

CHUM Prayer List for 01.12.18

NEW & UPDATED PRAISES & REQUESTS

We're praising the Lord that **Pastor Anna, Simon and Dom** have returned safely from South Africa & will be back in worship this Sunday (1/14).~

Margaret Brightbill (1/12) requests prayer for her friend, Tia Tedder, who lost her son, Jesse (31), on 1/6 in a car accident. Please pray for her family!~

We expect an announcement to be made Sunday (1/14) in worship @ CHUM about who will be appointed as **CHUM's next Lead Pastor** starting 7/1/18!~

Let's pray for **Drew & Gretchen Svitco** (1/10) at CHUM, along with Gretchen's sister, Ann McCauley, & their families upon the murder this week in Richmond, VA, of Ann's only child, Tom McCauley (27 years old).~

Pray that God would use all CHUM's Upward volunteers to proclaim the Good News of Jesus to the 390 children involved in **Upward basketball & cheerleading** and the 32 in Biddy Ballers, as well as to all their family members during this winter season!

We have been asked to pray for those caught up in concentration camps in **North Korea** (1/10) & particularly pregnant women and their children there.~

Lynn Parsons (1/10) had total knee replacement of her right knee (her 3rd on that knee) at the HBG Hospital and will now undergo rehab elsewhere.~

David Schmuck (1/6) who along with wife Nedra spends January & February in Florida appreciates our continued prayers for his ongoing health issues.~

RECENT PRAISES & REQUESTS

Suella Barto had a heart catheterization on 1/5 at the West Shore Pinnacle Hosp. & also had a heart stent implanted, but is now recuperating at home.~

CHUM's Church Council (1/4) will vote on 1/18 on making a sizeable gift to help CACCC child care program relocate in their own facility elsewhere.~

Janie Altland (1/5) @ Bethany goes back to the Dr. on 1/9 to additional fluid from her abdomen to make eating, breathing, etc. easier for her!~

Bonnie Ditty (1/5), homebound Ruby Cocklin's sister, has a heart procedure on 2/6 to regulate her heartbeat, but has been declared cancer free!~

Marylou Lowther's (1/4) friend's husband Bill's prognosis is still terminal, but he has been strengthened by stopping chemo & feels much better.~

Rafé Shearer (1/4) continues to make slow progress following her lung transplant and wants to thank CHUM for "carrying them thru this experience!"~

Pastor Tom's (1/3) elderly aunt and uncle died in a house fire in Liverpool on Wednesday, January 3rd, & he appreciates prayers for his 3 cousins' families.~

Bill Williams (1/4) was hospitalized 2xs over the holidays with breathing and bleeding issues, but was extremely grateful to go home on January 4th!~

Laura Durant (1/4) is grateful for all the prayers for her sister, Julia, who is doing much better with her health problems & appreciates cont'd prayer.~

Ashley Turban (1/3) has requested prayer for a friend of hers (age 28), Daya Cross, from her annual cancer camp who is in need of a heart transplant.~

Donna Edwards (1/3) is having blood pressure problems & must limit herself until we get things under control. She sees the cardiologist on 1/9.~

Pray for **Brenda Canniff** (1/3), Lynn Parsons' mother, who's been in and out of the hospital for the past several weeks with unresolved nasal bleeding.~

Pastor Sharon Miller (1/3) asks prayer for all the folks who are sick with colds, flu, & other seasonal issues, including members of her GriefCare class.~

June Hurst (1/3), one of CHUM's homebound members, is currently recuperating post-surgically at Messiah Village in the Wagner hallway, Room 31.~

Larry Bock (1/2) is home after three hospital stays over the holidays and we're rejoicing that he was able to be in worship on Sunday, January 7th!~

Kathy Densham (1/2) asks that we pray for husband, John, as he has his left leg amputated above the knee, following 9 surgeries & many infections.~

Laura Burton (1/1) asks prayer for husband, Paul, to find relief from always feeling sick & for healing for his MS, occipital neuralgia, & bulging disc.~

Pray for peace & healing for **Rachel Migliardi**,(1/2) who is 19 & just diagnosed with an aggressive cancer in her lungs called Rhabdomyosarcoma.~

Dave & Priscilla Hooper (1/1) celebrated 50 years of marriage on Dec. 27th. Marriage occurred followed a chance meeting in Scranton, PA in Feb. 1967 where they were both were in their final year of undergraduate education at the University of Scranton and Scranton State Hospital School of Nursing!~

An **anonymous prayer request** (12/31) asks for God's healing touch upon a broken marriage that it might once again thrive & bless both partners.~

Amadu & Elizabeth Ndoeka, (12/29) who host our mission teams in Sierra Leone, arrived in the US on 12/25 so he could undergo some tests, & make a 1/11 doctor's appointment to determine his treatment & recovery plan for some type of infection in his liver, which is causing his current health issues.~

Marsha Banks (12/24) asks prayer for her son, Malcolm, who struggles with addiction & abuse issues & is currently in prison. Prayers for comfort and peace are appreciated for Marsha and her family, as well as for all those families who have loved ones in prison.~

Barb Schuette (1/4) asks prayer for husband Dick, who was hospitalized for a UTI, is back @ ManorCare in Camp Hill & is now under hospice care.~

Evelyn Fisher (12/18) is glad to be back in her apartment at Bethany Village after several weeks in hospital and rehab for congestive heart issues.~

Barb Bingham's mother recently passed away & her funeral is 1/13 at CHUM with granddaughter Emily Bingham leading the service. Pray for them!~

Let's pray for the **Panguma Hospital** (12/15) which is facing some significant administrative changes & Dr. Wai who also has some health challenges!~

Let's pray for **the Bishop & Cabinet**, as they meet to determine pastoral appointments for the coming year including who will be CHUM's next pastor.~

Those with longer term health issues: **Janie Altland, Renae Boyer, Linda Fortney, Lori Kocher, Patricia Spotts, and Ralph Stimeling!**~

We pray for the UMC's **Commission on a Way Forward** discerning a new future for the UMC currently divided by opposing views on human sexuality.~

(Please obtain permission before submitting anyone's name & situation for the CHUM Prayer List! Thanks!)