PRAYER LIST

<u>Those with cancer</u>: Rita Foraker (cancer/continued healing), Allen Abby (renal cancer/continued healing), Denise Jurkovich (John and Melba Henry's daughter; cancer), Todd Lynch (friend of Rick Farrar; cancer), Jim Hydock (via Henry's; cancer), Carl Wickham (friend of Allen and Kathy Abby; cancer treatment), Charlie Presdee (Patty Toland's Dad; Stage 3 prostate cancer), Jean Stemm (mother of a friend of Wainwright & Abby family; cancer)

Shut-ins: Janice Whetstone, Eleanor Grudier, Bill & Gladys Duty, Ruth Holmes, Linda Barclay, Phyllis Bell, Carol Alexander, Paul Busche Others to remember: John Henry (had surgery/continued healing), Judy Hale (had knee surgery/continued healing), Donna Moore (had

Judy Hale (had knee surgery/continued healing), Donna Moore (had surgery/continued healing), Sharon Harris (continued healing), Rose Brown (health issues), Jean Clark (continued healing), Laura Wear (infection), Tony Fleming (Mary Ann's son; pulmonary fibrosis), Claire Paryzek (Shari McMasters' stepmother; undiagnosed major health problems), Gary Hoffman (via Henry's; infection), Mark Pittman (had surgery/continued healing), Matt Pittman (shingles), Michelle Williams (Fair's daughter; infection), Lisa Phillips (brain tumor surgery at Cleveland Clinic), Austin Harris (Maxine Boyd's granddaughter; health problems), Betty Shafer (Linda Fleming's neighbor; Crohn's disease), Bill Abbott (Janice's husband; continued healing), Tara Dickinson (needs encouragement/address on bulletin board), Mary Ann Fleming (Linda's sister-in-law; health issues)

FOR THE RECORD

Average attendance and offering for last month follows, with the averages for November, 2017 in parentheses.

Sunday Bible Study 90 (108) Morning Worship 137 (155) Evening Worship 85 (86) Wednesday Evening 69 (75) Contribution \$3214 (\$3605)

There will be NO BUSINESS MEETING in December; it will be combined with the Budget Meeting in January.

December 2, 2018

DEACONS

Brad Abrams

Delbert Abrams

Dave Long

Brad Moore

Alan Wells

Scott Wiley

ELDERS

Dave Beck

Larry Burnett

Don Chappelear

EVANGELIST

Terry Townsend

NEW CONCORD CHURCH OF CHRIST

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Sunday

Bible Classes 9:15 a.m.

Morning Worship 10:00 a.m.

Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday

Bible Classes 7:00 p.m.

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December 2, 2018

Reading: Mark 1:29-31

Lessons: AM-Terry Townsend

PM- Terry Townsend

WELCOME TO ALL

We appreciate the presence of each one here today! Thank you for coming to worship and study with us.

Please participate from the heart as we praise the Lord together, study God's word, and encourage one another.

<u>If you are a visitor to our congregation</u>, we especially thank you for being here! As you have blessed us with your presence, we pray the assembly is a blessing to you in return.

**Please complete an <u>Attendance Card</u> and pass it to the inside aisles to be collected. And,

COME BACK SOON!

We extend our love and sympathy to Roby Williams and family in the loss of his father,

Don Williams

POTLUCK

There will be a potluck after morning worship. Please plan to stay and enjoy a meal and fellowship!

CHALLENGE YOUTH CONFERENCE

Pigeon Forge, TN February 22-24

Please sign the sheet on the bulletin board by **December 9**th, if you plan to go to CYC 2019.

EVENTS

Fifth Sunday Sing at Summerfield: Dec 30
Red Cross Blood Drive here: Jan 3 (12pm-6pm)

YOUTH & FAMILY EVENTS

CYC at Pigeon Forge: Feb 22-24*

*See bulletin board for details

FREE ONLINE BIBLE COURSES at school.wvbs.org

SECRET SISTER

Secret sister reveal party will be Friday, December 14th at 6:00pm In the multipurpose room.

BECKETT HOUSE

December 16th at 3:00

COOKIE EXCHANGE

All ladies are invited to a cookie exchange At the Beck's December 20th at 6pm Bring 3 dozen cookies with you to share

Huddle Up or Hurry Out?

The German philosopher Schopenhauer compared the human race to a bunch of porcupines huddling together on a cold winter's night. He said, "The colder it gets outside, the more we huddle together for warmth; but the closer we get to one another, the more we hurt one another with our sharp quills. And in the lonely night of earth's winter, eventually we begin to drift apart and wander out on our own and freeze to death in our loneliness." Christ has given us an alternative: to forgive each other for the pokes we receive (Matthew 6:12-15). That allows us to stay together and stay warm (John 17:20-21). —Wayne Brouwer