

December 25, 2022 - Hull CRC Community Bulletin

HOPE CRC FAMILY PRAISE AND PRAYER CONCERNS:

- Pat Rozeboom, Diana and Wes Dykstra's daughter, recently had back surgery to alleviate pain that she has been experienced by installing a pain controlling pump several weeks ago. After that surgery, she has been recovering at home. During this week, she has suddenly been having leg spasms for which she now has a need for a walker. Let us be in prayer for Pat, that they are able to continue to manage her back pain and that they can discover the reason for the leg spasms and grant her relief.
- Pray for Ruth Hoekema. We are grateful that she was able to come home. She continues to struggle with pneumonia. We pray for her care and recovery.
- Please pray for Glenn Hulstein as he continues to recover from hip surgery.
- Rachel Crawford, Carla Hulstein's sister from Des Moines, is home. We rejoice that Rachel has experienced some progress in taking in solid foods. We pray for her, for her husband, her sons, and the rest of her family.
- Jerry Van Roekel continues to recover at home. We praise God for the progress being made in his recovery.
- We continue to pray for Jackie Covey and her family as she continues with chemo.
- Remember Verla Elgersma (Beth Mark's mother) as she deals with colon cancer. Please pray for comfort and that her pain may be controlled, and for the family for God's comfort and peace in this time.
- Sheila Olson, Deb and Jerry's niece, discovered that she has a tumor on her femur. She has a history of breast cancer. We lift her up in prayers as she prepares for a biopsy on the tumor. We pray for her and for her family, for comfort for the coming procedures. Grateful that she can take treatment in Rapid City and coordinate with the doctors in Sioux Falls.
- Pray for those who are struggling with an addiction, emotional hurt, depression, and mental illness.
- Pray for our families, our marriages, that God would strengthen them, guide them, and be honored in them.
- Pray for those who cannot join us in worship, that they would be comforted and feel close to the congregation.

FIRST CRC FAMILY PRAISE AND PRAYER CONCERNS:

- John Scholten was able to return home from the hospital last Friday. Pray for continued healing.
- Orv Vant Hul had his first immunotherapy on December 15. He starts radiation December 20 for a tumor in the vertebrae of his neck. They are hoping to shrink this because it is so close to his spine. He needs a total of 10 treatments. He will have immunotherapy every three weeks. We ask for continued prayers.
- Sharon Soodsma finished her radiation treatments on Thursday.
- Bob Soodsma will have hip replacement surgery at the VA in Sioux Falls on Wednesday.
- Gaylene Bouma continues receiving antibiotics at the Sioux Center Hospital.
- The procedure scheduled for Maddox Kooima was canceled due to his testing positive for RSV. Both boys will have an echo and heart check in late January or February. Pray that both Maddox and Carver stay healthy.
- Pray for Russ Vander Schaaf as he continues with cancer treatments. Pray for strength, energy, healing and relief from pain.
- Rick Van Hill continues with cancer treatment. Pray for minimal side effects and for a better appetite.
- Rog De Groot hopes to complete his cancer treatments on Friday. Pray for God's healing mercies.
- Pray for Rog Vis in his struggle with Parkinson's.
- Remember Pete Soodsma in his struggle with Parkinson's and depression.
- Pray for our shut ins: Aspen Heights: Joyce De Vries, Wilma Grevengoed, Theresa De Wit, Lou Krommendyk, Liz Schmith, Joyce Vande Griend and Goldie Veldman; Sheldon Care Center: Julianne Kats, Belle Draayer; Christian Retirement Home: Johanna Van Surksun; Royale Meadows: Darlene Kroese; Whispering Heights: Pete Soodsma; River View Ridge: Howard & Marilyn Grevengoed; Courage Homes in Sioux City: Ardelle Westra.

REQUESTED ANNOUNCEMENTS

JUSTICE FOR ALL is planning a KENTUCKY BUS TOUR, focusing on our 4 major ministry partners: Grace Covenant Ministries, Annville, KY; Helping Hands, Hyden, KY; Appalachia Reach Out, Inez, KY; and Appalachian Mission of Hope, Berea, KY. The dates are April 12-18, 2023. Join us, learn and see how God is using beautiful ministries to share HIS love and hope to those who live in very poor communities throughout Kentucky. We'll be exploring the rich history, culture and stories of the mountain 'hollers', coal, and horses! And God's amazing creation will also be on display! If interested, contact Pat Vander Pol at (712-476-2804).

ATTENTION: JFA is having a meeting with information about Service & Learning Trips at the JFA Minister Center on Tuesday, Jan. 10, at 6:30p. The address for the ministry center is 1335 Valley Drive, Rock Valley. There will be light refreshments available. With questions, please contact Nick at JFA 476-2804. Consider going on a trip this year to work alongside others in a different community.

DORDT UNIVERSITY CONCERT CHOIR invites you to a concert at 7:30p on Friday, Jan. 13, at the BJ Haan Auditorium. This free concert is part of a spring tour with performances scheduled in Iowa, Minnesota, and North Dakota. Directed by Dr. Rob Hobgood the choir will perform a wide variety of choral music including hymn arrangements, spirituals, classics from the modern choral repertoire as well as past centuries including Gabrielli, Handel, and Clausen, and several compositions written within the last decade by talented young composers. The concert is free, with a freewill offering received to help defray tour expenses.