

Heritage Praise & Prayer Prompter

September 10-16, 2017

Sunday, September 10

- **Daily Bible Reading** — *1 Corinthians 1*.
- **Sunday Services.** ***Praise God*** for our church where the Bible is taught from the platform and classrooms. ***Pray*** for all who minister to us today at 9:00 & 10:30. Support our ABF, youth, and children's ministries with your attendance. ***Pray*** that your time at Heritage today will enhance your love for God and others.
- **Todd & Janine Walker (VFY).** ***Praise God*** for a great start to the year of ministry at Keystone College. Several students came out for our first meeting. This will be our first full year of being an official Christian club on campus, and we have some exciting things planned. ***Pray*** for many more contacts and for the Lord to awaken hearts to their need of Jesus Christ and the light of the Gospel.

Monday, September 11

- **Daily Bible Reading** — *1 Corinthians 2*.
- **Government.** ***Pray*** for President Trump and all those who are in civil authority that God will use them (1) to lead an often-divided nation to live in peace and civility with one another, even when we disagree; (2) to have the foresight to differentiate among all the competing options in a way that benefits the country and the rest of the world; (3) to honor our Constitution and protect our rights as citizens.
- **Regular Baptist Chaplains** provide counsel in times of uncertainty, offering a biblical response to life's struggles, ensuring confidential counsel, and advising on an appropriate course of action. ***Pray*** for them when you pray for all of our military personnel.

Tuesday, September 12

- **Daily Bible Reading** — *1 Corinthians 3*.
- **Missions Committee** (from Ken Gardoski). ***Pray*** that the Missions Committee will continue to encourage our supported missionaries and have wisdom in making recommendations to the church for missions giving. The committee will meet tonight at 7:00.
- **Dr. Heather Fowler** (ABWE—Bangladesh; on furlough in U.S.). (1) ***Praise*** that God is making the work at Memorial Christian Hospital known in the hill tract region. ***Pray*** that spiritual life would be the fruit of this. (2) ***Praise*** for financial support coming in for the hospital building project. ***Pray*** for \$1.2 million needed to complete the building. There are tentative plans to move late 2018. (3) ***Pray*** that I would share God's work and Word faithfully this furlough.

Wednesday, September 13

- **Daily Bible Reading** — *Psalms 103*.
- **Awana** (from John Antolick). According to Barna research, the probability of a person accepting Christ is highest between ages 5 and 12 and their moral foundation is largely set by age 9. Additional research shows that Awana alumni are 3.6 times more likely to read their Bible several times a week and 92% still attend church weekly or more often. All of the Awana leaders are excited to play a role in this critical age group. We ***pray*** that God will open doors to disciple the 50+ K through 4th graders we expect each week—to share the Gospel with unsaved children and to see young believers grow in their relationship with Christ.
- **Doug & Sharon Martin** (ABWE Area Director for North America). ***Praise God*** (1) for safety in our travels out west meeting with supporters; (2) that the LGBT seminar continues to develop; (3) that more prayer supporters have signed up on the EveryEthne website (www.everyethne.church). ***Pray*** (1) as ABWE collects funds for churches hit by Hurricane Harvey; (2) for the Heart, Mind and Soul Muslim Seminar in South Florida that was postponed due to Hurricane Irma and will need to be rescheduled.

Thursday, September 14

- **Daily Bible Reading** — *1 Corinthians 4*.
- **Financial Stewardship.** (1) **Pray** that each member will give generously and consistently to the Lord's work at Heritage. (2) **Pray** for godly wisdom for the Finance Committee—Tom Bevan (chairman), Randy Nichols (treasurer), Andy Cross, Gene Kashuba, and Tim Kopp.
- **Summit Christian Academy** (*from Chuck Gard*). (1) School started on Sept 6 with 72 students enrolled, a 32% increase. **Praise God** for the opportunities to offer a Bible-based education to those families. (2) **Pray** for our new "Homeschool Connection" program. Jamie May will coordinate this program to offer opportunities for home-schooled students to be involved in curricular and extra-curricular activities. (3) **Pray** for spiritual growth for students in the middle grades who will attend a retreat at Rock Mountain Bible Conference Sept 14-15. (4) **Pray** for wisdom as we seek God's will for the future, especially the development of the educational program for students in grade 10-12.

Friday, September 15

- **Daily Bible Reading** — *1 Corinthians 5*.
- **Adult Bible Fellowships** (*from Paul Osborn*). Please **pray** for the Leaders (L) and Teachers (T) of our ABFs: **First Light**—Rich Benedict (L & T); **Beacon**—Jack Zabawa (L), Dave Boehning (T); **Legacy**—Dwight & Bonnie Peterson (L), Dwight Peterson (T); **Seekers**—Bruce & Sheryl Hartley, Peggy Shupp (L), David McClain (T); **Crossroad**—Todd & Janine Walker (L), Todd Walker (T); **Bykota**—Sandy & Ellen Steenback (L), Alan Ingalls (T); **Encouragers**—Allen & Rhonda Dreyer (L), Allen Dreyer (T); **Ladies Only**—Rachel Wiren (L&T); **Men Only**—David Lackey (L&T); **HSM**—Luke & Shaelyn Peterson (L), Luke Peterson (T).
- **Kristi Walker** (*ABWE—Germany*). **Pray** for the spiritual and numerical growth of our youth ministries here in Berlin this fall.

Saturday, September 16

- **Daily Bible Reading** — *Psalms 104*.
- **Rescue Mission.** **Pray** for the outreach tonight at the Keystone Mission in Scranton as we minister to those who struggle with addictions, finances, and homelessness by sharing the Gospel and a meal with them.
- **Hannah Strayer** (*ABWE—Raising support for Africa Media Ministry*). **Praise God** (1) for incredible meetings; (2) for opportunities to reconnect with old friends; (3) for new partners and special donors; (4) for future meetings with churches. **Pray** (1) for follow-up conversations with churches; (2) for more detail work as I contact more churches and plan trips to other places; (3) for my revised goals to be met on time.

HIS NAME IS WONDERFUL

(Audrey Mieir, 1959)

His name is Wonderful, His name is Wonderful,
His name is Wonderful, Jesus my Lord.
He is the mighty King, Master of everything,
His name is Wonderful, Jesus my Lord.
He's the Great Shepherd, The Rock of all ages,
Almighty God is He,
Bow down before Him, love and adore Him,
His name is Wonderful, Jesus my Lord