

## Pray for Ministries & Special Events

### **Pastor Appreciation Month**

*Lord's Supper & Benevolence Offering • First Steps Class*

*Hope Room Clothes Closet*

*Thrive Moms • WMU • ESL • Men's Ministry*

*OCC Kickoff • Alzheimer's Support Group*

*Wednesday Prayer Groups & Parents Group*

## Children's and Student Ministries

*Nursery • PEAK Kids Worship & EDGE • PEAK Kids Jr.*

*SUMMIT Youth Ministry • YH College Ministry/Pathfinders*

*Awana Clubs • MMBC Preschool*



*Family Worship Sunday*

## Pray for Our Church Committee Members

### **Nominating Committee**

Lindy Denton, Richard Hanks, Jim Harrison, Sheila Crawford, Kathy Taylor

**Cyndi Therrel-Chairman**

### **Finance Committee**

Bob Louder, Jimmy Kimsey, Bonnie Kendrick, Wade Benson, Roger Peterson

**Richard Kelley - Chairman**

### **Missions Committee**

Lynn Swanson, Pat Nesbitt, Leon Champion, Amy Markham, Jim Crawford

**Dan Guss - Chairman**

Gloria Wilson - WMU Representative,

Vickie Harris - Women's Ministry Representative

### **Personnel Committee**

Cale Crawford, Dale Willrich, Debbie Louder, Shane Casey, Donna Papazian

**James Sanderson - Chairman**

# PrayerWorks

## McConnell Baptist Church

### October 2021

To view our weekly prayer list,

## Connecting Points

go to <https://mcConnellchurch.org/connecting-points>



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### Pray for Those in Authority

Lord, we lift up before your throne our local leaders in Hiawassee and those in authority in Towns County. We thank you for their service to us and ask that you keep them strong in the foundation of your Word. Help them to live out their Christian walk in everything they do, so their light shines through the darkness. We pray against those who attempt to thwart their efforts to do the right thing. Give us the gift of encouragement to keep them from growing weary as they work to better the community around us. Use the community of believers in our local churches to pray for them and support them as you continue to protect us all from the enemy. In Jesus name, amen.

### Pray for Our Vision

Thank you, Lord, for pastor Steve's vision to take us through "What's Next"? As he takes the congregation of believers through the steps to grow closer in relationship with you, we ask that you watch over this body. Our pastor's vision is for us to come together in unity and community, and to break the chains of bondage that holds us back from it. We know the enemy wants to divide us and break us apart, so open our hearts and minds to your Holy Spirit's leading and show us how to stand firm in the foundation and love of Jesus Christ. In Jesus name, amen.

### Pray for Our Pastors

Father God, we ask for your supernatural protection over our pastors this month. We know the enemy wants to tear them down, but you want to build them up. As we spend the month of October showing our appreciation for them, we ask that you show us better ways to support them in their efforts to grow the kingdom. Use each one of us and our unique giftings to help accomplish this task. Give us discernment and wisdom to help without hindering. Finally, we ask for an abundance of love and grace to pour out on all our pastors. We give you thanks for them, in Jesus' name.

### Pray for our International and NAMB Missionaries

Pablo & Kusi Saccsara, Inca Link, Peru	Luke and Michelle Stannard, MTW, Germany
Samaritan's Purse: Operation Christmas Child	Operation Mobilization, Jerusalem Israel

### Pray for our United States Missionaries

Christie Emery, FCA - Peoria, AZ	Todd West, Cross Point Church, Vermont
Ryan & Jessica Karp, Chosen People Ministries, Chicago IL	

### Pray for Our Georgia Missions & Ministry Field Partners

Clay Naylor, Christ Family Church - Dahlonega, GA	Kaila Reece, Fellowship of Christian Athletes
Madalyn (Maddy) Brown Reliant/Second Level Ministries, Atlanta	Almost There, Inc. Towns County, GA
Towns County Food Pantry	21st Century Programs Towns County, GA
Hiawassee Baptist Association	Gideon's Ministry

### Pray for Our Community

Lord God, during the month of October, as we celebrate Pastors Appreciation Month here at home, help us to also turn our prayers toward *all* our local church leaders in Towns County. We pray that each pastor in every church will remain steadfast in following you. Help them to remember that you and their family comes before their ministry. Guide their families to grow in love and unity as they pursue you together. Surround them with friends and family that will help them and be supportive of their work. And may this foundation of God-fearing relationships give them the strength to minister to those in their churches and our community in a mighty way. In Jesus' name, amen.