

# Prayer Requests

- **Laura Carr - The doctor stopped by this morning and said everything is looking good. Her blood pressure dipped a bit last night, so they are still using medication to manage that, but the overall progress is positive. The big plan for today is to begin weaning her off sedation. If she tolerates that well, the goal is to see if she can breathe on her own and wake up. Michael will keep everyone posted as we see how she does!**
  - As of Sunday at 2 pm - Laura is out of surgery and everything went well. They had to take out some of her large intestine so they will have to work on her breathing. Once the swelling goes down and her breathing is in good shape then they will take her off of sedation. This could take a day, or two or a week. It just depends on how her body does with the swelling. Thank you for all of your prayers!
  - As of Saturday at 1:30 pm - Everything is looking good and the doctor is pleased with the way things are going. She will go back in for surgery tomorrow morning.
  - Laura is out of surgery and in an ICU room. They are keeping her sedated until Sunday due to part of her colon being dead. They are going to go back in on Sunday to look at everything to see if more of it needs to be removed and if anything else has been affected. Please keep Laura, Michael and the family in your prayers this weekend.
  - As of 2:30 pm - Thankfully an ICU bed opened up at CMH so they did not have to transport to Mercy in Springfield. Laura is currently in surgery and will be in ICU following her surgery. Thank you for your prayers!
  - As of 12:15 on January 30 - Laura is being transported to the ICU in Springfield at Mercy. She has a blockage in her intestines to the point that it is cutting off blood flow to the intestines. They are going to an emergency surgery.
  - As of January 30 at 9 am - Laura was at work and collapsed. She was taken by ambulance to the CMH ER. They are waiting for doctors to come in to evaluate her.
- **Ray Becker - Ray Becker passed away this morning, February 2nd. Once service information becomes available we will get it shared. Please be in prayer for Carolyn Noll and her family at this time.**
  - They have called in hospice for Ray Becker. Please be in prayer for him and his family at this time.

- Jack Sawyers' Family - Jack's Services will be on Tuesday, February 3rd at Pitts Chapel in Bolivar. The visitation is at 10 am followed by the service at 11 am.
  - Jack went home to be with Jesus yesterday morning (January 29th) We will send out his service information once it becomes available.
- Terri Phillips - As of January 20th (Tuesday) - Mrs. Terri came home on Tuesday and will be recovering from her blood clot. She will be on a blood thinner for the next 3-6 months. And she wants to thank everyone for their prayers!
  - As of January 19th at 2:30 pm - Mrs. Terri is in the ER and has a blood clot in her lung. They are giving her a high dosage of heparin to help dissolve the clot. They are hoping that she gets to go home tomorrow.
- Rita Kirkpatrick, Larissa Katzer's Grandma - Update as of January 21 - Rita is home! They have adjusted her blood pressure medication to help with her dizziness and they are working on getting more strength in her legs and core. Thank you for your prayers!
  - Rita has fallen multiple times the last few days and has gone to the ER on Sunday. She has a cut on her face and bruising as well and is waiting on scan results to see if there is anything else going on.
- Marsha Idleman - A few months ago Marsha was diagnosed with breast cancer. Charles let us know that she has finished her 33rd treatment and at this point all outcomes are looking good! They want to thank everyone for their prayers!
- Vickie Lucas, Dawn Katzer's Mom - As Vickie's health declines, she is moving into hospice care to ensure she is as comfortable as possible. They anticipate a journey of several months ahead. Please pray for Dawn's strength and for Vickie's medical team as they coordinate the best plan for her comfort and care.
- Will McKinney (Ron & Gail Watson's son's father-in-law) - Will had been having problems with kidney stones and had gone to the hospital but while he was in the hospital he had a stroke
- Tracy Miles Niece - Update as of Sept. 29th - Delilah went to the doctor today and she has CML. It is a milder form of leukemia and she can be treated with medicine by the Drs in Jonesboro. Darcy (Tracy's sister) said thank you for the continued prayers.
  - Delilah Thomas is being tested for leukemia. She goes to the doctors on Sept. 29th for results and treatment options. She will most likely be sent to Little Rock, Arkansas for treatment.