



First Prayer

Prayer Ministry
First Baptist Church

Ministry Update
June 20, 2008

**Pray that FBC Ministries will lead people to focus on
Knowing Christ, Becoming Like Christ and Making Christ Known**

Recreation Ministry

“In the same way your Father in heaven is not willing that any of these little ones should be lost.” - Matthew 18:14

**Pray for John R. Edmondson, Sr.,
Interim Activities Coordinator**



Pray for the Youth Softball League:

- ~14 games from June 17 to July 22...pray for safe travel and safety for players, coaches and fans in the heat of summer
- ~Pray for good sportsmanship among players, coaches and fans
- ~Pray for the unsaved to accept Christ
- ~Pray for Jesus Christ to receive the all the glory



“Therefore let us approach the throne of grace with boldness, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help us at the proper time.” -Hebrews 4:16

Pray for FBC Members

- ◆ Holiness
- ◆ A Spirit of Repentance
- ◆ Morality
- ◆ Revival
- ◆ Prayer Ministry Support
- ◆ Men’s Accountability Groups
- ◆ Exit One Church Plant
- ◆ Missions Giving
- ◆ Young Family Outreach

**“No prayer is complete that does not include a prayer of protection for the family.”
- Warren Wiersbe**



Pray for Upward Basketball Camp at FBC:

- Monday, July 28—Friday, August 1
- ~K—2nd grade boys and girls, 9 am—12 pm
- ~3rd and 4th grade boys and girls, 1 pm—4 pm
- ~Pray for travel safety and for an injury free camp
- ~Pray for great fellowship and souls to be saved

Upward Mission Statement: *To introduce children to Jesus Christ by creating opportunities to serve through sports.*

“Whatever you ask in My name, that will I do, that the Father may be glorified in the Son.” John 14:13



Pray for Specific Prayer Requests from Worship Communication Cards and Prayer Room Cards (names are excluded to protect privacy)

Week of June 15, 2008: *All deployed soldiers*...also, her father with cancer not doing well with treatments...also, asking for patience with family and kids and her grandmother with Parkinson's has been in hospital and now needs full time care; **A sister** feeling poorly, has a college exam soon and has a mole suspected to be cancerous due to be removed on June 26; **A deployed Major** as well as all deployed military and their families; **A woman** who was recently baptized and a man encouraging prayer of protection from our enemies as a nation; **A woman** due to have back surgery June 23; **A soldier** in Iraq due home in three and a half months...also, pray for his wife and son; **A family** with travel, health and guidance needs...also, pray for an injured woman and a man with health problems and his wife caring for him; **A family** asks for continued prayer for their home to sell; **A sister** with kidney failure in a distant location; **A woman** divorcing her homosexual spouse needs prayer for emotional and spiritual warfare...also, financial situation is difficult; **A sister** who has been sick for three days; **A family** struggling with a defiant child; **A 16 year old young man** who jumped from a moving vehicle suffering broken bones and a head injury...also, pray for his family; **A seven week old baby** recently tested for a heart murmur and taking medicine for acid reflux...the hope is that his heart will heal itself and he will be retested in six months.

Week of June 8, 2008: *The family* of a nine month old baby passing away after being taken off of life support and months of health battles; **A grandmother** in the hospital; **A woman** having surgery 6/18/08 for a hernia the size of a football; **A nephew** turning 23 years old; **A husband** struggling with addictions that is breaking the family apart...has a wife and two children; **A nephew** who is also a marine serving in Afghanistan and unsaved; **A woman** with cancer spreading needs healing, comfort and please no suffering. . .also pray for *a man* in his job, health and struggling to be in the world but not of it; **A cousin** with cancer and not at peace with the Lord. . .also pray for *a couple*; **A seven week old baby** having tests done for acid reflux and a heart murmur...father had a heart murmur requiring open heart surgery; **A family** with an unspoken; **A father** had a stroke this week and is not doing well; **A recent college graduate** asking prayer as she seeks a job and provisions also asks for her two female friends with the same need; **Unknown** requesting wisdom in regards to potential job change and possible relocation in Clarksville to new school zone and a more accommodating home; **A 14 year old boy** with returning CML (leukemia) after being in remission since a bone marrow transplant in 2007 for the same...he was planning to return to school in the fall but now needs aggressive chemotherapy...he and his family are having a very hard time...asking the Lord's will...his uncle died of the same disease when he was in his thirties; **A college age man** with many struggles at home and with his family really needing God's help to get through it; **An elementary age girl** with a sick dog, her best friend recently moved to GA and she may not see her again, and her father is serving in Afghanistan has “been in fights”; **A family** selling their home...it seems it might sell to a Christian family...also, one of the parents with dementia in a nursing home; **A friend** in a helicopter crash having back surgery...he and his family need prayer; **A woman** with major health issues and *a sister*; **A man** who is very ill and his wife; **A man** who stopped to help someone on the roadside was struck by another car...he is in critical condition at Vanderbilt.

Week of June 1, 2008: *A missionary couple* leaving their assignment in Malaysia in a few months asking prayer for all of their work to continue and that the Lord send local pastors and pray for their health; **A brother** with cancer began chemotherapy 6/6 needing 12-18 weeks, 4-5 rounds; **A mother** in a nursing home after hospitalization...family asking that she feels the love of God, grows in patience and strength through Christ's love; **A family** adjusting to the loss of a loved one and other turmoil in their lives; **A grandfather** with cancer in his brain, lungs and liver beginning radiation; **A woman** in her second round of chemotherapy with four weeks to go; **The family** of a woman found by her teenage grandson after she collapsed and passed away...she had a very close bond with the one who found her; **A woman** praising God for a teaching position with middle school students also asking that she and her Christian principle and others will be spreading the love of Christ.

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