

# The Old Union Family Prayer List 02/23/2025

*This is the confidence which we have before Him, that if we ask anything according to His will, He hears us. - 1 John 5:14*

## PRAYERS of PRAISE

**New Members 2024:** Spencer and Allison Campbell & Katie Marie; Jacob and Allison Barber & Jack; Mark and Stacey Hawke & Allison & Olivia; Johnny and Stephanie Lamb & Brooklyn; Phillip & Ashten Lazio

**Baptized in 2024:** Kaitlynn Law, Victoria Spivey, Everleigh King, Wyatt & Wrex Williams, Aileen, Raymond, & Evangelene Hawes.

**Recently Wed:** Matthew & Kaitlynn Griffin, Jarrett & April Schiavone, Delsin & Bailey Urick, and Philip Lazio & Ashten Lamb. **Engaged:** Paiten Byrd & Brandon Meador

**2024 New Arrivals:** Sam & Allison Carroll's son, Rhett; Blaine & Emma Donoho's son, Casen; Beau & Jordan Summers' daughter, Elsie Mae; Colby & Grayson's Bickerton's daughter, Sutton. **We Love OUR Children!**

## PRAYERS to SUPPORT our CHURCH FAMILY

**Tobias King** fractured his wrist while sledding, thankful it wasn't a complete break.

**Louise & Linda Hall's brother-in-law, Jim Johnson,** passed away recently.

**Bill Wade's mother, Georgena Wade,** memorial services were a week ago Friday.

**Several OU Members and families** are still dealing with the flu.

**Steve Blalock,** a frequent visitor to OU, his mother recently passed away.

**Jennifer Bates' sister-in-law, Ashley Bates,** battling post-stroke effects and serious cardiac issues, possible catheterization and heart surgery when she is strong enough.

**Casey Byrd's mother, Glenda Byrd,** treatments are going well, prayers also for his young friend, **Brandon Brewer** who has serious heart problems and for his boss, **Mark Kimball,** whose Mom recently passed away. **Jackie Byrd's aunt, Hetty Harrell,** needs prayers as she deals with health issues.

**Randy Bullock's cousin, Reid Anderson,** recovering from extensive heart surgery.

**Tessa's Brother-in-law, Michael Grigsby,** beginning chemo/radiation cancer treatments.

**Aileen Hawe's step-father, Thomas Vaughn,** passed away recently

**Layna & Danny McCorkle's daughter-in-law's mom, Brenda Lawrence,** recovering from double lung transplant. **Danny's mom, Joy,** recovering from recent hospitalization.

**Peggy Rees,** who formerly attended OU, is being treated for facial cancer.

**Carlene Smith** recovering from brain cancer surgery, was not malignant, praise God!

**Jared Cron's mother, Anita Cron,** cancer being treated by IV chemo. **Emily Cron's mother's** health issues will hopefully be helped with the new medicine regimen.

**LeeAnn Whitaker's sister-in-law, Brandy Key,** only 40 years old, is being treated for breast cancer, **her nephew, Chris Sparks,** is dealing with numerous health issues.

**Stephany Strickland,** is a great friend of Old Union. Let's pray for her peace.

**FOR OUR SHUT-INS:** Alice Robertson, Ann Robinson, and Carl Dixon.

**FOR HEALTHCARE WORKERS, MEDICAL PERSONNEL, FIRST-RESPONDERS, & Many volunteers from OU** who provide services to keep us safe and healthy.

## PRAYERS for OLD UNION:

Prayers for all those who participate in the Mark 12:31 Project and other outreach efforts. Feeding the hungry & helping those in need in other ways truly shows our Christian Love. For Our Shepherds at Old Union, our OU Kids, our OUTeen Ministry, that they bless our community and bring glory to our Savior.

For our congregation, past, present, and future. 2025 marks over 190 years as a fellowship.



# OLD UNION CHURCH OF CHRIST

Old Union...New Life

We meet at 2505 Hartsville Pike, Castalian Springs, TN 37031

**ALL REALLY ARE WELCOME!**

**02/23/2025**

**9:00 - 10:30 AM Order of Service**

## Regular Meeting Times

**Sunday** 9am-10:30am  
& 5:00pm

**Wednesday** 7:00 pm

## Shepherds:

Garry Dixon

Nick Gregory

Mark McKee III

Ronnie Tennant

## Deacons:

Casey Byrd

Sam Catron

Scott Dalke

Chris Glover

Ken Weidner

## Minister:

Stephen Russell

## Associate Minister:

Darrell Duncan

## Web Address

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Welcome & Prayer:

Song Leader:

