

August-September 2024

Dear Churches and Friends,

Family

We finished the summer with an amazing VBS at our home church! It was a joy to be used as a family and have a part in seeing children come to know the Lord. School is back in full swing now for all of us - Samantha & JR have begun their Junior and Sophomore years at Trinity Baptist Bible College and Hannah & AJ have begun their seventh and sixth grade years! We look forward to what the Lord will do in their hearts this year!

Ministry

The Lord continues to bless our efforts for VBS Express! He has allowed us to partner with a sixth work for the coming year, and He has allowed us to find many items at significantly discounted prices! So many have contributed to help as well and we are well on our way to goal for the needed items.

We continue to help ship boxes of NTs for Ambassador Baptist Ministries and the Bible Handout Ministry. Since our last prayer letter, we have helped ship 18 boxes from distribution points Bro. Netterville has around the country. We help administratively, but we also helped save over \$150 in shipping cost in that time.

Pastor Larson and I are planning a trip to carry thousands of tracts and John/Romans to Bro. Hernandez at the end of October. We are looking forward to the trip and what God will do. Bro. Larson is preaching an anniversary conference, we are planning to visit some works up the river, and we will be handing out scripture on the 'Day of the Dead'.

As we mentioned in our last prayer letter, we are beginning a deputation style ministry with a goal of raising more support and encouraging churches to get more involved in mission work. We have revamped our Facebook and Instagram presence and would appreciate a follow or a like on our page. We are building an email packet and adding to our website as well.

One of the things God has allowed us to do with our 501c3 status and Facebook presence is help missionaries get the word out as they have fundraising needs for special projects or large purchases. It has been a joy to partner with Rocky and Melanie Hall, missionaries to the deaf in Ghana, Africa, in our first fundraising effort. God has led them to the perfect property for their church and ministry needs. They started out needing \$120,000 to purchase and at this time \$76,900 is still needed. Over \$3000 has been given by individuals through the Facebook fundraiser and many churches have given directly to FBMI. It's so exciting to see God provide this need while growing our faith at the same time. Please pray for this need.

Prayer Requests

- God to raise our support level so we can increase in our presence and projects on the mission field

- God to grant us grace and strength as we seek to grow His ministry
- Mission trip planning and provision

For the Great Commission,

The Bingham Family

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