

The Old Union Family Prayer List 05/04/2025

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 to SUPPORT our CHURCH FAMILY

Bill Wade requests prayers for daughter, Ashley, as she grieves loss of a close friend.
Bill Curd recovering from knee replacement surgery and painful knee hematoma.
Kenny Whitaker's sister, Tammy Brown, undergoing cancer treatments, hospitalized.
Everleigh King doing well after suffering multiple fractures in her ankle & leg.
Roger Cox's sister, Norma Wilson, already dealing with dementia has had a stroke and is now in hospice care.
Rita Atkins has a cyst on her spine and is facing back surgery in the near future. **John Adkins' father** fell and fractured two neck vertebrae, thankfully no paralysis.
Scott Dalke's brother-in-law, Rick Groh, has been diagnosed with liver cancer which has metastasized to his lungs.
LeeAnn Whitaker requests prayers for her **friend, Julie Johns**, diagnosed with terminal pancreatic & adrenal cancer which has spread to her liver and lungs. **LeeAnn's sister-in-law, Brandi Key**, only 40 years old & diagnosed with breast cancer had a mastectomy. April 21st.
Delsin & Bailey Urick lost most of their possessions in a fire. Gift cards suggested.
Angela Smith requests prayers for her mother who had a stroke & for her sister who is being treated for cancer.
Katherine Brown, Charter resident, is now in hospice care.
Rosco Smith, grandfather of Susan Smith, has been diagnosed with throat cancer.
Amy Myrick requests prayers for Jimmy Sexton who had recent cancer surgery. His son, Jesse, attends on Wednesday nights.
Chelsea and Jonathan Fowler's daughter, Billings, is having tubes put in her ears.
Larry Hammock, past member at OU, began treatment for several brain lesions.
Emily Cron's mother, Sue Lofton. Please keep Sue and Emily's family in your prayers.
Joey Rush's grandfather, Mark Thompson, facing hip surgery, has aFib issues.
Ronan Chatfield, 2 ½ yr old great-grandson of Peggy Chatfield (former OU member) diagnosed with leukemia.
Jerry Stepanek, Charter resident, recovering from mild heart attack.
Randy Bullock's cousin, Reid Anderson, is home recovering from extensive heart surgery. **Tessa's Mom** received good news that her treatments for multiple myeloma are working. **Her Brother-in-law, Michael Grigsby**, continues cancer treatments.
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.
FOR HEALTHCARE WORKERS, FIRST-RESPONDERS, Many from OU, who provide services to keep us safe and healthy.

PRAYERS for OLD UNION:

-For our ministers, our shepherds Garry, Nick, Mark & Ronnie, for our deacons, and for all of our congregation who work diligently to spread Christ's love to our community through prayers, giving, and good works such as the Mark 12: 31 project.
 -For all those who volunteer to assist with various projects at OU. We know time is precious.
 -For our congregation, past, present, and future. 2025 marks over 191 years of fellowship.



OLD UNION CHURCH OF CHRIST

Old Union...New Life

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

ALL REALLY ARE WELCOME!

05/04/2025

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:
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 Song Leader:
 Opening Prayer:
 Communion Devotional:
 Scripture Reading:

Lesson:
 Closing Prayer:

Mark McKee III
 Colby Bickerton
 Joe Howard Whitaker
 Ronnie Tennant
 Anthony King
 John 21: 1-14
 Reed Hobdy
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JOHN 21: 1-14 [NKJV]

1 After these things Jesus showed Himself again to the disciples at the Sea of Tiberias, and in this way He showed Himself: **2** Simon Peter, Thomas called the Twin, Nathanael of Cana in Galilee, the sons of Zebedee, and two others of His disciples were together. **3** Simon Peter said to them, *"I am going fishing."* They said to him, *"We are going with you also."* They went out and immediately got into the boat, and that night they caught nothing. **4** But when the morning had now come, Jesus stood on the shore; yet the disciples did not know that it was Jesus. **5** Then Jesus said to them, *"Children, have you any food?"* They answered Him, *"No."* **6** And He said to them, *"Cast the net on the right side of the boat, and you will find some."* So they cast, and now they were not able to draw it in because of the multitude of fish. **7** Therefore that disciple whom Jesus loved said to Peter, *"It is the Lord!"* Now when Simon Peter heard that it was the Lord, he put on his outer garment (for he had removed it), and plunged into the sea. **8** But the other disciples came in the little boat (for they were not far from land, but about two hundred cubits), dragging the net with fish. **9** Then, as soon as they had come to land, they saw a fire of coals there, and fish laid on it, and bread. **10** Jesus said to them, *"Bring some of the fish which you have just caught."* **11** Simon Peter went up and dragged the net to land, full of large fish, one hundred and fifty-three; and although there were so many, the net was not broken. **12** Jesus said to them, *"Come and eat breakfast."* Yet none of the disciples dared ask Him, *"Who are You?"*—knowing that it was the Lord. **13** Jesus then came and took the bread and gave it to them, and likewise the fish. **14** This is now the third time Jesus showed Himself to His disciples after He was raised from the dead.

OLD UNION ANNOUNCEMENTS & 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

TONIGHT- 1st Sunday Singing! Join us and bring a friend!

MOTHER'S DAY, May 11 [Note: no evening service]

MAY 18- recognize our 5 graduates after morning service, (gift cards appreciated).

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

An EVENT CALENDAR is on the foyer table to schedule use of the social hall or pavilion.

MARK 12:31 PROJECT. "And the second is this: 'You shall love your neighbor as yourself.' There is no other commandment greater than these."

FOOD PANTRY ITEMS NEEDED: canned meats such as ham, tuna, and chicken, pasta, pasta sauce, microwavable rice & pasta packets, instant mashed potatoes, cornbread/muffin mix, biscuit/pancake mix, syrup, jelly, small condiments, instant coffee, creamer, and cereal.

Next Community Pantry will be open Saturday, May 10th, 10 am-noon.

Need toothpaste, toothbrushes, soap and body wash.

Containers are in the foyer.

SCHOOL CLOTHING GIVEAWAY is July 19th, 2025.

"But do not forget to do good and to share, for with such sacrifices God is well pleased." Hebrews 13:16

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- MAY

NURSERY: Allison Barber

TODDLERS: Matthew & Kaitlyn Griffin

TEACHERS (4Yrs-5thGrd): Molly Catron, Mary Kate Schiavone, Allison Carroll

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.

BIRTHDAYS -May 04- 10

5-05	Jaxton Burton	5-06	Louella Jane Weidner	5-06	Zach Thomas
5-07	Heather Dixon	5-07	Vincie Barber	5-08	Emma Hibdon

ANNIVERSARIES- May 04- 10

5-08	David & Cathy Arlen	5-08	Johnny & Stephanie Lamb
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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. 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

SUMNER COUNTY TRANSPORTATION

Tracey Richardson, Director

1500 Airport Rd

Gallatin, TN 37066

Many are aware of the school bus incident this past week where, thank God, no one was seriously injured. Our prayers are with all students, parents, and especially the bus drivers who perform daily wonders as they transport our children. Let's offer words of encouragement to them.

What are some of Jesus' words from Scripture that encourage you?

"But I will sing of Your power; Yes, I will sing aloud of Your mercy in the morning; For You have been my defense And refuge in the day of my trouble." Psalms 59:16