

# Week of 11/13/2023

### Words of Encouragement

"...the final reward for every follower of Jesus Christ—dwelling with God forever! In resurrected bodies free from sin, sorrow, or suffering, we will enjoy fellowship with God in a never-ending new creation. That's what he has made possible through the gospel. But God is not only the end goal of the gospel; he is also its Author. In fact, he is the Author, or Creator, of all things and all people, including you and me."

- David Platt

## Pray for the Unreached

Bangka People in Indonesia

Population: 447,000 | Primary religion: Islam | Percent Evangelical Christian: .00%

Pray that there would be economic prosperity in the Bangka community, and that the Lord would be faithful in providing financial resources to struggling families. Pray that the small group of Christ followers among the Bangka would rise up in courage and share the love of Christ with their unbelieving neighbors. Pray for spiritual hunger among the Bangka, leading them to the cross.

## Calendar

- Friday: 9:00 AM Prayer Time at the church
  - Sunday: 10:30 AM Worship Service

## **Prayer Requests**

- Chet Peterson Please pray for him and his team as they return from their mission trip. Chet injured his shoulder on a motorbike and is recovering. Also, please pray for the Peterson's and they recover from Covid last week.
- Russell Lee Please pray for David Johnson, a friend of ours. He has pancreatic cancer.
- Please pray for the shelter during this season. Please pray for resources to come in, and for the volunteers. Also, please pray for the individuals who visit the shelter. Pray that they would have their physical needs met, but also be confronted with the Gospel and come to saving faith.
- Please pray for Charles Salter and for healing.
- Please pray for Jeff Mason as he continues chemotherapy. Next week is his last session. Please pray that the cancer would melt away.
- 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.

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#### Scripture Reading

Consider reading 1 John 2 in preparation for this week's sermon.

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