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Greetings, Praying Friends.



The last few months have been a blur. Soon after our “Mission-Church” anniversary celebration, I flew to Scotland and back to minister there (as mentioned in my last ministry letter). Not long after I returned we saw a man saved and baptized into membership. We had met Walter Olivero through door-to-door work. I then met with him on two separate days to discuss salvation. It was during the second meeting that he trusted Christ as Saviour and Lord! HALLELUJAH! He has been a blessing and has three sweet young daughters that need saved. Please pray for his growth and the salvation of his many lost loved ones.

Most recently, we had an amazing thing happen. Let me start at the beginning. About a month after we arrived in Florida, 3 years ago, I witnessed to the lady at the driver's license center as I was transferring vehicles/driver's licenses to Florida. Not long after, Gwendolyn came to church and brought her daughter Amber, her husband, and her mother. They came a few times and then stopped. We followed up frequently but to no avail. Their daughter Amber, who is in her early twenties, came by herself a few more times after the rest of the family quit. We pursued her with the Gospel. One night at our kitchen table Amber became deeply convicted of sin and wanted to go home immediately. My wife drove her home and that was the last we saw of her. Fast-forward to about six months ago. While Brother Timothy and I were out on visitation, we came across Amber and her mother standing in their yard. God began working in Amber's heart again that day, according to her own testimony. About a month ago she showed up at our current location. A week ago, after the mid-week service, she was born again! HALLELUJAH! Please keep her in prayer as we are working on teaching her about baptism and setting up Bible studies.





In family news: Luke graduated high school in early May. Three of his sisters, some nieces and a nephew flew down and surprised him for the festivities. He has truly grown into a characterized young man. He is our dedicated song-leader, fills in with adult Sunday School when needed, faithfully attends Bayview's institute classes, and never misses outreach sessions. Luke is seeking a career in plumbing, and ultimately the field of utilities management on the city or county level. He turns 18 years old on July 12th and can then seek an apprenticeship in plumbing. Please pray for this.

Looking ahead: Our annual tract contest will be in the month of August. Once again we will break into teams and do our best to tract and invite as many people as possible. The Steve Perkins family will be with us for the second half of the month, adding an extra boost to our efforts, and affording us a chance to hear some good preaching! We will also have a one day "Camp Fun Day" at the church on a Saturday in August. We will close out our August efforts with a "Friend Day" on the last Sunday of the contest.

In September we have Pastor Chris Gable from Lehigh Valley Baptist Church in Pennsylvania coming to hold special revival meetings for us. Please pray for all of these activities.

We are still closely watching the housing market, praying that God will allow us to purchase a home at the end of this year. We also watch it constantly as we are still desiring to purchase a building for the permanent church home.

I've given you many prayer requests, and both covet and appreciate your prayers for us. Thank you for standing beside us as we seek to fulfill His commission!

In Christ's great love,
Brother Ted and Family