



Prayer Concerns – Week of 12 September 2021

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- **Barbara K. – Mental health issues – Pray – Support those wanting to help – 09/09/21**
- **Jennifer K. -- Mental health issues – Pray – Speedy resolution – 09/09/21**
- **Gary B. – Pacemaker installed – Pray – Successful outcome – 09/09/21 (upd)**
- **Ricky J. – Covid-19 recovery – Pray – Continued success in recovery – 09/09/21 (upd)**
- Our new pastor (whomever that might be) – *until...*
- Olson family – Exposed to Covid – Pray – No infections/symptoms – 08/14/21
- Aaron – Covid – Pray – Complete recuperation & Healing – 08/14/21
- Newly initiated – Pray – They lead lives filled with joy and faithfulness
- Ellen E. – Suffered fall – Pray – Speedy & complete recovery – 08/10/21
- David B. – Covid – Pray – Speedy & complete recovery – 08/10/21
- Lindsey J. – Hernia surgery – Pray – Successful and speedy recovery – 08/06/21
- Chris W. – ACL replacement – Pray – Successful and speedy recovery – 08/06/21
- Salem during this time of transition – 07/30/21
- Dan – Brain Aneurism – Pray – Complete care and cure – 07/23/21
- Gretchen – Surgery – Pray – Success, treatment, healing – 07/16/21
- Esther – Decision-making difficulties – Pray – Guidance – 07/16/21
- Rob & Joyellyn & all of us – Pray – Be/stay safe from Covid in all its forms – 07/16/21
- Doris – Recovering from surgery – Pray – Continue to success!– 07/16/21
- Jim L. – Pancreatic cancer – Pray – Successful treatments – 07/06/21
- Bonnie A. – Stroke & Leukemia – Pray– Successful treatments – 07/06/21
- Luna – 2yr old w/brain cancer – Pray – 50-60% chance survival – 07/05/21 (upd)
- Phil Thomas – No coma – Pray – At home and recovering! – 07/05/21 (upd)
- Leroy Larson – Cancer & memory loss – Pray – Remission and cure – 06/25/21
- Residents & employees of Isanti health care facility closing – Pray – Speedy resolution – 06/17/21



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Gospel – Mark 9:14-29

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