

Pangan - March 2026



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MISSIONARIES TO THE PHILIPPINES

March 3, 2026

Dear Pastor and Church Families,

Greetings in the most precious name of our Lord and savior Jesus Christ!

We sincerely pray that this letter finds you and your family in good health and under God's protection and blessing!

As we close the last quarter of 2025 and begin the first quarter 2026, we rejoice in the goodness and faithfulness of the Lord. Indeed, great is His faithfulness in every season of ministry.

Ministry Accomplishments Last Quarter of 2025

Last December 2025 was a joyful and fruitful month for our church;

Children's gift giving program- We were blessed to share gifts and the Gospel to many children in our community. It was a wonderful opportunity to show Christ's love in tangible way.



Adult Christmas Program- Through songs, testimonies, gift giving and the preachings of God's Word, many adults were encouraged and reminded of the true meaning of Christmas- JESUS CHRIST!



Hardie - 3/7/2026

Greetings to all of you who have continued with us,

We appreciate your prayer and care for us. Samuel communicated with us this past week that they only have three weeks before end of term. He was amazed at how fast this term has gone. A couple weeks back Samuel had some challenges which the Lord can continue to strengthen, guide, and help him through, he appreciates the love and care the House Parents and staff show there. The Lord has used the last several weeks to help Sarah and I to seek the Lord's help, guidance, and direction as we seek to minister to the people of Zambia throughout our trip as we prepare to pick up Samuel up March 28th, one day after my B-day. Pray for the Lord to help us accomplish his purpose and will as we continue to work with Social Welfare. We are considering meeting up with Samuel's Uncle due to the Long period we haven't seen him in person. We continue to call him a couple times a week generally.

Baby Ruth around eight months is continuing to do well. Grandma listened and appreciated the Gospel I shared with her this past Tuesday . (last two pictures)

Please pray we do find a body of believers we can have consistent Fellowship with. We as well as Samuel would greatly benefit from that. God bless all of you. We continue to pray for our friends fighting cancer, recovering from strokes, and pray for my sister Angie's continued recovery and the challenges that are currently being addressed, thanks and God bless!!!

"..... prepare to meet thy God, O Israel (Amos 4:12)"

"5 For there is one God, and one mediator between God and men, the man Christ Jesus;

6 Who gave himself a ransom for all, to be testified in due time (1 Timothy 2:5-6)."

"1 Forasmuch then as Christ hath suffered for us in the flesh,for he that hath suffered in the flesh hath ceased from sin;

2 That he no longer should live the rest of his time in the flesh to the lusts of men, but to the will of God.

3 For the time past of our life may suffice us to have wrought the will of the Gentiles, when we walked in lasciviousness, lusts, excess of wine, revellings, banquetings, and abominable idolatries:

4 Wherein they think it strange that ye run not with them to the same excess of riot, speaking evil of you:

5 Who (we all) shall give account to him (the Lord Jesus Christ)that is ready to judge the quick (living) and the dead.

6For for this cause was the gospel preached also to them that are dead, that they might be judged according to men in the flesh, but live according to God in the spirit. (1 Peter 4:1-6)

"Which were born, not of blood, nor of the will of the flesh, nor of the will of man, but of God (John 1:13)."

The Lord God has called us in whatsoever state or condition we are in to hear and heed the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ. The Lord does not show favor, honour or preference to our make, model, or serial number. We do not gain favor through our culture, character, wealth, or family line. The Lord Jesus Christ died to save us and redeem us from our sin stained condition. The Lord even warns to put one's faith in Christ Jesus in sincerity and truth may cause sorrow, pain, and separation from one's natural ties, family and relationships, while it will bring joy, peace, and fellowship with one's God and Father and Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ entering relationships through spiritual ties that multiply one's brothers and sisters in and through Christ expotentially. The body of believers is understood and appreciated when one dies to self and puts on Christ.



Becker - March 2026

March Missions Update!

Month in Review

Praise the Lord for blessing us with another good month. We continued having services and outreach at the church. We are thankful for more visitors. Please be praying that we would have more returning visitors, and we would know how to best serve those who come to the church. The area of the church has a lot of Pentecostal influence and many seem to be disappointed that we are not. Pray that those visiting the church would see the importance of understanding the Word of God over emotions and sensations.

