# PRAYER UPDATE

# **HOSPITALIZED AND SURGERIES**

**Lucille Hansen -** pray that God will open the door of a rehab close by. Pray that she can continue to gain strength so that she can have much needed surgery.

**Pauline Roby -** is recuperating from aortic valve replacement surgery. Pray for a complete and successful recovery.

**Andy Carroll -** at Watsonville Hospital due to complications with pneumonia. Pray for healing.

# HOME WITH THE LORD

**Steve Glaum -** after miraculous healing from a major heart attack back in June 2015, Steve is now completely whole and in the presence of his Heavenly Father. May God's comfort increasingly bring peace to his wife Janelle and their children.

**Julie Lilley -** after a very unexpected illness, Julie passed into the presence of the Lord on December 30th. She leaves behind her husband Mike and her two children Justin and Chelsie. Please remember the family in prayer.

### TLC MISSIONS

**18 of our global partners** are in town for **World Outreach Week (1/28-2/2)**. Pray that they feel appreciated and supported; for relaxation and restoration; for significant connections with supporters and our congregation; and for them to leave encouraged and strengthened.

If you would like to minister to a shut-in with a regular visit, or if you'd like us to visit your loved ones in the hospital please contact Carrie Clark 465-3368 | care@tlc.org

A complete prayer list is available at the Info Desk.





# **SENT TO SHINE**

JAN 28 & 29 | RENÉ SCHLAEPFER

(Jesus prayed...) "Just as you sent me into the world, I am sending

them into the world." John 17:18

"Mission": from Latin missio, to send

If we're sent like Jesus was sent, we're sent to...

1. \_\_\_\_\_\_ our faith

"...let your light shine before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your Father in heaven." Matthew 5:16

2. \_\_\_\_\_\_ our faith

"I have come that they may have life, and have it to the full."
John 10:10

"For them I sanctify myself, that they too may be **truly sanctified**."

John 17:19

"Sanctify them by the truth..." John 17:17a

Key to effective outreach:

#### THIS WEEKEND'S PANELISTS

#### **Neal Caristrom**

The Red Island Project Madagascar theredislandproject.org

#### **Catherine Besk**

Zoe Project Thailand gozoe.org/our-work

# **Amy Nyquist**

Mercy Ships Africa mercyships.org

#### FIND OUT MORE

These are just some of the missionaries TLC supports via our weekly offering... To find out more visit **tlc.org/outreach** 

#### THIS WEDNESDAY EVENING

Free dinner and brief TED-talk style missionary presentations all around campus!

#### **APPLY IT**

How is God sending me right now?

# **NEXT WEEKEND:**

NEW SERIES BEGINS ON THE BOOK OF **JOSHUA** 

Are you ...

- Fearful of the future?
- Stuck in a rut?
- On the edge of something great, but afraid to move forward?

God designed you to move courageously into the future He promises for you! Join us as we explore the challenging and inspiring Book of Joshua, and see how your faith can grow in spite of uncertainty about what's ahead.

# THIS WEEK'S MEMORY VERSE

In the same way, let your light shine before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your Father in heaven. Matthew 5:16

### **DAILY DEVOTIONS**

Text "join tlc" to **34444** to get free 4-minute daily video devotions texted to your phone every morning! This week you'll hear from some of our missionary guests!

# **MONDAY**

Read Matt. 5:14-16. Jesus wants our church to be a "city on a hill" and let our light shine. What are some ways you can "let your light shine" – perhaps through opportunities offered through TLC? Ask God to help you let your light shine!

#### **TUESDAY**

Read John 17:18. How is God sending you? To whom can you, even in subtle ways, be an "ambassador" of the kingdom of God, through your actions and attitudes? Ask God to help you be prepared to give a reason for the hope that you have.

## **WEDNESDAY**

Read 1 Peter 3:15-16. How prepared are you to share your faith? In your mind, describe how you would share your faith story in 3 or 4 minutes. Ask God to help you share... with gentleness and respect.

#### **THURSDAY**

Read 2 Corinthians 8:2-3. Paul talks about the Macedonian Christians giving, not out of obligation, but out of spontaneous generosity and overflowing joy! How can really understanding God's love lead to this attitude? Ask God to help you give and reach out from gracious motives, not out of a sense of guilt.

#### **FRIDAY**

Read Jeremiah 29:4-7. How can we seek the peace and prosperity of Santa Cruz County? How often do you pray for your city? Do you love it? Are you serving your community in some way that leads to its prosperity and peace? Ask God to help you seek the peace and prosperity of your "city"— and that your efforts would draw people to the gospel.

#### **SATURDAY**

In preparation for this weekend's message, read Joshua 1:7-9 and ask God how this applies to your life right now! Please pray for us this weekend as we launch a brand new series in Joshua! Thanks!