First Baptist Church Weekly Newsletter

January 3rd - January 9th, 2021



On-line services will continue at least through January 10th. We will discuss re-opening at our January 11th CLT meeting.

The CLT is pleased to announce that Rev. Dr. Preston VanLoon has accepted the Interim Pastor position at First Baptist. Preston is well known to most of us as he is a member of First Baptist and he has been helping to provide pulpit supply the last few months. Preston also has experience in grief support which our congregation is in need of as we come to terms with the loss of Pastor Bob. We look forward to working with Preston during this transition time in our church. Preston's first official Sunday as Interim Pastor will be January 10th.

Annual Meeting scheduled for January 31, 2021 at 11 am.



Birthdays this Week

5th Achille Ngoma 7th Alvin Allmedinger





Wednesday

January 6th 6:00-7:30 pm



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Middle School 6:30 -8:00 pm High School 8:10 -9:10 pm

I am asking for prayer for a young lady named **Shauntaye Kopecky**. She is one of our CNA's at Baptist Health Care Center. She is 20 years old and 8 months pregnant. She was in a bad car accident December 16th by Wilton. Shantaye has multiple injuries including a head injury. They have been unable to wean her off the ventilator and she is still unresponsive. She will be getting a permanent trach today. Her baby seems to be ok. Shantaye and her family have a very long and difficult road ahead of them. Thank you. Kathy

PRAYER REQUESTS

Armin S.

Beth A (Dale & Annette E. daughter) treatment for brain tumor.

Beth, Ben and Weiss Family

Craig S - (Deb S. husband) recovering from surgery.

Deb S -In-laws with Covid

Donella E - Recovering from hospital stay.

Family of Deb B

Family of Tim R (Lund family friend) who passed away due to Covid.

Family of Roger H (Ellendale Camp Bentley friend) who passed away due to Covid.

Greenup Family in loss of Grandma.

Jeff F

Judy W - brother Kidney chemo treatments

Lisa-(Heinz family friend) who's dad died of

Lund family friends in AZ. Husband is hospitalized with COVID and wife is recovering at home.

Martha J - seeing heart specialist.

Mickey T - Out of hospital and in basic care facility.

Michelle S.-Friend of Karlene F- battling cancer.

Philippe N-Hepatitis C and autoimmune issues.

Renee H

Shauntaye Kopecky-nurse at Baptist Health Care

Scott S

Scott W

Stacy (Lund's daughter) – recovery from knee surgery.

Steve W dealing with ALS

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