



First Prayer

Prayer Ministry
First Baptist Church

Missionary Update
May 30, 2008

Pray for Missionaries sent out from FBC, Clarksville, TN

“How then shall they call upon Him in whom they have not believed? And how shall they believe in Him whom they have not heard? And how shall they hear without a preacher?... How beautiful are the feet of those who bring glad tidings of good things!” Romans 10:14-15



“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

Lighthouse Baptist Church

Hispanic Mission Church Sponsorship by FBC

Pastor: Freddy Valcarcel

This Hispanic mission church has outgrown their present rented facility and the contract ends June 30, 2008. The average Sunday AM attendance is 35 to 40. The Associational Missionary, Dennis Pulley, and his Associate, Wally Vinson, commend Freddy to FBC. He was ordained to the gospel ministry in 2006 by Trinity Baptist Church. He affirms the Baptist Faith and Message, and he believes the Bible to be infallible and inerrant. Pastor Freddy Valcarcel and his wife have five children. This proposal has worked its way through the Senior Pastor, the Executive Staff and Deacon Officers. It has been approved by the Missions Committee. The Deacons approved this proposal Sunday, May 18. It was presented to FBC in business session Wednesday, May 28 and passed. Associate Pastor Bill Graham will be the supervisor of the Hispanic Mission Pastor. The SS space would be in the lower level of FAITH. The worship service would be in the lower level of HOPE across from the gym.

Prayer Requests:

1. Transition planning
2. New opportunity to reach Hispanic for Jesus
3. Welcoming this church into the FBC family

Pray for Ongoing Clarksville Missions



*Vacation Bible School

June 2-6

*Deaf Ministry

Classes weekly & other opportunities for service

*Prayer Ministry

Prayer warriors needed 6am-6pm so that FBC sees lives changed & souls saved for God's glory

*Overflow 235 Coffee House

Many weekly activities

*Exit 1 Church Plant

Worship Sundays, 9 am & 10:30 am at The Great Escape Theatre

Children's ministry volunteers needed

*Military Ministry

Various activities and ministry opportunities; volunteers needed

IMB Prayer Requests

imb.org (select PRAY)

~ Unengaged Peoples of Central, Eastern and Southern Africa

~ Munich, Germany

~ Kamma (Khah-mah) of South India

~ Hausa (HOW-suh) of West Africa

~ Rural Mestizos (mes-TEE-sohs) of Durango, Mexico

~ Japan

~ Northern Chilenos (chee-LAY-noh) of Chile

~ Sofia (SOH-fee-uh), Bulgaria

~ China

NAMB Requests

namb.net/prayerrequests

Forsaking First Love

“. . . You have forsaken your first love. . .” (Rev. 2:4, NIV)

Father, forgive us for breaking Your heart and grieving Your Spirit by unloving relationships with one another. Help us return to a biblical love to You and Your people. In Jesus' name, amen.

Upcoming FBC Mission Trips

Brazil	June 13-22	37 people
Africa	July 10-20	11 people
Boston	July 19-26	30 people
Africa	September 20-30	
Gulfport, MS	October 11-14	

“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 May 25, 2008: **A 16 year old daughter** very sick with a sore throat expecting to see the doctor; **A wife** praising God that she and her husband are back in church after he broke his left after Easter...he still can't put weight on his foot but the church wheelchairs are helping...he has been working half days but for a week now has worked a whole day; **A man** recovering from a serious motorcycle accident; **A sister** who is very sick in OH and another sister who is sick in the hospital locally; **A man** beginning cancer treatments May 23; **A sister** just finding out that she has cervical cancer; **A man** having surgery May 30 on his foot...after recovery he and his wife return to Sudan to continue serving with Samaritan's Purse.

Week of May 18, 2008: **A soldier** who lost both feet in Afghanistan two weeks ago, was sent to Germany initially and expected to go through rehabilitation at Walter Reed; **A woman** with non-hodgkin's lymphoma having a procedure, cryofiltration, on an outpatient basis five days a week...she is suffering many other complications including an enlarged heart and panic disorder; **A woman** with brain cancer; **A son** needing to come to church, accept Christ and be baptized and improve his behavior...also pray for the mother's four children and two grandchildren; **A woman** with lymphoma. . .two different woman needing guidance and two different couples needing guidance; **A son** with Crohn's Disease and depression just recently in court for a situation that could place him in jail...asking for mercy, God's will and all to accept the outcome; **A man** who is also a guardian of a boy...they are dealing with trial and need God's protection; **A woman** with cancer in lymph nodes and lung; **A 34 year old woman** with four children diagnosed with two malignant brain tumors; **A woman** who lost her mother also needing a breast biopsy; **A doctor** going on a mission trip in June...for the people to experience healing and comfort, for the families left behind and for a safe trip; **A man** in his forties with final stage cancer...he has a wife and family; **A woman** with medical problems and a deployed husband; **A man** that lost his job needing to change locations; **A baby** with a diaphragm that is not working properly; **A family** with financial needs...health problems have put a huge strain on finances but God is providing...they desire to always give praise for His provision; **A missionary wife** struggling yet thankful for God's protection.

Previous Requests: **A brother** with cancer and a broken femur suffered this week...radiation is complete and chemo starts soon...pray also for the brother ministering to him personally; **A mother** who collapsed and was admitted to the hospital...family lives away; **A pastor** seriously injured in a car accident last week...he is in the ICU on a ventilator near death; **A mother** praising God for His provision the past 11 years without her husband...daughter also lost nine months ago; **A man** recovering at home in great pain after neck surgery and leukemia treatment...needs healing and strength...also, his wife is caring for him; **A missionary couple** in Malaysia...husband is traveling and leaving wife alone...they ask prayer for a young unsaved man and missionaries in Myanmar; **a pair of sisters** with health problems; **A woman** in the hospital; **Fallen soldiers' families.** . .a husband being deployed with two children. . . Deployed soldiers and families; **A grandmother** who has been a great blessing was given six months to live due to metastatic cancer...asking for peace and no suffering or healing if it is the Lord's will...also pray for the son and daughter and family; **Children and three grandchildren;** **A couple** asking prayer for a mother in a nursing home with several block-ages...also, they need to sell their home (on market since January) and asking the Lord to send a new realtor after current contract expires; **A woman** praying for her father going through hard times. . .also, her husband is in Afghanistan needing safety.

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