

Speaking Today: Pastor Marc Maffucci
January 9, 2022

Always Near #2

Near Enough to Answer Prayer

John 4:46-54

“Jesus hears your prayers from the emotional pits.”

I. The royal official seeks out Jesus

- After Jesus' time with the Samaritans
- “King's man” has a sick son

II. Jesus' reaction to the “King's man”

- Very specific request
- The circus-like crowds
- Persistence of the man

III. Jesus' ultimate answer

- Long distance miracle
- The “King's man” believes
- Prayer connection
 - ◆ Keep on praying - it is often a journey
 - ◆ Christ's answer is always better
 - ◆ God does not leave loose ends

Next week - Pastor Marc's message will be Always Near #3,
“Near Enough to Get Us Unstuck.” John 5:1-9

Pray Without Ceasing...

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Steve



Teresa



Jamie

This Week's Prayer Needs

Elder of the Week ~ Steve Willis

Commission Leader ~ Teresa Newson, Worship Arts

Staff Person ~ Jamie Brown, Administrative Assistant

Our Civic Leaders ~ John Roberts, Jr. Chief Justice of the Supreme Court

Global Focus Partner ~ Daniel and Katie Lamb ~ ABWE~ Bangkok, Thailand ~ Working with Thai nationals, the Lambs have planted a church using Daniel's position as a teacher in the Baptist Student Center (a large language school run by a group of Thai churches) to connect with adult unbelievers and make disciples.

Hospital ~ Rita Bogarin, Donna McFall and Carol Smith

Home ~ Lyle Burgess, Sharon Estes, Tricia Harney, Sherry Johnson, Karen Miller, Ethel Neufeld, Irene Snyder, LaVeda Thompson and Dan Zapata

Skilled Nursing ~ Wendy Buthenuth and Judy Carter

Assisted Living ~ Bill Cale, Janet Cale, Lydia Islas, Edna Kitchin, Barbara Patrick, Virginia Rock and Miyako Tsunekawa

Long Term Illness ~ Kate Baumgarten, Hannah Bell, Vickie Braun, Diantha Devers, Britia Drinkard, Aldrene DuVaul, Mark Eppler, Jeri Gardner-Thompson, Debbie Hirtzel, Stacey Jovee, Jennilee Lyle, Donna McFall, Alexandra Munoz, Jeff Nixon, Carl Nordstrom, Melody Parks, Cathy Rodriguez, Russ Romero, Leticia Seadler, Paul Wilson and Sue Yee

Grieving Sammy & Linda Zepeda & Family on the death of her mother on December 30 ~ **Also** ~ Sue Kramer on the death of her husband, Barney, on January 4