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Waxahachie, Texas

Dear Praying Family and Friends,

This update is short, blessedly so, as there's not a lot going on medically. Is that great or what?

Here's the Big Event thus far: on [December 30, 2022](#) I began rebuilding the lifetime of immunities from vaccines which I have had since boyhood. On that day, I received six injections - three in each upper arm - to vaccinate me against diphtheria, tetanus, whooping cough, polio, haemophilus influenzae type B, hepatitis B, pneumonia, meningitis, and shingles.

The shots themselves were a nothing-burger. The technology for injection needles is so advanced these days that they are simply painless. I usually do not even detect their entries at all.

The next day, of course, was a different matter! Wow. Were my upper arms sore! I think the next round of vaccinations will occur sometime in the spring.

The only other medical matter I'm dealing with is a persistent cough which began after I returned from a clericus (a meeting of clergy in my Anglican jurisdiction). That was [December 3](#), and I've had this nagging cough ever since. I made a trip to the ER on [December 24](#) and was discharged on Christmas Day ([12:20 AM](#)). The verdict: no COVID, no flu type A or B, no RSV. They took an x-ray, and my lungs were clear! I got a prescription for a cough suppressant (it doesn't work). That was it. Whatever this is, it's irritating the trachea and upper bronchial types. A humidifier brings slight relief.

I am tired of coughing. When you think of me, would you ask our Lord to relieve this irritation? Otherwise, that whatever purpose it is serving, that this purpose would be quickly achieved.

Meanwhile, I'm scheduled to receive another infusion of broad spectrum antibodies in about ten days. These help to protect me from many diseases while my body is generating antibodies from the vaccines I received at the end of December.

Every day Barbara and I remark how grateful we are for this next span of life. It comes to us as a wonderful gift from our heavenly Father in response to the faithful prayers of you all. Thank you for traveling this road with us.

Much love in Him,

Fr. Bill Mouser