



Dear Prayer Partners,

Life in service to the Lord is never boring. Whether good or bad, we are thankful for the opportunity to serve Jesus in Edmonton.

During the month of February we continued to struggle with some of the physical issues that had plagued us during the month of January. After several doctor visits, a visit with pain management, and further personal research we are beginning to experience some relief from these issues. We are thankful to the Lord for His goodness to us throughout these issues.

We had the privilege of filling in at a church in Manitoba over one weekend. It was a joy to teach four men in their Bible Institute for 90 minutes, followed by 90 minutes of Q&A. We rejoiced to preached two Sunday services, and see several visitors in the service. The folks of this church have become special people to us, and we are praying for the Lord to provide a man to become the pastor of this church. "Then saith he unto his disciples, The harvest truly *is* plenteous, but the labourers *are* few; Pray ye therefore the Lord of the harvest, that he will send forth labourers into his harvest." —Matthew 9:36-37

At the end of February, we took James, our oldest son, to the border to officially apply for a work permit on the strength of an offer of employment he had received. After several hours of waiting at the border, James left with a 2-year work permit, and started pre-work training later that week. He has done well and is enjoying his work. He is thankful for all those who prayed for him during this difficult time.

The Lord has opened up doors for us to minister to hurting people. We haven't seen this ministry lead to a higher attendance at church, but we are praying for the salvation of souls through these efforts.

Many of those who attend our church plant have swing shifts or other odd work schedules. This means that a number of people who attend our services are not able to attend more than once every six weeks or so. We are thankful that they choose to come when they are able, and we are praying that they will grow in their walk with the Lord. One man, in particular, has begin to bring his granddaughter when he comes. She needs to trust Christ, and we ask you to pray for her salvation.

One lady began attending our services with her family about eighteen months ago. Something happened to upset her and she stopped attending services, stating that she would NEVER return. We have made this a matter of prayer ever since that time, and we are so thankful that she has been back in our services several times since the first of the year. We are still praying for her salvation, but we believe the Lord is working in her heart to that end.

Thank you for your commitment to pray for our family and our ministry in Edmonton.

Humbly His,

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