

Prayer Concerns

Requests are left for 3 months, **the start date, month and year, is listed at the end of request.** Please notify the office of updates.

Our country and those in leadership
His House Ministries

Kevin Farrar—Diagnosed with rheumatoid lung 9/20

Susan Alexander (Ann Abbott's daughter) - Continued health issues 9/20

John Armstrong (Tom's brother) - Stage 4 prostate cancer, chemo done for now 9/20

Gary Ferns (Mary Armstrong's bro) - Immunotherapy for stage 4 renal cancer 9/20

Gary Matheny (Dave's brother) - Approved for lung and kidney transplant, please pray the VA will pay for it 9/20

MacArthur Family (Chamberlain) - Going through difficult situation 9/20

Dianne Baker—Aneurism while in Ohio, slowly doing better, hoping for rehab soon 11/20

Nancy LeGreve-Smith's nephew—12 year old with ulcerative colitis, treatment soon 10/20

Nancy LeGreve-Smith's bro-in-law Tom and wife Marlene—He is in care home and can't see family. Marlene is lonely at home 11/20

Juanita Strange (Mark's Mom) - Serious health issues 11/20

Emily, Phyllis Miller's sister—In car accident due to neurological issues 11/20

Tom Crimin—Cancer 1/21

Angie Falk (friend of Amanda Mudloff) - Home from UofM, prayers her insurance will pay for in home help. She has cerebral palsy and can't care for herself 12/20

Ruth Kins (Gary used to preach at Rosedale) - Inoperable stenosis of the lower back, in much pain. 12/20

Bob Johnston (friend of Mike Mariuzza) - Needs liver transplant, has to move to Minnesota to be near hospital for when liver is available 12/20

Leslie Mitchell (Dave Matheny) - Very sick, now in Petoskey for testing 12/20

Jodi Eastman—Seizure, now on medication with follow-up when back in Michigan 12/20

Family of Kevin Miller (Ray & Phyllis's son)—Passed away. Prayers for Ray and Phyllis as they grieve.

Family of Kevin Walker (Dolly Furr's step-dad) - Passed away

Ann Peasley's family, as her Uncle Frank passed away last week

Family of Doreen Pietrangelo (Dave's mom) - Passed away

Tom Krause (Gregor Krause's father) - Passed away due to Covid-19

Marcia Ward—Pancreatic cyst, in a lot of pain 1/21

January Birthdays:

Wendy Pietrangelo 1-3

Sharon Morley 1-12

Jessica Kinney 1-23

Remington Kinney 1-25

Marjorie Somes 1-25

JD Hoolsema 1-30

January Anniversaries:

Jeff & Ronda Behling 1-29-82

Mel & Sue Sparks 1-31-75

If you would like one of the elders or ministers to contact you, please call the church office at 632-6511.



Welcome to First Church of Christ! Announcements for January 17, 2021

TODAY:

Sunday School: 9:00 am

Worship—10:00 am

Kid's Church: 10:30 am (**Jan 31st is Family Sunday this month**)

Middle & High School Youth Group—6:00 pm



Streaming Worship! Visit us on Facebook at First Church of Christ Sault Ste. Marie or www.saultchurch.com and click on the Streaming WORSHIP SERVICE Sunday at 10:00 am.



Water Bottles: Please throw out the water bottles you use during worship time so others don't have to touch them. Thank you!



Prayer Requests on Sundays: Please text to **906-630-5845** for prayer at the end of the worship service and to be added to the prayer list in the bulletin.



How to give to FCOC:

1. **Offering boxes** at the back of the auditorium.
2. **Online go to www.saultchurch.com**, and scroll down to the online giving icon, click, and follow instructions.
3. **Send a check to 300 W. Spruce Street, Sault Ste. Marie, MI 49783.**

This week's giving amount: \$2,166.20

Weekly need to cover FCOC expenses: \$4,283.56

Thank you for supporting First Church of Christ!

Nursery during 10:00 am worship time, located off the lobby.

This week: LeBlanc Next week: Rogers

PARENTS OF YOUNG CHILDREN:

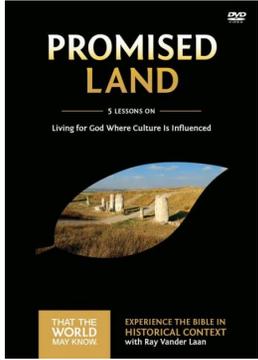
There are "Quiet Books" in a basket by the AV room door in the lobby.

New Adult Education Class! Sundays at 9:00 am

Ray Vander Laan series “Promised Land”

Learn how God guided His people to a specific place to impact the world both in ancient times and today.

Randy Peasley Leading



Middle School Sunday School Class!

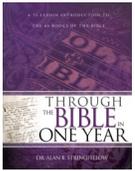
Sundays at 9:00 am

Dave Pietrangelo Leading



Through the Bible in One Year Wednesday evening class with Tom Cash:

Suspended, more info soon.



Have you checked out the FCOC Library?

We have Christian fiction, resource books, group and individual Bible Studies, biographies, books for kids and youth, and videos!



Come in and connect with your favorite Christian authors and so much more! **See the display in the lobby**, and if there is something you would like added, fill out a resource suggestion!

Contact Leslie Monroe for more information.

Let Your Light Shine Ephesians 5:8-14

Third in the series **Five Essential Resolutions for Christians**

Ephesians chapter 5 is all about change. It teaches us to be different from the world around us. Since we are different, we need to live our lives differently, love differently, and leave our old ways. Now with verse 8, Paul explains why this is so important. We live in a hard, dark world. In the midst of that darkness and depravity, God has redeemed us and expects us to be different.

1. We Are Changed

2. We Are Characterized

3. We Are Commanded

4. We Are Commissioned

5. We Are Called

More than ever in our lifetimes, this world needs the light of God. We who have it must share it. Let us resolve to let our light shine!
