PRAYER LIST

KATIE AGAN, health issues

LILLIE ALFORD, Ethel Clark's sister-in-law, cancer CHERYL BARRON, Stan Raley's sister LINDA BULLOCK, skin cancer removal CALEB COLLIE, eye issues TRAVIS CREASY, Titus Camp, Duncan/Reynolds friend – in remission MIKE CUMBERLAND, health issues **BAYLIE EASTMAN**, auto accident recovery 5/8/2019 CHRIS EMOND. Madison family friend - cancer JAMES GORDON, Bridget Smith's dad - Anderson Hospital with multiple health issues THERMAN HODGE, cancer treatment: skin & bone JERI JENNINGS, health issues **BETTY JOHNSON**, home-bound JORDAN KEMBLE, Clarkedale teen, recurring brain tumor. Warren family friend WALTER KING, Lamar's dad - aneurism HARLEY MADISON, knee surgery recovery JACK MEARS ANA OBANDO, Rocio Salas Jenson's mom - stage 3 breast cancer GENE & CHARLENE RALEY, Stan's parents STAN RALEY GRADY & HELEN RICHARDSON, Angela Duncan's parents, health issues KELLY RICHARDSON, Fair family friend - cancer JON SKINNER, military deployment as of 4/2 /19 AL ST. CLAIR THELMA TALBERT, Shirley Raley's mom RUTH TAYLOR. Room 102 at Brookdale/Meridian 4555 35th AVE. Meridian, MS 39305 BARBARA TERRAL, Jennifer Guy's mom; cancer **BRENDA THOMAS PERRY TUBBY**, continued therapy following wreck **ROB WARREN** WAYNE WARREN, Rob's dad cardiac issues ANNIE WEBB, great-granddaughter of Cindy Harper; pre- and post- birth issues; infusion treatments **VELMA "DUCK" YATES** MEMBERS of our ARMED SERVICES CHURCH MISSION WORK WORLDWIDE

ANNIVERSARY & BIRTHDAY

May 12 : Jared Agan May 12 : Conner Fitzgerald May 15 : Reylan Jensen May 17 : Nell Allen May 17 : Sandra Callens

Men's Weekly Breakfast

will meet this Friday for breakfast at

The Checkerboard

To confirm location or for more info, contact Mike Cumberland at 601-479-4074

RAY'S QUESTION BOX

is a receptacle for your questions on any Biblical topic you would like to have be answered by Ray in his Sunday evening worship hour.



VBS: Duffee Church of Christ

11782 Hwy 494 - Little Rock, MS 39337 June 10 -14, 2019 (times & details to be announced soon)

Gospel Meeting Ivy Street Church of Christ

601 Ivy Street - Philadelphia, MS 39350 June 2 - 4, 2019 See Bulletin Board for Details

The Origins of Mother's Day

~ continued from cover ~

The nation was still mourning the dead soldiers of the Civil War. While teaching a Memorial Day lesson, Mrs. Anna Reeves Jarvis thought of mothers who had lost their sons. She prayed that one day there could be a "Memorial Day" for all mothers. The prayer made a deep impression on one of Mrs. Jarvis's eleven children. Young Anna had seen her mother's efforts to hold the war split community and church together. As she grew into adulthood, the younger woman kept Mrs. Jarvis's dream in her heart.

On the day of her mother's death, Anna was determined to establish Mother's Day in her honor. On May 12, 1907 a local observance was held and it later spread throughout Pennsylvania. By 1910, Mother's Day was celebrated in forty-five states, Puerto Rico, Hawaii, Canada, and Mexico. Miss Jarvis was elated to find that the holiday was being celebrated all around the world. She told a friend, "Where it will end must be left for the future to tell. That it will circle the globe now seems certain."

On May 8, 1914, President Wilson designated the second Sunday in May as Mother's Day "for displaying the American flag and for the public expression of love and reverence for the mothers of the country." It was changed to a designated Sunday so that congregations could embrace it and families could be together to celebrate it. Have a great week!!! * *Ray Reynolds* *

Ladies Night Out

Tuesday, May 14, 2019 at 5:30 p.m.

🛪 Outback Steakhouse at Meridian Crossings 🗞

Please let Alana Fair know if you plan to attend

& how many in your party.

This will prevent confusion when getting seating.

Each 2nd Tuesday of the month the ladies of the congregation join in sisterly fellowship, one with another, enjoying good food and fun wherever we decide to meet. Please join us! Locations vary monthly.

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