



# First Prayer

Prayer Wall Ministry  
First Baptist Church

Staff Update  
June 13, 2008

## Pray for our Staff Members at FBC

Pray that they will be people of prayer devoted to the God of prayer (Jeremiah 9:23-24), and that God will release His power in ways that cause people to recognize His hand and His work in their midst. May God reveal Himself in supernatural ways (Jeremiah 29:13).



Pray for our church staff as they meet every Tuesday from 9:00 AM to 11:00 AM.



## Pray for FBC Missions Staff

“Pray for the FBC Missions Staff to be filled with the Holy Spirit in such a way that the Lord’s work will be accomplished noticeably with His power.

Pray for the Brazil Mission Team, June 13-22



**Bill Graham**, Associate Pastor of Missions & Ministry

His wife: Mary Lou

They have two children and two grandchildren.



**Jared Hodges**, Ministry Assistant for Missions & Ministry

His wife: Mandi

They have two children.



**John Lee**, Korean Minister

His family serves with him at First Baptist.



**Chris Edmondson**, Church Planter, Exit One Baptist Church

His wife: Kim

They have three children.



**Freddy Valcarcel**, Hispanic Church Pastor, Lighthouse Baptist Church

He and his wife have five children.



**Second team dispatched to China in response to the recent earthquake.**

The team of four is exploring ways Southern Baptists can help people in need in the aftermath of the May 12 earthquake that struck Sichuan province.

Team members are cross-trained and credentialed in trauma assistance, construction, and children’s camps and will work with directors to identify intermediate and long term opportunities in school reconstruction, training caregivers in trauma response, and conducting children’s camps.

They arrive in Chengdu June 11 and are expected to be on the ground there for seven days.

Please continue to pray for the people traumatized by the earthquake and for those involved in relief efforts. Ask God to connect those who care with those who are in need.

**“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 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.

**Previous Requests:** **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.

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