Stephen Ministry Weekly Prayer Request Newsletter – April 19, 2025.

Sara Miller – Sara will have an MRI on her back on May 14. The pain management doctor believes that it is something in her back that is causing severe pain in her leg. She hopes that the fourth prescription for glasses will allow her to see, to read, drive, watch tv and have clear vision. Please pray the MRI shows what is causing her pain and that her vision will get back to normal.

Stephen (Sharon Hunt's brother) – Stephen is in the last stages of his life. Sharon is in Phoenix to be there to prepare for last goodbyes. Please pray for peace for Stephen to have comfort and peace as well as Sharon and her other family members.

Kelly (sister of Dave Moore) – Kelly seems to be listening to doctor and staff after Achilles tendon surgery. She will probably have to stay in rehab sooner than she planned. Please continue to pray that she will have a good recovery from this surgery.

Sandy Rutherford – Sandy is feeling well during the weeks off from Chemo except for fatigue. Her next therapy will be on the 28th of April. She has lost 6 pounds that she cannot afford to lose so pray she will be able to get her energy back and be able to do her next treatment.

Maria Geis (friend of Pam Barnes) – Maria continues to need prayer as she completes recovery from pancreatic surgery and subsequent drainage at home.

Bob Kanary – Bob's surgery went well. He was moved from cardiac ICU to a regular room but will probably be discharged in a day or two. He will have a follow-up appointment in two weeks and then start cardiac rehab. Please continue to pray that the healing process is fast and complete.

Kathi Wagner (Dot Lyon's daughter, Lory's best friend) – Kathi did not like staying in the hospice facility so has been moved in with her mother. Please pray for her mother to have the strength to take care of Kathi and for comfort for both as well as friends.

Linda Carroll (Aunt of Lori Evans) – Lori's uncle has been hospitalized and is not doing well so Linda has not had had time to help herself. Please pray for both of them to get well.

Bill Underwood – Bill is experiencing fatigue but otherwise feels fairly good. He will have a PET scan on the 29th of this month to check the progress of his cancer treatment. He will then have an appointment with his physician on May 1 to plan for further treatment. Please continue to pray for him to have complete recovery from his cancer.

Billy Joe Watson (friend of Wayne Barnes) – Billy's back surgery has been postponed for now. His PSA is high, and his chemotherapy will need to be restarted. Please pray the treatment is successful and Billy Joe has complete recovery.

Beverly Clark – Please continue to pray for Beverly as she has her first nerve injection in her back on the 24th of April. Pray that the injections work, but if not, that the nerve burn will take care of her pain. Her electrical wiring problem on her roof has not yet been repaired. Please pray this can happen soon.

Barbara Hill – Please continue to pray for Barbara as she awaits her mastectomy on April 24. Pray also for stabilization of her diabetes and for peace and comfort during the surgery and further treatments.

Michelle (Co-Worker of Sara Votaw) –Please continue to pray for Michelle to gain strength and complete healing.

Lief Hill (son of a friend of Wayne Barnes) – Lief's parents continue to take Lief back to Texas for his monthly treatment in hopes of keeping him from rejection of his stem cell replacement. Please pray this will happen soon and he will no longer have to take this difficult trip with his family.

Fred Dalton – Fred has had ups and downs with pain level but worse in the last couple of days. His doctor reminds him that it may take 6 months to one year to completely get over the pain. Please pray for patience and relief of pain as Fred tries to get back to normal.

Winn Lusk – Winn did ok with getting Lorelei to school this week. Please continue to pray that he will adjust well to additional duties while Ginger is at work. She is expecting she will be comfortable with her job in a couple of weeks.

Ginger Fenton (daughter of Dianna and Jeff Davidson) – Please continue to pray for Ginger as she has chemo every Monday until her Mastectomy in June. Please pray everything stays on track and for complete healing for Ginger.

Dianna Davidson – Dianna is continuing to tolerate her twice weekly dialysis. Please pray this remains so.

Judy McMinn – Judy remains about the same with her physical therapy to try and get back ambulation with a walker. Please continue to pray it will eventually happen for her.

Cheryl Andrews – Cheryl had to be hospitalized again because of inability to rouse her at the facility. An MRI showed that she had severe bowel impaction. Please pray they will get her back on a regular schedule and that her facility comes up with a plan to prevent Cheryl from having this happen again.

Tiffany Montesano – Tiffany finally has an appointment this week with her doctor to follow-up about why she continues to get worse with her pancreatic symptoms. Please pray the physician will find a reason for the worsening symptoms and that he will have medication or procedure to improve her quality of life.