



Prayer Requests:

"Pray for one another"

- James 5:16 -

- Family of Paul Bullock and brothers & sisters here: grieving the loss of our dear brother
- Josiah Carelse & Family - working with the Lord's church in Cape Town, South Africa
- Corona Pandemic - its effect & overall impact on our lives, the nation and the world
- Diane Cote - surgery on 3/25 to place a stent in her leg was successful; surgery on 3/31 to correct a collapsed artery in her neck was also successful; she is now home recovering
- Paul Cote - 3/23 surgery removed a cancerous tumor from his frontal lobe; now at NE Rehab for therapy; radiation & chemo to follow
- Cathy Cuvelier - prayers requested for her job situation which is uncertain at this point
- Filomena Derecho (Cathy's mother in the Philippines) - numerous health issues
- Reyderick Derecho - permanently disabled
- Erik Grabowski - dealing with a painful heel spur on his right foot
- Janice Grabowski - large growth on her neck; also dealing with pancreatitis & fibromyalgia
- Connie Henderson - undergoing an aggressive regimen of chemotherapy which hopefully will eradicate the remaining cancer; a recent CTSCAN revealed that the chemo is working
- Leah (Glenda's daughter) - ovarian cancer
- Jim Miller - underwent successful triple bypass surgery on 3/18; now home recovering
- George Nick - family issues & concerns
- Ernie Perry - arthritic back pain and COPD
- Norman Roy - prayers needed for him & his family as his condition has rapidly worsened
- Wayne Sampson - experiencing bursitis & arthritis pain and ongoing anxiety attacks
- Paul Small (Paul Cote's cousin) - battling stomach cancer
- Erik Wuelper - pancreatic cancer

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- Psalm 116:15 -

This article was written by our brother Robbie Andrews who works with the Lord's church in Lineville, AL. Robbie and his wife Judy were good friends of Paul Bullock and visited with us for Wednesday night Bible class and Sunday worship back in June, 2018. Robbie is a faithful minister of the Gospel who is dedicated to the cause of Christ. He is a beloved brother, a great encourager, and has become a dear friend. - Terry

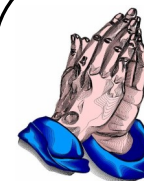
I lost a dear and beloved brother earlier this week. It is now the morning after I received news of the tragic and unexpected death of brother Paul Bullock — I am still trying to process this loss. Paul was my constant friend and yokefellow — at first, a jovial voice on the phone encouraging me to come to New Hampshire to work with the church there; then an e-mailed picture of Paul with his wife Mary and children, Zack, Samantha, and Matthew; and then a warm reception on a cold and snowy day for my daughter Mei and I in the parking lot of the church building in Dover, New Hampshire. Paul was the brother who drove me to Boston for my first appointment with the doctor who would soon be my cancer surgeon. We returned to NH that night in the midst of a snowstorm during which we followed huge snowplows arrayed three abreast across the highway in front of us — as we skidded off the roadway while making a turn near home, Paul never lost his composure or good humor. Paul was my colleague in good natured debate (though never contentious, he was never timid nor afraid to take and defend a stand on his convictions); he was my proofreader; my editor; my teacher; my champion in edification; my brother; and my friend. Always kind and loving to Judy and me and our daughters Lili and Mei Lin, he was generous, good natured, loyal, gracious and faithful. For those who knew him best, — "you know that's right".

As I weep for the loss of my brother Paul, I rejoice for the comforting Scripture shared by brother Terry Schmidt regarding Paul's passing from this life.

"Precious in the sight of the LORD is the death of his saints." Nevertheless, we will sorely miss him. As I continue to pray for Paul's family, I realize how important it is to have one's name recorded in the Lamb's Book of Life.

What about you? Are you in Christ? Are you living your life in His honor; to His glory — do you have your eternal destiny in mind, or not? Do not count on tomorrow! You are now reading this as one living — "yet you do not know what tomorrow will bring. What is your life? For you are a mist that appears for a little time and then vanishes" (James 4:14). Jesus is still asking: "For what will it profit a man if he gains the whole world and forfeits his soul? Or what shall a man give in return for his soul? (Matthew 16:28).

— Robbie Andrews ✍



Our Deepest Sympathy

Our sincerest condolences are extended to the Lord's church and the family of Paul Bullock as they mourn the death of their loved one, who passed away on March 30th. May God's steadfast presence and tender compassion provide strength & comfort to these dear ones during this difficult time of grief and loss. †

😊 Welcome Visitors 😊

We are glad you have come to worship with us today. We want you to know that you are welcome. Please don't hesitate to ask if you have questions or if we can help you in any way. Please fill out a visitor's card before you depart. ☺
Have a great week!





Jim & Pat — April 28th



We will enjoy our potluck fellowship next Sunday after services. Please make plans to stay for this special time of food, fun and fellowship! ☺

“...food which God created to be received with thanksgiving by those who believe and know the truth.” — 1 Timothy 4:3

Visits to Our Web Page

Last Week: 4,873
This Month: 841



SNACKS!

Apr 4: Terry K
April 11: Paula

*Attendance & Contribution
for March 28, 2021*

Attendance — 18
Contribution — \$1,077.

Order of Worship

April 4, 2021

*“I was glad when they said unto me,
‘Let us go into the house of the LORD’.”*

- Psalm 122:1 -

*“But Christ as a son over His own house;
whose house are we, if we hold fast the
confidence and the rejoicing of the hope
firm unto the end.”*

- Hebrews 3:6 -

Song Leader: *Terry Schmidt*

Song—147

Opening Prayer: *Erik Grabowski*

Song—392

Scripture Reading: *Wayne Sampson*
~ Revelation 21:3-5 ~

Song—316

The Lord’s Supper:
George Cuvellier & Ernie Perry

Song—397

Sermon: *Terry Schmidt*
“Absent from the Body...
Present with the Lord”

Song—407

Announcements & Closing Prayer:
Jason Kennedy

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Lord’s Supper Prep: *Jan Sampson*

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*We love Him, because  
He first loved us.  
- 1 John 4:19 -*

## April 4, 2021

### Sunday Assembly Times:

9:30 am — Bible Class  
10:30 am — Worship  
6:00 — Bible Study

### Wednesday Assembly:

7:00 — Bible Study

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