

Pray for Those with Cancer & their Caregivers

Brown, Darrell (Debbie Bartlett's brother-in-law) Non-Hodgkin's Lymphoma.
Hamburger, Dr. Arthur (friend of Mitch Porias) Prostate and pancreatic cancer.
Hamilton, Lorraine (Les Hamilton's daughter-in-law) Cancer.
Henzel, Kevin (Robin Bunting's brother) Diagnosed with leukemia.
Kingston (foster child of Melody Marze's brother Bill Jessup & wife Barbara) Terminal Neuroblastoma Cancer.
Markham, Lonnie (Rebecca Nichols' father) Cancer has returned.
Morrish, Linda (Kathy Acree's sister) Leukemia & other health issues.
Myer, Linda (LeVelle Calbat's stepdaughter) Lung cancer. Started treatment.
Pall, Dan (Kathy Acree's brother-in-law) Throat cancer. His wife Laura as caregiver and cancer survivor. Two tears found in his heart, beating slow.
Roush, Hunter (Summer Rivenbark's nephew, 10) Leukemia, in remission.
Schreiber, Dr. Doug—Cancer.
Sloan, Sharon (Ronnie Van Winkle's sister). Cancer returned in, around lungs.
Svobic, Willey (Mae Edward's friend) Colorectal cancer. Recovering from colon resection.

Soldiers in U.S.A. and those on foreign soil

PRAY for our military and their families and for our country.

BONHAM, Deanna—U.S. Marine stationed in Fort Lee, Virginia.
EWING, Jake—U.S. Army.
HEBERT, Jacob (Hatfield's nephew) U.S. Marines, stationed in Norway.
PARKER, Dawn (Eunice Sitton's cousin) Nurse in Saudi Arabia.
SEILEY, Josh (Bryan & Donna Lowe's grandson) Ramstein AFB, Germany.
SELMAN, Paige (Carl DeAngelo's niece) Air Force, stationed in Coco Beach, Fla.
SHEPHERD, Roy —Stationed at Ramstein AFB, Germany.
SHAW, Gavin (Mae Edwards' grandson) Army National Guard.

Hope

POWERLINE

Wednesday, January 25, 2023

CHANGES EVERYTHING

Sunday Sermon (January 22, 2023)

Pastor Blake Nichols

Sermon Title: Your Next Chapter: **Hope Changes Everything!**

Text: Romans 15:13, Ezekiel 37:1-14, Acts 12:1-19

Definition: Hope that the future can be better than what it is now...and I can be part of making it happen. It is not wishful thinking or optimism. Secular studies have shown the importance of hope in animals and in students in regards to their well-being.

- **Romans 5:13 NIV:** "May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you trust in Him, so that you may **overflow** with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit." Another translation: **abound** in hope.
- **Ezekiel 37:1-14** tells the story of Ezekiel and the valley of dry bones. God asked Ezekiel if the bones could live again. He told God that He alone knew. Ezekiel did not believe the dry bones would live again. How often do we also limit God!
- **1 Corinthians 13:13:** "...now these three remain: faith, hope and love. But the greatest of these is love." Yes, love is the greatest but faith and hope are also listed.
- **Hebrews 11:1:** "Now faith is confidence in what we hope for and assurance about what we do not see." Where there is no hope, there is no faith.

Application:

1. **Identify areas where you are struggling for hope.** Seek God for deliverance. There are no hopeless situations, only hopeless people.
2. **Remind yourself that hopelessness is a bigger problem than the problem itself.** Let your life glisten with hope and do not believe the lies of the enemy.
3. **Remember Who God is.** Imagine what He is able to do as we trust and obey Him. Follow the example of Joseph and walk in hope. Don't look at current situation.
4. **Surround yourself with people of hope.** Hope begets hope.

Let us be people of hope...and a church of hope.

Ongoing Requests

MEMBERS:

BROWN, Connie—Health issues.
BUNTING, Robin—Lymphatic fibrosis.
CERMIN, Lenora—Health issues.
COLLMORGEN, Jeremy—Life issues.
HAMILTON, Les—Health issues.
LUTZ, Konner (Theresa Miller's grandson) Job's Syndrome.
NICHOLS, Barbara (Pastor's mother) Health issues.
SCHIWART, Stella—Serious kidney issues.
SCHOENVOGEL, Angie—Health issues.
SCHULTZ, Dolly—Health issues.
WOOTEN, Roy—Recovery from shoulder surgery.
WRIGHT, RuthAnn—Homebound member.

NON-MEMBERS:

BLESSING, Mark & Rhonda— Missionaries to Ukraine.
CULLEN, Eric (father of Erin & Emily). Massive stroke.
NORTON, Pat (Nancy Bryant's father) In Navasota nursing home. Health.
PALL, Linda (Kathy Acree's sister) Health issues, fluid around & in lungs.
PUGH, Susan (Jeri Russell's sister) Placed on hospice. Pray for son, caregiver.
ROLAND, Melvin & Ruby (Susan Ogg's parents) Health issues.
RYLEE, Susan (Lenora Cermin's daughter) Heart issues.
SANCHEZ, Baby Atticus (son of Donna Underwood's friend) Health issues.
SMITH, Amparo (Lenora Cermin's sister-in-law) Health issues.
SNOW, Sydney (Mary's granddaughter) Health issues.
TRENT, Wanda (Devra Wooten's mother) Recovery from surgery, broken hip.

Sunday School is at 9 am, Worship Services are at 10:30 am.

Church office hours are 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Monday-Friday.
Services air on Facebook live every Sunday and may also be viewed after original airing on our Facebook page or website.

Prayer Requests & Praises

- **Gary Calbat** (LeVelle's stepson) He is guardian for 3 grandkids with special needs. Concern for their future when he passes away.
- **Emily Cullen** is in need of prayer for health issues and stress from her father's serious health problems from a massive stroke. Please pray for God's comfort to bring her peace.
- **Christian sympathy** to the family of **Thomas Fitch**. Visitation is January 27th from 4-7 pm and services January 28th at 2 pm, both at Canon Funeral Home.



OTHER:

- Pastors & Churches especially persecuted churches.
- Area Ministries.
- People of Ukraine & their fight for freedom.
- Government leaders.

Pray for WBC Ministerial & Office Staff and their families.

Pastor Blake Nichols and wife Rebecca
Pastor Chris May and wife Marisa
Charley & Jeri Russell
LeVelle Calbat and **Carolyn Collmorgen**