

Our Families Pray

All: In the name of the Father and of the Son ✠ and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

The Apostles' Creed is confessed by all.

The Psalm is prayed: Psalm 121

Learn-by-Heart:

CATECHISM: *What does such baptizing with water indicate?* It indicates that the Old Adam in us should by daily contrition and repentance be drowned and die with all sins and evil desires, and that a new man should daily emerge and arise to live before God in righteousness and purity forever. *Where is this written?* St. Paul writes in Romans chapter six: We were therefore buried with Him through baptism into death in order that, just as Christ was raised from the dead through the glory of the Father, we too may live a new life.

BIBLE VERSE: “[Workers], obey your earthly masters with respect and fear, and with sincerity of heart, just as you would obey Christ.”
Ephesians 6:5

HYMN: “To Jordan Came the Christ, Our Lord” (LSB 406, st. 7)

7 All that the mortal eye beholds
Is water as we pour it.
Before the eye of faith unfolds
The pow’r of Jesus’ merit.
For here it sees the crimson flood
To all our ills bring healing;
The wonders of His precious blood
The love of God revealing,
Assuring His own pardon.

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LECTIONARY: OLD TESTAMENT: GENESIS 32:22-32;
NEW TESTAMENT: 1 THESSALONIANS 4:1-7;
GOSPEL: MATTHEW 15:21-28

COLLECT OF THE DAY: O God, You see that of ourselves we have no strength. By Your mighty power defend us from all adversities that may happen to the body and from all evil thoughts that may assault and hurt the soul; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

“DO NOT BE ANXIOUS
ABOUT ANYTHING,
BUT IN EVERYTHING,
BY PRAYER AND
PETITION, WITH
THANKSGIVING,
PRESENT
YOUR
REQUESTS
TO GOD.”

PHILIPPIANS 4:6, NIV

PRAYER REQUESTS

February 25, 2024

Our Savior Lutheran Church & Houston, Texas

PLEASE CONTINUE TO REMEMBER THESE PRAYER REQUESTS IN YOUR PERSONAL DEVOTIONS THROUGHOUT THE COMING WEEK. THANK YOU AND GOD BLESS YOU. (If you would like to have a prayer request included in next week's list, please contact the church office by 3:00 pm on Thursday, 713.290.9087 or email at church@osl.cc.)

And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus. Phil 4:7

Members

May God grant a quick recovery for granddaughter of Keith Huber, Lexy Lynn Cruz, born 2/16 and born again 2/22 in an emergency Baptism in Memorial Hermann Hospital ICU in the medical center. Lexy underwent open-heart surgery 2/23.

Skilled Nursing: Diane Baughman (recovering from seizure)

Favorable test results: Norman Adams, Jimmy Naskrent

Surgery: Jo-Caroll Mueller (right knee replacement 2/22), Jim Straker (eye cancer surgery 2/26), Evelyn Stuhr (cancer surgery on foot), Gary Schmidt (Afib 2/23), Thelma Oberndorfer (cancer surgery)

Fractured knee: Sandy Leger

Safe pregnancy: Kasey Armstrong, Leah Kauffman, Lindsey Savage, Kristen Wilbanks

Treatment: Eddie Meyer, Jody Valentine, Gene Zoch, Larry Kendrick (rehab)

Strength & healing: Steve Căka, John Coon, Bill Dellaughter, Alvin Fritsche, Patricia Goodrum, Chuck Hall, Ally Hilsher, Randi Jensen, Detlef Kemnitz, Joy Lunsford, Donna Nalley, Ruth Pietsch, Dave Spencer, Sue Struckmeyer, Jim Nitsch

Ongoing: David Amezcua, Oliver Biehle, Shirley Correll, Pam Dougherty, Carol Fritsche, Doris Hackemack, Shirley Harris, Lance Holman, Kat Hooper, Kourtney Garcia, Thelma Johnson, Janice Jolley, Lawyer family, Susan Malson, Della Markert, Shirley May, Lesley McBride, Leah McDaniel, Buddy McSpadden, Lillian Naskrent, Kathy Temple, Geneva Wilson, Arlene Wottrich, Michelle Wright & our shut-ins

