

SPRING HILL CHURCH

OCTOBER 2024

PRAYER REQUESTS:

- JASON
- SHARRON
- KENNY
- DAVID
- DALE & DONNA
- ANDY
- DENNIS & SANDY
- MIKE & MARY
- FRAN
- BRUCE & PATSY
- PATSY'S MOM
- PATSY'S AUNT
- JAMIE, LACEY & KIDS
- CODY & KIDS
- TOMMY & ANGIE
- MIKEL
- THE LOST
- ASIAN MINISTRY
- DON
- CAROL
- SHANNON
- LAWRENCE & JAN
- THOSE ON PRAYER BOARD
- GENE
- CHRIS & JENNA
- BABY McCOY
- MARK & MICHELLE

HUMAN TOUCH

I had just spent an hour in the bank with my father, as he had to transfer some money, I couldn't resist asking:

"Dad, why don't we activate your internet banking?"

"Why would I do that?" he replied.

"Because then you won't have to spend an hour here for things like that transfer.

You can even do your shopping online. Everything will be so easy!"

I was so excited about introducing him to the exciting world of online banking.

He thought for a minute, then answered "If I do that, I won't have to step out of the house?"

"Yes, yes" I said. Even groceries can be delivered to your front door now, and Amazon delivers everything!

His answer left me speechless.

He replied "Since I entered this bank today, I have met four of my friends. And I have chatted for a while with the staff who know me very well by now.

You know that I am alone. This is the company that I need. I like to get ready and come to the bank. I have more than enough time, it is the physical touch that I crave.

Two years ago I got sick. The shop owner, where I buy my fruit, came to see me and sat by my bedside and cried.

When your mom fell down a few days ago during her morning walk, our local grocer saw her and immediately brought his car to rush her home, as he knows where I live.

Would I have that 'human' touch if everything became online?

Why would I want everything delivered to me, forcing me to only interact with my computer?

I like to know the person I'm dealing with and not just the 'seller'. It creates bonds and relationships.

Does Amazon deliver this as well?"

Technology isn't life. Spend time with people. Not with devices.

A person's most beautiful asset is not a head full of knowledge, but a heart full of love, an ear ready to listen and a hand willing to help others.

DON'T BE SURPRISED IF GOD USES THAT ADDICT, THAT HOMELESS MAN, OR THAT CRIMINAL TO SHOW YOU JUST HOW POWERFUL HE IS, HIS GRACE COVERS ALL SINS. HOW COULD WE EVER KNOW WHAT HE CAN FIX IF NO ONE IS EVER BROKEN? STOP JUDGING, WE ALL HAVE A PURPOSE.

Keep my anger from becoming meanness.

Keep my sorrow from collapsing into self-pity.

Keep my heart soft enough to keep breaking. Keep my anger turned towards justice, not cruelty.

Remind me that all of this, every bit of it, is for love.

Keep me fiercely kind.

~Laura Jean Truman

If God can forgive me for my mistakes, certainly I should forgive others for theirs. If God doesn't judge me, despite my many flaws, then I should realize that I have absolutely no right to judge others. And if God is my guiding light on my darkest day, then surely I should be someone's hope when they lose their way.

Do me a favor...

And find the courage to leave the table when respect is no longer being served.

I ' M GLAD THE SKY IS PAINTED BLUE

<p>Charlie Chaplin died aged 88. He left us 4 statements:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Nothing is eternal in this world, not even our problems. 2. I like to walk in the rain, because one can't see my tears. 3. The most wasted day in life is the day we don't laugh. 4. The six best doctors in the world... 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. sunshine 2. rest 3. exercise 4. diet 5. self-esteem 6. friends. <p>Keep them in all stages of your life and enjoy a healthy life...</p> <p>If you see the moon you will see the beauty of God...</p> <p>If you see the sun you will see</p>	<p>the power of God...</p> <p>If you look in the mirror, you will see God's best creation.</p> <p>Believe it then.</p> <p>We are all tourist, God is our travel agent who already made our itineraries, bookings and destinations...</p> <p>Trust him and enjoy LIFE.</p> <p>Life is a journey!</p> <p>Live today!!!!</p>
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WHY DOES ISRAEL MATTER?

<p>Did you know that the time clock of the return of Jesus isn't based on America's timeline? It's based on God's timing and what is happening in Israel.</p> <p>Did you know Jesus wasn't a Christian? He was a Jew. He celebrated and kept the Jewish Holy days and customs, as well as the feasts of the LORD, He didn't come to eradicate the Torah and writings of the Prophets/Old Testament. He came to fulfill the prophecies that were written about Him (over 300).</p> <p>When Jesus returns, He isn't returning to the United States. The Bible says He is returning to the Mount of Olives and go through the Eastern Gate, which is currently sealed off with 16 feet of concrete. A cemetery was also</p>	<p>placed in front of that gate because touching the dead makes a Jew considered unclean and unable to enter the Temple, which is considered Holy. The Word of GOD says He will return there and from there He will rule and reign for 1,000 years.</p> <p>The final battle isn't going to be on U.S. soil. The armies will gather in the Valley of Megiddo in Israel. They will try one more time to defeat Israel in the Battle of Armageddon. The Bible says as the nations wage war against Israel, Jesus will come and destroy His enemies with the breath of His mouth (2 Thessalonians 2:8).</p> <p>GOD did not replace the Jews with Christians as some believe. We are actually grafted in with</p>	<p>them as you would graft a wild branch into an existing tree.</p> <p>The Word of GOD says, "When you touch Israel, you touch the Apple of GOD'S eye" (Zechariah 2:8).</p> <p>"He that keeps Israel neither slumbers nor sleeps. The LORD is thy keeper" (Psalm 121:4).</p> <p>"I will bless those that bless you and I will curse those that curse you" (Genesis 12:3).</p> <p>We are also commanded to pray for the peace of Jerusalem (Psalm 122)</p> <p>ISRAEL matters.</p> <p>PRAY FOR ISRAEL</p>
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SUNDAY SCHOOL 10:00AM
SUNDAY WORSHIP 11:00AM
SUNDAY NIGHT 6:00PM
WEDNESDAY NIGHT . . . 7:30PM

EVERYONE WELCOME

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I never knew until today what David meant in Psalms 23 when he said, "Yea though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil." Nowhere does it mention that he stopped and wondered why he was walking through the valley. It just says that he walked through. Let me tell you this, Now is not the time to try and figure out why you're going through the valley. Just trust God and continue to walk. Despite whatever circumstances you may be facing, continue to believe that God is working on your behalf. There's something at the end of the valley..

Today I read that butterflies rest when it rains because it damages their wings. It's okay to rest during the storms of life. You'll fly again when it's over.

*Faith does not
make things easy
it makes them
possible.*

LUKE 1:37

"There is a silence that follows a heart-break, a stillness that fills the space where someone used to be. It's in the empty seat at the table, in the quiet of an empty room, in the spaces between breaths. You keep waiting for the noise to return, for the familiar sound of their laughter or their voice, but it never does. And so, you live in that silence, carrying the weight of their absence like a stone in your chest, wondering if you'll ever feel whole again or if you'll always be just a little bit broken."

—Lang Leav

October 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2 MARY	3	4	5
6 CONFERENCE	7	8	9 MALLORY	10	11	12 WORK DAY CHELSEA
13 (TOMMY)	14	15	16	17 WAYNE & CRIMSON	18 ERIN	19 (TERRY) WHITFIELD PLACE 2 PM
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27 SANDWICH NIGHT	28	29	30	31 KENNY		