



The Presbytery of Western North Carolina

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TO: *Churches of the Presbytery of WNC*
FROM: *Bobbi White, General Presbyter*
DATE: *May 16, 2009*
SUBJECT: *Prayer Calendar for June and July*

Many of our churches include the following paragraphs in their bulletins and newsletters each week. This encourages their members to pray for these congregations on the designated Sundays.

** Consider sending the churches a card telling them they were held up in prayer. **

June 7th - Forest City First (P.O. Box 181, Forest City, NC 28043)

firstpreschurch@rfci.net

40 days of prayer for the church has just been completed. Members were urged to come every day and spend time in prayer. Holy Week services were observed with First Baptist and First Methodist Churches. Prayers are asked that we would do God's will and grow. Remember our pastor, Jim Shroyer.

June 14th - Franklin First (26 Church Street, Franklin, NC 28734)

churchoffice@fpc-franklin.org

Please pray for the mission and ministry of Franklin First Presbyterian Church to our community and beyond; for a deepening love and care for each other as Christ's body; for members of our church family going with our Presbytery Disaster Assistance Team to Mississippi in October; for our members that are facing difficult treatments for cancer and other life-threatening diseases; and for a renewed excitement and commitment about knowing and serving our triune God. Remember our pastor, Bob Abel, as you pray.

June 21st - Gastonia First (1621 East Garrison Boulevard, Gastonia, NC 28054)

jchilders@fpcgastonia.org

No information available.

June 28th - Glen Alpine (P.O. Box 146, Glen Alpine, NC 28628)

The Glen Alpine Presbyterian Church continues to reach out to the Glen Alpine community. In the past year, seven adult members have united with the church. We have one member that is approaching 103 years of age and another that is approaching 94. Following a severe storm in 2008, part of the roof needed to be replaced and one of the older trees fell and had to be removed. Some volunteers and professional pruners helped to remove it. We are grateful for the Lord's blessings. Please remember our Senior Citizens and our pastor, Dr. Howard Doerle.

July 5th - Good Hope (P.O. Box 784, Kings Mountain, NC 28086)

Give thanks for the way God is at work in our midst. We pray for our afternoon Family and Friends Day Celebration on May 31st. Pray for our celebration to honor the work and ministry of Elder Connie Allison at our church, in the community and Presbytery on June 5th. We give thanks for our after-school child care and pray God will use it in the lives of the children. Pray for the Session and pastor, David Moore.

July 12th - Grace Covenant (789 Merrimon Avenue, Asheville, NC 28804)

office@gcpcusa.org

Please pray for Session and staff as they continue to try to respond to God's call to address the needs in the Asheville area and for a new Board of Deacons as it begins to take up its role in ministry to and with the congregation. Remember pastors, Mark Ramsey and Bill Buchanan.

July 19th - Grassy Creek (167 Greenlee Lane, Spruce Pine, NC 28777)

Please pray that our church will reach out to the community. Please pray for the Session and Pastor, Michael Brazelle.

July 26th - Green Mountain (P.O. Box 36, Green Mountain, NC 28740)

elwe8@aol.com

Please pray that we will grow in our faith and reach out to others. Pray for our fellowship and that we will welcome summer guests. Pray for our Session and Bill Whiteside, our pastor.

MISSION PRAYER CALENDAR: *Even as we pray each week for specific churches in our Presbytery, we can also remember our missionaries and mission activities as a reminder that our family extends into all the world.*

