



First Southern Baptist Church of Avondale

Prayer Requests, January 17, 2018

These prayer requests are distributed at our Wednesday evening events, on the following Sunday morning, and over the internet. We believe strongly in prayer!

The Essentials

Basic Christian Beliefs and Practices

Begins January 21 at 8:30 or 11:00 am

What We Believe & How We Live



This is my column in our weekly newsletter:

To understand or play football, you need to know some basic terms (offense, defense, special teams, first down, man-to-man, zone, blitz, etc.), know the basic rules (how to score, what's allowable, what's illegal), and have some basic skills, such as blocking, tackling, passing, and running. If you don't know the terminology and the rules and you have no skills, it is a frustrating game.

That's true of any sport, job, or hobby.

It's also true of Christianity. We need to know our basic beliefs, our basic terminology, the basic instructions for living the Christian life, and we need to learn the basic skills.

Those are the things we are going to study and learn beginning this Sunday in *The Essentials, What We Believe and How We Live*.

We invite you to attend, and to invite others to attend with you!

Pray for me, for the church, and for God's Spirit to draw others as we begin this new series!

Connection Card Prayer Requests

Sunday, January 14

Clay Nichols – Truth and peace.

Danny & Mandy Dayal – Anxiety for Mandy & daughter Daniella.

Georgina – I'm a believer who wants to re-ignite my relationship with the Lord. Pray that I find the right

job and thanks to the church for all they do with the IHELP program. It's a blessing!

Q Morris – Preston's grandma to be well.

Kermia Stafford – Willie and Kermia - flu. Tonya & Rita - travel mercies.

Henry Fergus – My mother having trouble getting around, my daughter Krystal as she finishes her senior year and prepares to go to GCU, my doctoral pursuits at GCU, the students that Diane and I work with, Glenda Burson family, our country, congregation and church.

Tami Morgan – My job. My mom's treatments.

LaRetta Balderrama – Daddy (Bill Swindle) has skin cancer on his arm. Surgery will be scheduled later.

Unnamed – Kim, Jacob, Rod, Randy, Andy, Andrew, our country and church.

Mary Toms – Graydon & Dee Ann for full recovery from the flu.

Don & Rachel Morgan – Jolene, Dwight, Walt & Hala, Rendell, Christina, Rosa – health; Caregivers, Men's Ministry, our country.

Robert Aranda – Those who lost hope. For those who are afraid to stand back up.

Unnamed – Thank you Lord for blessing us with new/next generation who will continue to preach and proclaim Your Name. Glory be to Your Holy Name Amen.

Joyce Clayborn – Johnson family and William Booker.

Unnamed – Jolene Darden.

Yazzmine Long – My friend Alex will get better.

Unnamed – Ford & Martin family as they have lost a loved one. Ford family from Avondale. Martin family from Ajo.

Jerimiah – My grandma's back and knees.

Isabel Tapia – Deliverance from all negativity in my life and from those that try to bring me down. To successfully complete a needed task.

J. Benally – My relatives salvation, health, and financial help.

Jeri Burns – Matthew – protection while in the field in Calif.

Unnamed – Mrs. Miller from San Diego who has had a stroke.

Donna Williams – For my family especially my grandson Carter in Basic Training. Praise God for a great family.

Jackie Sullivan-Fidler – Daughter Beth – relationships, granddaughter Emma illness.

Robert Hubbard – All of the family.

Jim & Joy Stewart – Dale Campbell serious health problems, Jolene Darden, Linda my neighbor salvation.

Unnamed – Michael Bearup, health, job, life in general.

Vanessa Fish – My family, son, work, fears I'm facing, strengthen my faith/hope in God, & unspoken.

Unnamed – Gail pure heart sound mind.

Trish Johnson – My back.

Connie Honey – Health issues.

Howard Doyle – (1) George C.– hospice. (2) Dick N. – health. (3) Rick S. – health. (4) Mike O. – death in family.

Samantha Whitacre – Things to get better financially, even if it means moving back to Texas.

Paula Reigelsperger – Hamilton Tyler; he is very weak but stable. Back in the hospital. Keep praying for healing, strength & confidence.

Evelyn Long – Salvation for family & friends. Dwight & Lenoria, Jerold & Jolene and all who are ill.

Preston Swindle – Q's grandma, mom and dad, momma, Mrs. Julie and her mom, Butch, grandma and grandpa.

Jaquay family – Manterola family - peace/comfort as they grieve for the oldest family member.

Kay Bosley – unspoken for family/work issues. Also, situation of my friend Cheryl's life.

Deborah Leuthold – Ralph Castaneda as he selects music for his AGT audition Feb. 24. For a member's marriage that will end unless God intervenes. For God to provide the means to pay off the MAC mortgage and to provide two vehicles to be given to the church on Dominca.

Sharon – Wanda Holmes, Jerry Wayne (Syria), Dwight & Lenoria, Jolene, Jerold, Edie, Jane & Gaylord Lee, church staff, our missions & ministries, our nation, President & family, our leaders (national & state), those suffering loss, praise for surgeon that worked with Dwight.

Keli Blankenship – My mama - serious health issue, Tyler & Alan – salvation, Jolene Darden – health, Zach (grandson) to make right (God led) choices, our president & country.

Don Johnson – Thanking the Lord for my new house and thanking Him for my family.

Mark Blankenship – Grandson Zachary for direction and protection.

Unknown – Everyone who is fighting with their own demons, that they see Gods love.

Church Members in the Military

Call us with the names of others!

Chris Ray, Melanie Deleree, Dustin Camden, Pete Lucero, Timothy Eddy, Joe Hernandez, Brent Morrison, Antonio Torres, Kyle and Ryan Brees, Lieren Stanley, Jayson and Matthew Burns, Samuel Davis, Haley Middleton, Caleb Timberman, Matthew Lee, Roydel Pinder Jr.

Church Events to Pray For

From the Church Calendar.

Worship, Bible Study, NLPC, Mission of Mercy, NewSong, IHELP Ministry, Celebrate Recovery, Life Groups, Basketball Season

Missionaries We Pray For

Local, American and International

Bryan Uebel - *Crossroads Christian Fellowship, New River*

Matt Jacobsen – *The Edge, Buckeye*

Deliverance Baptist Church - *Dominica*

Other Prayer Requests

From phone, internet, class lists, etc.

Barbara, Bryan, Michael & Angie, Taylor family and James – Salvation.

Bea, Andrew & Bo – Uplift.

Ruby & Harold Armstrong – Health.

Robert Newman – Health.

Buck Tolleson – Health.

Rendell Morgan – Health.

Kelly C. – Health.

Jerold & Jolene Darden – Health.

Hamilton Tyler – Health.

Gail Q. - Health.

Louise Stephens – Health.

Georgia Hutchinson – Health.

Shelby & Margaret – Health.

Jane Irby – Health.

Dwight Johnson – Health.

Edie – Health.

Walt and Hala – Health.

Family of Glenda Burson.

IHELP Team Meeting. I would like to have a team meeting tonight at 7:30. We will meet in Building D following prayer meeting. I would appreciate all team members being present for this meeting.