Family Update

We are so grateful for the opportunity we had to send the girls to a day camp in the neighborhood. Their Spanish has improved greatly and we are excited for the open doors it brought to get to know more of our neighbors. Please be praying for us as we witness to our neighbors. Also, please be praying for Lucy as she has been asking us almost daily about the Bible and salvation.

Preview Day

On March 27, Vision School of Missions is having a missions rally and preview day for those interested in missions. For more information go to visionmissions.com.

Prayer Requests

Some prayer requests for the next few weeks are:

- Handing out tracts for the church plant
- For safety as the area around the church can be dangerous
- Growth of the church
- **Wisdom and energy to accomplish the work**

Thank you to all who have been praying for us!

For His Glory,

Robert, Emma, Lucille, Kelsey and Malory Becker

Picture:

Helping Daddy work



RMMO - February 2026



Evangelist Craig Bryan
Founder/Director

Ron Middleton Missions Outreach

A Baptist Church Planting Ministry

FEBRUARY 2026



Evangelist Chris Dallas
Assistant Director

"Except the Lord build the house, they labour in vain that build it." Psalm 127:1 One of the most important things when building a new work is to let God be the Master Builder. We never want to jump ahead and attempt to do anything in our own power. We would never want our labor for the Lord to be in vain. Which is why we are so excited each month to give out a report emphasizing the blessings of the Lord to the work of this Outreach.

When the idea of building an orphanage in the Congo was presented to us, I prayed earnestly about what the Lord wanted us to do. In my heart, I knew those children needed a home—one that not only provided shelter but also taught them about accepting Jesus and how to live for Him. This orphanage also serves as a Bible Training Center. This month, we held a Revival meeting in the building. What better way to teach them about Jesus than by holding revivals in the very place they call home? The Jeremy House was truly a labor of love and is being used to advance the cause of Christ.

The second picture below features a new pastor in the Congo whom we support. With our assistance, he is able to serve as a full-time pastor and reach out to his community with the message of Christ. The Congo presents significant challenges for spreading the Gospel due to governmental restrictions and a sizable Muslim population.

Bro. Robert Mickey, who is based in Kenya, recently shared an encouraging report about the work he is doing in the Congo. The Congolese pastors he works with have started distributing copies of the translated John/Romans. These pastors have reported that Muslims in their region are eagerly accepting the Word of God.

Bro. Mickey remarked on their reception of the books, saying, "They do not realize that a seed is being planted each time they read the Word of God." Please pray that as they read, the Lord will soften their hearts, leading them to accept His saving grace.

We are excited to welcome two new church plants for support this month: Bro. Thomas Blecher and Bro. Steven Barnes, who have both started churches in Guam. Additionally, we have taken on four new individuals who are starting churches in Mexico.

We kindly ask for your prayers for the men we support in the Middle East. These are very challenging times in that region, and they would greatly appreciate your prayers for their ministries and safety.

The Outreach has recently expanded to include new plants in the United States. Brother Leejay Richards in Illinois and Brother Daniel Miller in Arkansas have both established new churches. We were able to assist in purchasing carpet for Brother Miller's building. It is a great honor to support these men as they build their ministries for the Lord.

I am truly honored to play a small role in witnessing God's work through the Outreach. The numerous reports from around the world are incredibly exciting. God is using the RMMO as a tool for building His Kingdom. Through His power and blessings, the millions of souls we have reached will one day be with Him for all eternity!

In Christ;

Bro. Craig Bryan



*Our Team Getting
The Job Done*
SINCE 2020



Pastor Billy Sechrist
Sending Church

7,838,377 Souls Saved
209,637 Baptized
233 Church Plants

BCPM - March 2026

March 2026

Thank you to all who prayed for the Church Planting Conference in Melbourne, Australia. It was well attended and I believe the messages were received well. I want to especially thank Pastor Frank Guglielmo and the good people of Faith Baptist Church for hosting the conference. There were several local pastors and laypeople in attendance, and I am praying for the Lord to work in their hearts to reproduce several churches in the that region.

As many know, my time was cut short at the conference, as I had to fly back to the US because of a family emergency. My oldest Son Caleb and his wife, Madison, were in a serious accident while they were on vacation which left Caleb in the hospital with two skull fractures and a brain hematoma. We praise the Lord that he didn't need surgery and that he is now at home. Please pray for him as he has several follow up doctor visits and that he will heal and recover.

