



# COVECHURCH

## NEWSLETTER

### Week of 10/2/2023

#### Words of Encouragement

“Few other truths are taught in the Scriptures with as great clarity as the doctrine of the divine omnipresence. Those passages supporting this truth are so plain that it would take considerable effort to misunderstand them. They declare that God is immanent in His creation, that there is no place in heaven or earth or hell where men may hide from His presence. They teach that God is at once far off and near, and that in Him men move and live and have their being. And what is equally convincing is that they everywhere compel us to assume that God is omnipresent to account for other facts they tell us about Him.”

- A.W. Tozer

#### Pray for the Unreached

Kawa People of China

Population: 93,700 | Primary religion: Ethnic Religions | Percent Evangelical Christian: 0.20%

Pray for this people group to experience the fullness of the Holy Spirit and the overflowing, gracious love of God. There is a need for church growth. Perhaps there are cultural bridges to God that can be discovered. They have a complete Bible translation. Pray for use of the Bible translation and for them to find their bridge to God. Pray for the Holy Spirit to awaken interest in the gospel among all three groups.

#### Calendar

- Thursday: 5:30 PM - Bible Study at the church
- Friday: 9:00 AM - Prayer Time at the church
- Sunday: 10:30 AM - Worship Service

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#### Prayer Requests

- Nickie Sacco - Please pray for my friend Rachel's father, David Whitmire. The spot on his lungs has returned. He went in for a biopsy on Thursday September 21st.
- Crystal Holland - The husband of a dear friend has been diagnosed with brain cancer. Although originally given a terminal diagnosis, God has opened a door for them to see a specialist at Duke this week who believes he can help. Please pray for God's will to be done and that He will give them everything they need on this journey. Both are strong believers and are trusting Him.
- Kathy Lee - Please keep Doris Kohler and her family in your prayers. Doris's brother, Robert Burch, passed away Wednesday night after a lengthy illness.
- Marcus Lester - Update: My Mom's laser surgery went well. Thank you for your prayers.
- Debbie Phillips - My next-door neighbor, Ross Lorenz, was injured when a gas can exploded knocking him across his yard. He has sustained second and third degree burns on his right arm and both legs. He is being treated at a burn center in Georgia. Asking for prayers for healing and for his family.
- Meghan Larose - Her friend, Beth, fell and broke her hip a few days ago and had surgery to fix it. Please pray for complete healing for her.
- Please pray for Charles Salter and for healing. Update: Charles Salter was released from the hospital last week. Please continue praying or him as he recovers at home.
- Please pray for Helen Coomer and her family. Her father passed away recently. Please pray for comfort and peace.
- Please pray for Jeff Mason as he finished his second round of chemotherapy for his small cell cancer. Pray for strength and peace as he continues treatments.
- Russell & Kathy Lee - Please pray for our daughter Amy, she recently lost her home due to flooding. Pray for God's guidance, temporary housing, insurance issues, and peace for Amy.
- Russell Lee - Update: Our daughter (Amy's) heart surgery was successful. Please continue to pray for her as she is dealing with frequent high heart rates and afib.

#### Scripture Reading

Consider reading Psalm 139; Isa. 7:14 (“God with us”); Ezek. 11:20; John 1:14 in preparation for this week's sermon on the omnipresence of God.