PRAYER UPDATE

HOSPITALIZED & SURGERIES this past week

Gene Cutler had a brain aneurysm burst on August 14th and he is currently at Dominican hospital rehab unit. Please pray for his wife Gini as she cares for Gene and for healing and a miraculous recovery and for comfort and peace for the family. Gene is receiving 3 hours of therapy a day and is showing improvement. For regular updates on Gene, go to youcaring.com/medical-fundraiser/the-gene-cutler-pepsi-challenge-twist/229911

Judy Helmle is at Driftwood Convalescent Hospital recovering from a medical episode.

Hayden Jilka (7 yrs old), son of Nate and Sam, had a growth removed from his mouth and it came back cancerous. Please pray for peace, endurance and comfort for the family as Hayden starts chemo and radiation treatments for the next 18 months going back and forth to Stanford.

Julie Lay will be having hip replacement surgery on November 10th. Please pray for a smooth and quick recovery.

Debbie Kaesemeyer is in ICU with pneumonia.

HOME WITH THE LORD

Mark Beck entered the presence of the Lord on November 3rd. Please remember his wife, Debbie and his three daughters as they grieve this sudden and unexpected loss.

Jim Mosgrove went home to be with the Lord early Sunday morning, November 2nd after a 1 1/2 year battle with ALS. Please keep Linda, his wife, and the entire family in your prayers. A celebration of Jim's life will be held on November 15th at 11am in Monschke Hall.

We would love to visit your loved ones in the hospital. Please contact Carrie Clark at 465.3368 or care@tlc.org

A complete prayer list is available at the information desk.





INSPIRATION: QUESTIONS ABOUT THE BIBLE

NOVEMBER 8 & 9 // PAUL SPURLOCK

"(Paul)...writes the same way in all his letters, speaking in them of these matters. His letters contain some things that are hard to understand, which ignorant and unstable people distort, as they do the other Scriptures, to their own destruction. (2 Peter 3:15b–16) NIV

1. Isn't the Bible is full of contradictions that undermine its own authority?

2. How do you decide what part of the Bible is still valid for today? Doesn't the Bible have all kinds of weird commands that no one obeys anymore?

3.	Doesn't the Bible support regressive practices like God—ordained slaughter? Why is He so apparently full of "wrath"?
4.	If I took the Bible seriously, wouldn't it interfere with my plans for my life?
For	r the word of God is alive and active. Sharper than any double-
edged sword, it penetrates even to dividing soul and spirit, joints	

and marrow; it judges the thoughts and attitudes of the heart.

Hebrews 4:12 NIV

DAILY MEDITATIONS

MEMORY VERSE

Therefore, everyone who hears these words of mine and puts them into practice is like a wise man who built his house on the rock. Matthew 7:24

DAILY VERSE MEDITATIONS

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