

Friends,

26 November 2019

The United States is one of a few nations to celebrate Thanksgiving in November, and as the month comes to a close, reminders to be thankful are abundant. I Thessalonians 5:18 (Tammy's life verse) tells us to be thankful for all things at all times, and I'd like to mention a few of those right here:

- Safety on the road. We've replaced several tires and a rim, and dodged what could have been an awful high speed accident just east of Charlotte in the summer. We really have no idea what all God has protected us from.
- 42% in promised support, which according to many is a really good figure at this stage of deputation. While we wish we were already in England, God will have us there in His timing, and we're thankful for what we have versus being ungrateful for what we don't.
- Our supporting churches. YOU are the reason that we are at 42% support!
- In the last month, Christian has visited three colleges and gotten a great deal of clarity on God's will for his life regarding his training for ministry.
- I'm thankful for a wife who is not just committed to me but to God and to our ministry. Recently I've learned of one missionary who will leave the field, and another one who will not reach it (unless God intervenes quickly), due to failed or failing marriages. I don't take 25 years of happy marriage for granted.
- The Lord gave me productive meetings in travels to Ohio, Arizona and South Carolina. Three churches have already promised support and four more who are close to voting could push us over the 50% mark.

#### Up next

December is a light month for missionaries and evangelists as churches typically have programs and dinners planned, and will pick back up with guest speakers in the new year. Before my next prayer letter comes out, we will be in seven more churches. Please pray that each one is a productive meeting.

This could be the final Thanksgiving/Christmas that we spend with our families in America, so we don't mind having a few free Sundays in order to be with them.

#### Meanwhile in England

God has been richly blessing Faith Baptist Church of Lakenheath, as both airmen and British have been visiting. Two families have been driving relatively long distances to fellowship with our people. When the night is dark, even a small candle produces a great deal of light; our church is a light in a dark place, and people are coming to see what God is doing.

I also thank you for your prayers for Bro. Burket. He completed his radiation treatments for prostate cancer and we pray that he will be able to continue to be uninhibited by health issues until we can arrive (and beyond).

#### What can you pray with us for?

- The power of God upon praying, preaching, and reaching churches
- Growth of 6% or more in support per month

A full schedule for 2020 until we hit 100% support; particularly, we need God to supply more meetings in February and April 2020



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