<u>Praise and Prayer Requests</u> September 28, 2025,

"On your walls, O Jerusalem, I have appointed watchmen; all day and all night they will never keep silent. You, who remind the LORD, take no rest for yourselves; and give Him no rest until He establishes and makes Jerusalem a praise in the earth." Isaiah 62: 6-7

Prayer Team: Pray for Pastors Rob, Brian, Joshua, Keith and other staff personnel and for all Elders, Trustees, and Deacons, as well as their families.

Prayer Team: Pray for all our Crossgate missionaries: Tracy and Shonna Shipp; Mike and Alison Fendley; Clint, Crystal, and Ryan Rickett; and Michael Clayton.

Requests and Updates

Prayer Team: Pray for our country and our leaders.

<u>Praise</u> that for now, there seems to be a ceasefire in the Israeli/Iran war.

Pray for God's will and purposes to continue to be brought forth in the Middle East.

Pray for the persecuted church around the world.

Pray for all those involved in the Russia/Ukraine war and for God's will.

Prayer for 'Village of Hope' in Uganda and for God's provision.

Prayer Team: Please continue to pray diligently for the youth of Crossgate and churches everywhere! They are our future and the issues they have to deal with are many! Pray for their parents. Pray for leadership of the Youth Ministry: Pastor Joshua, Kayla/Blake Stanage, Jason/Melissa Hudnell, Tracy Dorathy, Hunter Scott, Erin Oswalt, Phillip/Allyson Petty.

Prayer Team: Please pray for Wednesday night **House of Prayer** as it starts back up with the new season's Bible study classes! This will be from 6:00 to 6:25 in the worship center and is a come and go time to connect with the Lord as He stills our hearts before our classes start. Also continue to pray for the Sunday AM '**House of Prayer**' from 8:30 -9:00 in the 'Loft' and that God will continue to draw people to both of these special times of prayer.

Pray for CG events: Recharge Fall Schedule, Aug 20-Dec 17; Candy, Booths, and Volunteers, Oct 1-26; CG Fall Fest 2025, Oct 29 6:30 – 8pm; Child Dedication Service Nov 9; Crossgate Blood Drive Event, Nov 16, 8:30am -1:00 pm; Membership Matters, Nov 16, 9:30 – 11:45 am; Sr High Fall Retreat, Nov 22-25; Passion Conference 2026, Jan 1 – 4.

Prayer Team: Pray that God will use this season as a time of Crossgate truly seeking to align ourselves with Him and His will for the church! PRAYING-WAITING-TRUSTING!

Prayer Team: Thank you so much for praying over the '7 Days of Prayer for Thailand'!!

Linda White: Please continue to pray for Patty Parik. Her recovery is slow, but she is improving slowly. Thank you for praying.

Peggy Snoddy: Tom needs to retire but he is wrestling. Please pray for peace and comfort for him.

Gloria Hammond: Sweet visits Saturday with my sister's kids. They miss her a lot. I do too. Update from Michele on her dad: He remains in good spirits...has walked in the hall...has started to retain fluid. Pray that Jesus will keep these away...fluid, clots, and infection. Dr started Lasix Sunday. He will continue the IV chemo today. Thank you for your prayers!

Donna Park: My sister, Lindy has improved quite a bit this weekend! Thank you for your prayers following her bladder surgery.

David/Linda Carter: Prayers for good results from CT scan that Linda had this Monday. We will be meeting Wed morning with the doctor for the results. Thanks everyone for the prayers.

Barbara Plummer: Our neighbor Paul having bladder surgery Oct 6. Unspoken.

Debbie Tremayne: Prayer for Kim, blood pressure, diagnosed with POTS; for Judy who fell and broke her nose and has multiple bruises; for Barbara C., 18mm mass found after mammogram; for family salvation/return to the Lord...Raymond, Jade, Milo, Tony, Cindy, Rhianna, Christie, Landon, Emmaline, Tony, Collin, Ara, Aurora.

Sean Utt: Mom and Dad's house needs to sell ASAP so they can be moved into a nursing facility. Pray God brings the right family to buy it.

Susan Rowley: They have scheduled **Larry** for an ablation on **Oct 17**, since he has been back in AFIB. That is rather far out so they do have him on a call list.

Pat Bledsoe: Please continue to pray for Bill. It is such a blessing to know so many folks care and are praying. Thank you.

Crystal Rickett: Thank you for continued prayers. Please pray for us as we are allowing time for me to get a little stronger before we head back to Vanuatu. We appreciate you all!

Mike and Alison Fendley: Continued prayers for Alison. Regarding our church, ask the Spirit to reveal to us all, what we need **to turn from in order to be fully devoted to the Lord.**

Cari Scott: Prayer for the unity of our body and for His church to have hearts that chase after Jesus, fully surrendered.

Nancie Garrett: Pray for Aaliyah Davis, a young woman I am mentoring... for salvation and college.

Linda Thompson: Pray for my friend, Revia Simon, who had a neurologist appt recently. Pray for good answers and solutions.

Terry and Ann Sides: Continue to pray for Terry, recovering from fractured pelvis.

Andy Dettmer: Pray for ongoing back pain.

Dave and Linda White: Continued prayer for Dave's brother, Alan. He has finished his radiation treatments. Thanks for prayers!

Next Steps received cards with prayer requests from these. Thank you for lifting them up: From 8/24: TY: Recent guest, single female, age 52, asked for prayer for 'strength/encouragement'. PP: Recent guest, single female, age 59, grieving the loss of her 36 year old son on 5/19/25. From 8/17: DP: Recently prayed to receive Christ but is wrestling with some hard questions as he explores the Bible. Pray that he can truly experience God's love personally and grow in his faith. LG: Recently prayed to receive Christ in Next Steps. Her entire family is Catholic. Please pray for her continued growth in the Lord and that she will get connected to a strong biblical community. RM: Asked for prayer for his family, job, and vehicle situation. SM: Asked for prayer for her boyfriend, John, who works on a towboat and rarely gets to see his son, which is causing a lot of mental struggles. BR: Asked for prayer for her 8-month-old son, Thiago, who recently started having seizures. S and JC: In the process of moving to Hot Springs and looking for a church home. Pray for their move and for the Lord to lead them to the right church.

Shelia Duch: Please pray for continued healing for me. I'm also asking for prayer for my three grandchildren. Pray that they come to know Jesus. Thank you and God Bless.

Tula Young: Continue to pray for Amber Ray.

Scott Johnson: The pain I have from the war is getting worse. Pray that I can live with it.

Lori Heller: Suzanne Wilsey update: She recently had to place her dad on hospice. Her mother & aunt remain with their different cancers, and she remains in Missouri the majority of the time caring for them, along with a sister who helps, but she is tired.

Condolences for: Jen Vining and her family in the loss of her Uncle Mike recently. Samantha Costello and her family in the recent loss of her dad, Jim Dunigan.

Prayer Team: Pray for <u>Myanmar</u>, for those who are persecuted to be strong in their faith and for protection. Pray that Christians continue to shine for Jesus and share their testimony to persecutors with boldness. Pray churches in the US would grow in awareness and support persecuted Christians.