Opening Prayer:

Communion Devotional:

Scripture Reading:

Lesson:

Closing Prayer:

Nick Gregory

Sam Carroll

Joe H. Whitaker

Randy Russell

Matthew Griffin

Acts 9:1-19

Stephen Russell

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## **Acts 9:1-19**

Now Saul, still breathing threats and murder against the disciples of the Lord, went to the high priest, 2 and asked for letters from him to the synagogues at Damascus, so that if he found any belonging to the Way, both men and women, he might bring them bound to Jerusalem. 3 As he was traveling, it happened that he was approaching Damascus, and suddenly a light from heaven flashed around him; 4 and he fell to the ground and heard a voice saying to him, "Saul, Saul, why are you persecuting Me?" 5 And he said, "Who are You, Lord?" And He said, "I am Jesus whom you are persecuting, 6 but get up and enter the city, and it will be told you what you must do." 7 The men who traveled with him stood speechless, hearing the voice but seeing no one. 8 Saul got up from the ground, and though his eyes were open, he could see nothing; and leading him by the hand, they brought him into Damascus. 9 And he was three days without sight, and neither ate nor drank.

## OLD UNION Announcements and Opportunities

**WEDNESDAY NIGHT GATHERINGS:** Classes for all ages, **7:00pm.**

**SISTERS:** A women's group that meets twice a month. See Kelly Russell for info.

**CHARTER DEVOTIONAL:** Sundays at 11:15 am. (All are welcome to attend.)

**SUNDAY EVENINGS @ 5:00 pm** - Devotional and Christian Service Activities  
**TODAY! LAST SUNDAY SUPPER (LSS), February 23rd, Chili Cookoff** after our Sunday night gathering. Please invite guests!!!

### **OU EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES**

#### **HONDURAS MISSION**

Many of our OU family will be going on a mission trip to Honduras this summer. They will need financial assistance as well as prayers. See John Austin Schiavone for details as to how you can support this Christian outreach program.

#### **OU CHILDREN'S MINISTRY & CLASSES for SUNDAY MORNINGS**

**OUKids:** Sunday's at 9am in the Auditorium

**Children's classes, Nursery-5th Grade: Sunday's after Communion**

**TEACHERS- February**

**NURSERY:** John Austin Schiavone & Hannah Estes

**TODDLERS:** Stephanie Urick & Caroline Urick

**TEACHERS (4Yrs-5thGrd):** Jennifer Bates, Morgan Gammons,  
& Amanda O'Kelley

***NOTE:** Classes for Nursery-Teens: Wednesdays at 7:00pm*

*We have adult class options on Wednesday nights too! All are welcome.*

***NOTE:** We are thankful to have a LOT of donated craft supplies, please use them as you develop projects for OU kids.*

**FOOD PANTRY ITEMS NEEDED:** canned meats such as ham, tuna, and especially chicken, instant potatoes, cornbread/muffin mix, pancake mix, syrup, jelly, evaporated milk, instant coffee, creamer, cereal and other non-perishable breakfast items such as granola bars and single serving fruits,

#### **Encouraged Memory Passage**

**Matthew 5:3-5**

*3 Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.*

*4 Blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted.*

*5 Blessed are the gentle, for they shall inherit the earth.*

## **BIRTHDAYS -Feb 23-Mar 1**

02-23	Ethan Cron	02-24	Tom Bugbee	02-24	Olivia Hawke
02-26	Marley Franklin	03-01	Molly Catron		

## **ANNIVERSARIES- Feb 23-Mar 1**

02-27	Tony & Shelby Schiavone		
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**NOTE:** If you have changes to the OU directory such as phone #, address, eMail, etc., please send them via eMail to OU, [OldUnionCoC@gmail.com](mailto:OldUnionCoC@gmail.com). A monthly list of changes will be made available in the foyer so you can update your directory copy

- **Contributions** are collected in a basket in the foyer, or can be given to any one of our elders or deacons.

#### **OU PRAYER LIST (located on the back of the bulletin)**

*Please contact our Shepherds, Stephen Russell, Sarah Dalke, or Marsha Cox with additions/updates.*

## **ENCOURAGEMENT CARD OF THE WEEK**

**BILL WADE**

**1013 Fox Glen Rd**

**Gallatin, TN 37066**

*Bill's mother, Georgena Wade, passed away recently, she was known to many in our OU family. Let's send him words of comfort, hope, and love as he and his family deal with their loss.*

#### **Sunday AM Sermon Notes and Prayer Reminders**

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*"Create in me a clean heart, O God, And renew a steadfast spirit within me." Psalm 51:10*