Studying for churchwork career: Emily Cherington, Emily Thaelke, Olivia Thaelke

Military: Kyle Aisenbrey / GA, Paul Crabtree IV / HI, Lena Eckert, Viktor Fritsche / OK, Caleb Gerard / VA, Luke Gerard / USNA, Jonathan Hardin / HI, Zachary Manriquez / USS George Bush, Nathan Reynoso / CA, James Thompson / VA, Clayton Wilbanks / KY

Luther Classical College, education for godly vocations & Christian culture
Rev. Richard Wokoma in Nigeria, training indigenous pastors
Rev. James May, Lutherans In Africa, establishing seminary, Nairobi, Kenya

Family & Friends

For the family of Tina Tillman (Fritsche friend) who is now in Heaven with Jesus
Hospital: Galen Johnson (Lowery friend), Eileen Maxwell (Listi), Charlotte & Harvey Pohler (Avery)

Surgery: Jim Burghard (2/19, Bonnie Moore's father)

Cancer: Joe Bailey (Pugh friend), Jon Baker (D White's dad), Mary Jack Barto (Hester), Toby Bucholtz (Willis), Nancy Chambers, Frank Fischer (Rose BIL), Dominick (Freudenstein), Kenneth Fritsche (Al's son), Kennedy Cloutier & Judy Snyder (Guevara), Jean Haire (Coon), Janie Hotze, Lillie Lim, Marleah MacDougal (Banes), Dennis Quinn (Swannie BIL), Carli Seipel (Lawyer), Pennie Stewart (Manriquez), Stephen Straker, Vicky & Roxanne (Stuhr)

Safe pregnancy: Rachel (Skweres) Clary, Courtney Ratcliff (Wilbanks)

Treatment: Joel Kuhlmann (Listi), Pam Sparks & Suzy Weaver (Carter)

Protection: Preston McBride

Strength & healing: Barry Bailey (Smithson), Zion Baker, Lee & Sharon Bohot (Dube), Mary Synnott Cone, Marie Cox (David's mom), Elaine Freudenstein, Sherry Gates (Seyffert), Anna Griffin (Naumann), Lisa Jahn, Jessica Jolly (Hilsher), Jackie Jones (Bitner's sister-in-law), Pion Kotico (O'Neill), Lupe Manriquez (Andy's mom), Paul Manriquez, Megan Nitsch (Scott & Angie's niece), Dalton & Deanne Noack, Priscilla Padalino, Idena Petty (Diane Kemnitz' mom), Carolyn Reed (McBride), Ruth Schulze (Naskrent), Naomi (Shaw Niece), Carolyn Stuhr, Sharyn Tanton (Listi), Priscilla Wessels (K Clothier's mother), Katie Whitis, Freddie Zoch, Baby Benjamin & Wanda Zoeller

Ongoing: Chris Birnbaum, Linda Bumgarner (C Erickson's mom), Johnnie Căka, Keith Chapman, Gladys Fenneberg, Betty Hunt (Kasper's sister), Tim Walther, Benny & Lillian Mitschke (Kasper), Madison Cooper (Robert's niece), Charles Hartfiel (Blackmar), Margret Klar, Katy & Gayland (Kleb), Satu Laine, Kenny & Tanya Licon, Lynn Redfern, Edith Prior (Lankford), Leona Panas (Naskrent), Gloria & Wilbert Woelfel (Noack)

Military: Jacob Arnold / HI, Cody Carlisle / Afghanistan, Michael Davis / Afghanistan, Morgan Foster / WA, Cale Fulton / KS, Alex Goodrum / GA, Josh Harris / CA, Travis Holland / VA, Ryan Kemnitz / OH, Isaiah Kotico / deployed, Ivan Kotico/TX, Travis McPheters / TX, Jake Miller / TX, Daniel Mushinski / GA, SrA Jacob Norris / NV, Nathan Pauls / TX, Zachary Wied / TX