers.

Eric and Melissa, prayers for additional funding and ongoing health issues. Also pray for the refugee women Melissa is befriending. Pray that God will open the hearts of people they work with, that they would be willing to read scripture. Pray for balance of family and ministry for Eric and Melissa.

Pray for Lily's doctor visits, her ongoing therapies.

Prayers for Isis and her two young children.

Pam's friend Daniel, still in Ethiopia trying to get to the US with his 3 year old daughter to join wife, in Virginia, who had to flee 2 years ago because of persecution. Praying for favor with Immigration to receive asylum.

Pam's cousin Wesley Price and wife Regan, in the Philippeans for missions for a year.

Pam's daughter-in-law's sister, Deb, has rectal cancer and is not doing well with chemo and radiation.

Fay Day's son Andrew has back pain. Also prayers for Fay's husband Michael who's in a lot of pain and ongoing family problems.

Our brothers and sisters with New Life Christian Church. There are so many dealing with significant health issues.

\*Ken's sister Joyce will have a mitral valve replacement in January.

\*Ken's friend Art Beason who has prostate cancer.

Larry Snellen is quite depressed and in a lot of pain. He needs visitors.

Pastor Doug's back pain and his work at McKendree University.

Prayers for Tamy's ongoing health issues. Prayers for Priscilla and Aubrey.

Beverly's health issues.

Beverly's long time neighbor, Georgiana Jones, has been diagnosed with stage 3 cancer.

Beverly's friend Kate Engemann has cancer.

Charlie Westercamp as he continues to battle esophageal cancer. He now has shingles in his eye.

Prayers for God to use us to speak to refugees here in north county and opportunities for us to assist when and how we can.

Mary Oscko starting on stronger Chemo. Really suffering now.

Roxanne Brake's friend Toni, whose cancer returned is now in hospice. Roxanne's aunt Shirley is now in Rehab, for about 2 weeks then going to live with her nephew near Owensville.

Frank and Gensy Key's daughter-in-law, Natalie was diagnosed with an auto-immune disease. She is unable to eat and the doctors tell her there's nothing more they can do. She and the Key's son Shawn are

missionaries in Bulgaria. Key's granddaughter, Haley, who was cured of liver cancer a few years ago, now has some spots on her liver. Getting tests this week.

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## PRAISES

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Pam's friends Scott and Amanda got great news--his scans show no cancer! Gene and Sarah Austin's son has a job!  
Linda Davis' friend, Linda, had stem cell therapy for multiple myeloma. She moved to Denver to be with family She's been tested and is in remission.

*\* Indicates a new prayer request or praise*

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## Missions We Financially Support

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**Eric and Melissa Davis**, Pioneer Bible Translators, involved in immigrant ministry.

**Jen**, E. Africa.

**Heather and Gerson**, Rapha House, Haiti.

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## Missions We Support with Prayer

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**Matt and Kala Mueller**, Everyday Christian Church, NY

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**WORSHIP LEADER** Rick Knoop, Scott Neuhart

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**SERMON BY** Doug Lay

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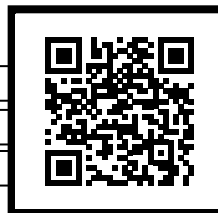
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Sue Baehr, Ken Baehr, Chris Raynes, and Dave Davis are the custodians of our finances. A copy of the most recent financial statement is available at all services for your review. Please see these individuals for information.

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### The Birth of Jesus Christ

Now the birth of Jesus Christ took place in this way. When his mother Mary had been betrothed to Joseph, before they came together she was found to be with child from the Holy Spirit.<sup>19</sup> And her husband Joseph, being a just man and unwilling to put her to shame, resolved to divorce her quietly.<sup>20</sup> But as he considered these things, behold, an angel of the Lord appeared to him in a dream, saying, "Joseph, son of David, do not fear to take Mary as your wife, for that which is conceived in her is from the Holy Spirit.<sup>21</sup> She will bear a son, and you shall call his name Jesus, for he will save his people from their sins."<sup>22</sup> All this took place to fulfill what the Lord had spoken by the prophet:<sup>23</sup> "Behold, the virgin shall conceive and bear a son, and they shall call his name Immanuel" (which means, God with us).<sup>24</sup> When Joseph woke from sleep, he did as the angel of the Lord commanded him: he took his wife,<sup>25</sup> but knew her not until she had given birth to a son. And he called his name Jesus.

### The Visit of the Wise Men

Now after Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judea in the days of Herod the king, behold, wise men from the east came to Jerusalem,<sup>2</sup> saying, "Where is he who has been born king of the Jews? For we saw his star when it rose and have come to worship him."<sup>3</sup> When Herod the king heard this, he was troubled, and all Jerusalem with him;<sup>4</sup> and assembling all the chief priests and scribes of the people, he inquired of them where the Christ was to be born.<sup>5</sup> They told him, "In Bethlehem of Judea, for so it

is written by the prophet:<sup>6</sup> "And you, O Bethlehem, in the land of Judah, are by no means least among the rulers of Judah; for from you shall come a ruler who will shepherd my people Israel."<sup>7</sup> Then Herod summoned the wise men secretly and ascertained from them what time the star had appeared.<sup>8</sup> And he sent them to Bethlehem, saying, "Go and search diligently for the child, and when you have found him, bring me word, that I too may come and worship him."<sup>9</sup> After listening to the king, they went on their way. And behold, the star that they had seen when it rose went before them until it came to rest over the place where the child was.<sup>10</sup> When they saw the star, they rejoiced exceedingly with great joy.<sup>11</sup> And going into the house, they saw the child with Mary his mother, and they fell down and worshiped him. Then, opening their treasures, they offered him gifts, gold and frankincense and myrrh.<sup>12</sup> And being warned in a dream not to return to Herod, they departed to their own country by another way.

### The Flight to Egypt

<sup>13</sup> Now when they had departed, behold, an angel of the Lord appeared to Joseph in a dream and said, "Rise, take the child and his mother, and flee to Egypt, and remain there until I tell you, for Herod is about to search for the child, to destroy him."<sup>14</sup> And he rose and took the child and his mother by night and departed to Egypt<sup>15</sup> and remained there until the death of Herod. This was to fulfill what the Lord had spoken by the prophet, "Out of Egypt I called my son."

**Matthew 1:18-2:15 (ESV)**

**January 4, 2020**