

IN NEED OF PRAYER?

If you have a prayer requests or are in need please call and let us know.

OFFICE HOURS:

Monday-Thursday

8:00 AM-4:30 PM

Friday

8:00 AM-12:00 PM

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**IF NO ONE ANSWERS,
PLEASE LEAVE A
MESSAGE AND WE WILL
CALL YOU BACK.**

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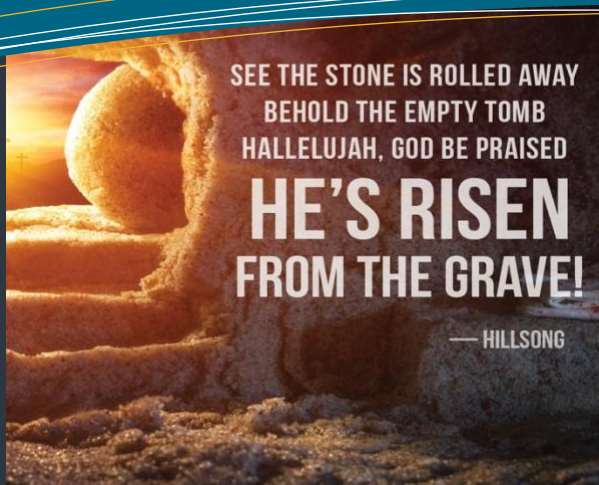
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PRAYER CORNER

- ◇ Miles Vann has asked for prayers for his teaching partner, Jim Allsup. He is in Decatur hospital with severe lung issues, not confirmed to be COVID-19 but it is very serious.
- ◇ Sympathy is extended to Shirley Ross and family, for the loss of her brother in law, Larry Latimer of Wichita Falls.
- ◇ Prayers for all physical, emotional and spiritual needs related to Covid-19.

Betty Atkins – Ron Choate - Sunny Coleman - Sue Fox- Chuck Harp –Patsy & Willard Howell – Billy Ince – William Leonard - Callie Slagle - Hanna Stetler - Erma Thompson - Faye Whitaker - Mary Wright – Judy Camp, Mary Dunn's sister – Larry Latimer, Shirley Ross's brother-in-law - Knox Lowe, B. D. Lowe's brother – Paul Ridenour, friend of Connie Acord & the West Family - Alexis Taylor, Bob Rheinfeldt's niece - others in nursing homes & shut-ins.

THIS WEEK'S PRACTICAL TOOLS TO BRING HOPE DURING THESE DAYS OF CONFUSION AND UNCERTAINTY

- ❖ **JOURNAL**
 - Write out 3-5 gratitudes every day. Write your stories. Write what is happening during this season.
- ❖ **KNOW YOU ARE LEANING INTO A STORY BIGGER THAN OUR OWN.**
 - It matters how we live out these days. It matters how we live out our faith. God's story is bigger than this virus.
- ❖ **BE LOOKING FOR THE GLORY OF GOD.**
 - Be looking for the fingerprint of God to be in your days. He is with us. Pray the eyes of your heart remain open to see Him!
- ❖ **REACH OUT TO SOMEONE**
 - Use your phone. Use FaceTime or Zoom. Ask someone for help and share your prayer requests. We have to be creative about connection but connection is vital to life! If you are struggling with anxiety or depression, please reach out for help. You do not have to struggle alone.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

4/12 Clay Myers
 4/14 Cody Duncum
 4/14 Russ Hamilton
 4/16 James Lee
 4/16 Coy O'Neal
 4/17 Addi Baker
 4/17 Brady Burton
 4/18 Diana Mosley

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

4/16 Clay & Victoria Myers
 4/18 Bo & Brenda Pollard

ONLINE SERVICES

SUNDAY AT 8:00 AM

WEDNESDAY AT 6:00PM

WEEKLY OFFERING

16,206

RIGHTNOW MEDIA LINK



STAY CONNECTED



ANNOUNCEMENTS

• DROP BOX

For your convenience, we now have a drop box outside the church office for after hours or "social distancing" drop offs.

• WISE COUNTY CHRISTIAN COUNSELING SUPPORT GROUPS

Wise County Christian Counseling is offering several online support groups to help through this season. We have a grief group that will begin on Wednesday, April 15, at 9:15. We are starting a group for mothers of infants and another for mothers who have school age children. Please call the office at 940-627-1618 for more info.

We will get through this together!

• CAREGIVER NEEDED

A member of the North Bay Church of Christ in Portland, TX contacted the office in search of a trustworthy caregiver for her elderly In-Laws living in Decatur. The woman is in a wheelchair and requires lifting and transfers. They are needing 35-40 hours per week. If you or someone you know would be interested in this position, call the office and we will get you connected.

• YOUTH GROUP

The youth group will be connecting through the ZOOM app every Wednesday night at 7 pm, if you haven't received and invitation or would like more information, contact Jacob.

• SERMON AND DEVOTIONAL ON DVD

We have DVDs of sermon and devo available weekly for members without internet access. If you are interested in a printed copy of sermon, that is also available. Call the office and we can make sure you get what you need to stay connected.

• SERVICES AVAILABLE

We have several members who have volunteered to assist in shopping, deliveries, or errands to our members who are higher risk or just need assistance.

• WE ARE HERE FOR YOU!

If you or a member you know, is struggling financially or spiritually please call the office and let us know. We are here to help. If you have prayer requests, please call and let us know.

• LIFE GROUPS

If you're not already part of a Life Group, let us invite you to get connected with a Life Group leader today. Many groups are finding creative ways to connect through social media apps, such as ZOOM.

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PRAYER SPOTLIGHT

• EXPECTANT MOTHERS

Blair Isham (Jun.-girl) – Kayla Ritchey (May)

• MISSIONARIES

Randy & Angela Warzecha, Aracaju, Brazil – Roland & Rose Mohsen, Paris, France - Everett Chambers, England, India, & Brazil – Ronald Coleman, India, Mexico, & Ukraine – Justin & Jauna Reeger, Cayambe, Ecuador (Hacienda of Hope) – Paul Renganathan, India - Eastern European Mission – Josh Austin, Mesa, Arizona - Living Hope for Honduras – Global City

• CANCER TREATMENT

Donald Camp, Mary Dunn's brother-in-law - Aiden Cross, Lyle Hart's 10-yr. old nephew - Judy Dunlap, Joyce Yates's sister - Heston Goggins, young son of friends of the Hicks & Vann Families - Nina Griffin, Clayton Adams' great aunt - Donna Kirk, Velda Walker's niece – Brenda Lynch, Austin Bowen's mother-in-law - Tim McGar, friend of the Niblett's – Martha Pierce, Becky Samstag's sister - Geneva Ridgeway, Lynn Long's sister-in-law.

THE TOMB IS EMPTY!