

# Leadership Transition Prayer Guide

Thank you for joining the prayer team for this leadership transition. We believe prayer is the most important part of this transition. We agree with the words of Oswald Chambers, who wrote, "Prayer is not the preparation of the work. Prayer is the work." We pray this guide will assist us as we walk through this next season together.

**1. Praise and Adoration that Jesus is the Head/Leader of the Church (Col. 1:18) and is building His Kingdom. Thank God that He never changes. He is the same yesterday, today and forever (Hebrews 13:8).** "Yours, O Lord, is the greatness and the power and the glory and the majesty and the splendor, for everything in heaven and earth is yours. Yours, O Lord is the Kingdom; You are exalted as head over all." - 1 Chronicles 29:11

## **2. Pray for the transition of leadership.**

- Steve & Brian: Pray for them as they step into their new roles and adjust to their new responsibilities. Pray they would fix their eyes on Jesus, the author and perfecter of our faith (Heb. 12:2) and would continue in the gifting God has given them so the body of Christ may be built up (Eph. 4:11-12).
- Brian's (Sara, Ben, Caleb and Daniel) & Steve's families (Peggy, Kiersten and Will): Pray that they too will sense the support & love of our church. Pray for their families to be fitted with the armor of God (Eph. 6:10-18) so they are protected from the attacks of the enemy and stand firm in their faith.
- Jeff & Tricia: Pray Isaiah 40:28-31 over Jeff and Tricia as they enter this time of transition. Pray as they prepare for the sabbatical and Tricia finishes teaching with the preschool.

## **3. Pray that our elders, staff, and church family will seek God together during this time and beyond.**

- Elders: Pray for our 7 lay leaders who form our Elder Team as they work alongside Brian & Steve in the next chapter. Pray that God would give them wisdom (James 1:5) for the task of spiritually leading the church. You can view our elders [HERE](#).

