

## THE CHUM PRAYER LIST FOR 09.18.15

Praise God! The **African Shower Challenge** (9/13) helped raise \$2,700 toward the \$20,000 cost of CHUM's 11/15 mission trip to Panguma!

Let's pray for **Ken Botsdorff** (8/21) who's had some real challenges with his health & job. In July he was terminated after a stint on short-term disability.

**Bobbie & Gene Brannock** (9/9) Bobbie has a wound on her leg that still isn't healed since March. She needs back surgery but the surgeon won't do that surgery until her wound heals. Her husband Gene Brannock is in Skilled Nursing @ Bethany Village, & appreciates prayers & visits

**Richard Brokenshire** continues his battle with cancer. We want to continue to lift both Richard and his wife, Carla, in prayer!

We want to praise God that we had approximately 120 **CHUM Children** (9/13) in Sunday School for our kick-off Sunday and about 18 adult volunteers!

Praise the Lord for a great time fellowshiping with other CHUM-ers @ last Sunday's **Church Picnic** in the Wesley Center! Thanks, CHUM Outdoors!

**Mary Lou Fishpaw** (9/17) fell, cracked her hip & had surgery on 8/26. After surgery she suffered a massive stroke affecting her left side. She is in Oaks Skilled Nursing at Bethany Village and now on Hospice. She and her family appreciate your prayers.

**Stephen & Anne Gallaher** announce the birth of their 4th grandson, Jace Christopher Kelly, was born to daughter, Megan, & son-in-law, Chris, on 9/8.

We lift up **Bob Gardner & his family** upon the passing of Bob's mom, Grace Gardner, on 9/1. Her funeral service was 9/4.

**Susan & Mike Glenny** have expanded their family with the addition of a baby girl, Kolbie Grace, on 9/7, and all are doing well, for which we praise God!

Praise the Lord that **John Holbert** was back in worship on September 13<sup>th</sup> with us after rupturing a calf muscle & staying off of his feet for 6 weeks!

We're rejoicing that the response to collecting spare change to purchase meals for our **Hunger Action Week (9/13)** in October has been phenomenal!

Praise God! On 9/13 CHUM raised \$750 toward the \$1,000 matching gift benefitting **CHUM's homeless ministries** throughout the Harrisburg area!

We're praising the Lord that **June Hurst** who fell @ CHUM some weeks ago & fractured a bone in her face, has made a good recovery!

**Edna Jones** (9/2) was hospitalized with an infection & while hospitalized had several mini-strokes, but is now in skilled nursing at Bethany Village.

**Lily** (9/13) is a young girl who is undergoing treatment for her illness. Please pray for her comfort and courage as she continues her treatments.

**Kim Losh** (9/3) requests prayer for step family and her Dad. Her step niece (31) was found dead on 9/4. She leaves behind two children ages 11 & 3.

**Pastor Sharon Miller** (9/17) has 5 appointments for tests with an allergist the end of the month. She had to go off of her medicine in preparation and has had outbreaks of hives again. She also asks prayers for: (1) Barb Miller, Jon's step-mom, recovering from a stroke, at home in therapy, walking with a cane, but still has double vision; (2) Sally Buckley, her aunt, improving after a seizure & living with a daughter.

We pray for the **Panguma Mission Team** planning to travel to Sierra Leone in November & rejoice in a good **"African Bucket Shower Challenge"** on 09/13! The Panguma Team consists of Marsha Banks, Fred Clark (team leader), Denise Paran, Drew Robeson, Tom Willard, and possibly Jim Clahane.

**Joyce Muniz** (9/3) asks prayer for her children: Christopher, Joseph, and Shea-Octavia. Christopher is in his early 20s & may need a heart transplant.

**CHUM homebound member, Doris Myers** (9/17), is improving and is in much less pain. She appreciates your prayers – they've been working.

**Elizabeth Piatt** (8/21) has asked prayer for her granddaughter Julia (11). She is suffering from juvenile arthritis which she has dealt with from an early age. She is a good athlete but will probably not be able to participate this year if the pain and inflammation doesn't respond to medication.

**Carol Pettis** (9/8) had asked prayer for her sister, Marilyn, who was very ill, but now reports that she's made considerable progress & we praise God!

Prayers are appreciated for **David and Nedra Schmuck** (9/17) as David battles cancer.

**Dani Sklar** (8/19) a high school SR, is home recuperating from hip surgery on 8/6 & will have a lengthy convalescence, but was in worship on crutches.

**Ron Soder** (8/2) continues his recovery from Guillain-Barre Syndrome which affected his lower legs & his ability to walk. He has been back in worship!

This past Sunday, 9/13, the Staff-Parish Relations Committee (SPRC) celebrated **CHUM Staff Recognition Sunday** in all 4 morning worship services!

We rejoice with **Jonathan & Susanne Stephenson** upon the baptism of their youngest daughter, Luna Adare, on 9/6 in the sanctuary @ 11:00 a.m.

We lift up **Kerwin & Kay Stetler** upon the passing of Kay's mom, Margaret Thorpe, on 8/28, along with all those who continue to mourn loved ones.

**Carol Stuftt** (9/1) spent time in the hospital recently and has received a tentative new diagnosis with a suggested new course of action for treatment.

**Ashley Turban** (9/17) was released from Hershey the end of last week. Is recovering at home but still in a lot of pain.

We rejoice that the more children have participated in **Upward Football and Cheerleading** (9/12) than in any previous season here at CHUM!

**Max Van Buskirk** (9/17) has been admitted to West Shore Hospital (rm 325) for treatment of an infection and additional tests.

**Nancy Vickrey** (9/17) following some complications after a successful heart valve surgery on 9/1, is now off the ventilator and has a tracheotomy. She is making progress but slowly and hoping to move to a regular room soon.

**Cindy Wakefield** (8/26), one of CHUM's homebound members, has had multiple falls recently, to ER a couple of times, and is now using a walker.

We're praising the Lord that there were over 100 **CHUM Youth and Volunteers** (9/13) at Sunday School's kick-off last Sunday—a new record!

**Brian Zirbel** (9/11) is now back at work following his back surgery, having experienced almost immediate relief from most of his pain.

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