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**ST. PAUL PRAYER LIST – Week of January 24, 2021**

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1. **We pray for those celebrating birthdays this week:** *Steve Fruechtenicht, Helen Genter, Zachary Harrison, Carol Reese, Jane Seuser, Michael Bednarz & Nash Sloop.* Happy Birthday!  
\* Psalm 104:33 – “*I will sing praise to my God as long as I live!*”
  
2. **We lift up our loved ones with health concerns:**
  - + Matt Waymire (medical consultation this Thursday will determine if further hip surgery is needed)
  - + Nancy Fruechtenicht (the 2<sup>nd</sup> cataract surgery is this coming Wednesday)
  - + Cindy Hammons (who will undergo double cataract surgeries, starting in March)
  - + Louise (friend of Barbara Regnier, dealing with a number of health issues)
  - + Jess Thacker (former SPL teacher & friend of Helen Genter, with vascular issues in his ankle)
  - + Patsy Pennington (Rhonda Crute’s mother, suffered hairline fractures to her shoulder from a fall)
  - + Paul Pennington (Rhonda Crute’s father, has been diagnosed with COVID)
  - + Laszlo Tabroluski (co-worker of Rhonda Crute recently diagnosed with MS)
  - + Sharon Adams (observing a restricted diet to treat gastritis)
  - + Tillie Pike (friend of Margaret Hanawalt, at Providence due to infection from ruptured appendix)
  - + Terrence Gonzalez (3-yr-old nephew of LaVonne Scott) has begun treatment for leukemia)
  - + Bernie Roller (friend of Don & Eleanor Denney, who is now in Hospice Care)
  - + David Berger (Helen Genter’s cousin, who has been hospitalized with ongoing neurological issues)
  - + Monica Collins (being treated for 3 compromised discs, likely not requiring surgery)
  - + Paula Darling (Diane Curry’s friend, has returned to hospital for continued treatment of acute leukemia)
  - + Becca Simms (Darlene Market’s daughter, recuperating at home after jaw-replacement surgery)
  - + Linette Wilson (friend of Joey Denney, MRI set for later this month – tumors are enlarging)
  - + Sandy Hooper & Grace Polley (both being served by Hospice Care)
  - + **and those who battle cancer:** Jeff Amthor; Carol Beisert; Susie Beying; Helen Bowman; Sherry Byrd; Jean Carson; Karen Curto; John Denney; Jeff Ford; Georgeann Geis; Heidi Hammell; Donna Humble; Melissa Johnson; Linda Koenig; Lydia Landfair; Megan Langley; Jolene Lichty; Debbie Lober; Judy Matthijetz; Jim McCarty; Ed Milburger; Marilyn Miller; Dale Niece; Paul Niece; Sue Pitts; Paul Printiss; Nadine Ruffer; Mike Schmolt; Lyn St. Louis; Tommy Shomaker; David Schwinn; Kristen Seka-Caradonna; Greg Smith; Jerry Thompson; Marga VanVelzer; Linda Vernon; Dave Wiseman; Doris Woodward; Dave Zakutny; Megan; anonymous

\* James 5:16 – “*Pray for each other, so that you may be healed.*”
  
3. **We seek the Lord’s blessing** for: ... Steve & Jane Wagoner (and her father, Ray), at the death of her mother, Retta Puvogel; ... Daniel & Meghan Mease (and her aunt, Denise), at the death of her uncle, Nick LaForgia; ... Angie Thacker, at the death of her husband, Jess (former SPL teacher); ... those who yet deal with the effects of the pandemic – individuals, families, schools, businesses and churches.  
\* Genesis 28:3 – “*May God almighty bless you!*”
  
4. **We raise up the ministry of the Gospel** – especially: ... January’s “Mission of the Month” – our local CASA (Court Appointed Special Advocates) program (donations total \$785); ... in defense of the sanctity of human life, especially as the “Value Them Both” amendment is once again being debated in our State legislature; ... the work of our Teacher Call Committee, seeking two additional LCMS Commissioned Ministers to join our faculty; ... all of our congregational ministries – that the Lord would use them (and us) to bring people to know His saving grace.  
\* Romans 1:16 – “*The gospel ... is the power of God for the salvation of everyone who believes.*”
  
5. **We pray for our Nation:** ... at the start of a new Presidential term of office; ... those in our Armed Forces, especially those deployed in defense of our safety and liberties: *John Crowley & Willie Williams, III* (Afghanistan); *Wilson Gauf* (Bahrain); *Shelby Long* (Iraq); & *Steven Shelton* (Korea).  
\* Psalm 121:8 – “*The Lord will watch over your coming and going, both now and forevermore.*”