Also pray for the next church plant in Anaconda, Montana. The opening meetings are scheduled for March 22-24. The Reproducing is Bible Baptist in Normal, IL, with Pastor Todd Harrison. The new pastor is Caleb Greiner. The area is being saturated with the gospel and God's Word and we are praying for the Lord to bless and give fruit in this needy area of Montana.

Thank you for your investment in BCPM! May the Lord bless your involvement and desire to help churches reproduce churches.

Hardie - 3/13/2026

Greetings to all of you;

You are all very much appreciated for your love, care and prayers for our time here in Zambia. We are thankful for the continual support from our Brothers and Sisters at FBC. Thankful for the fellowship through the Internet, phone, face time, and email. Again without you our time here would not be possible. So thankful for our sister who has provided formula for baby Ruth (Pic 1).

Please continue to pray for Samuel as he heads into his finals week that he will be fully attentive and ready for his examines. We will be starting our Journey on Saturday, March twenty-first. We will be Lord willing attending Lusaka Gospel Hall Lord's day then have a free day. Tuesday we Lord willing will be with our Brethren in Lusaka for a reading meeting. Wednesday to Solwezi, Thursday to Ikelenge, Friday We then will journey to Samuel's school to arrive on March twenty-seventh.

Pray that we are able to find reasonable accommodation by way of Guest House or amongst brethren. Pray for an encouraging time with our Brethren. Pray for safe travels.

Several days back we heard a helicopter, I saw it circle about four or five times, it then landed fairly near our home. We found out later it was accessing the flooding and the tent city of several tents that they have set up near us. Sarah and I visited the tent city (Pic 2) today handing out multiple Gospel papers. Please pray for our resources they are running low. I do use Gospel papers also that I write and copy myself. The many groups we shared with today were quite attentive. I arranged with Sydney on Sunday to help me as my Lozi tongue. Please pray as we seek to move forward on adopting Samuel through Zambia. Waiting on his arrival back home to get his physical at Senangas Hospital. We are waiting on financial statements from our bank. Ultimately seeking to bring glory to our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, prayers for those in the hospital after a stroke and others fighting cancer we are acquainted with. Prayers for you and your family through the joys and challenges. God bless you all.

The rains have stopped about four days ago. We are heading into a dry season, pray for those who are in the tent city that will be rebuilding once the floods subside and dry up. To consider the many who live in the flood plain who accept the perpetual chance that they may have to rebuild every year. Many lose crops who attempt in the flood plains.

Sending our love to all feel free to write, set up a WhatsApp or Messenger call. God Bless

(Sentences From Sarah)

Sarah just finished her Egoscue full body physical Therapy. She's greatly improved, has a few issues to work out. The Therapist appreciated her exit interview sharing how though it was done across the ocean the sessions were very good.



Gomez - 3/17/2026



Dear Supporters,

Thank you all for your prayers and support!

I recently published this prayer letter but there are a few updates I need to tag on here that occurred right after:

I was in a near fatal accident on Friday morning, March 13. A friend was driving while I rested and no one else was involved. The truck slid on some ice off of a hill and my truck rolled 3-4 times. We only suffered minor scrapes and bruises. I thank God we are alive. Unfortunately the truck was a total loss but I was able to buy a Prius the same day for \$3300. I am praying that the car will last me until I leave for Ghana.

My mind is fixed on Ghana. I've raised \$100 of the \$500 I set out to raise for my convert (Georgina) and her family. Still praying that God will provide for this need.

My official departure date goal is August 3 but I'm going to need my monthly support to come in before my agency will give me the green light to go.

Please pray with me that promised support comes in before then so I can schedule my exit interview with my agency

For the Sake of the Gospel,

Abram Gomez

Missionary to Ghana, West Africa

Hardie - 3/18/2026

Greetings all;

Sarah and I went to the tent camp they have set up about a three to five minute walk from our home. Many have been displaced from their homes. This past Sunday I had Sydney as my interpreter. We talked to some that had been in the tent city for a week and some who had been there a month. We were told it may be a couple months before the water recedes, where the people will then return to their homes and rebuild. Though the flooding due to much rain this past rainy season has been much more intense this year. Generally every rainy season there are many accustomed to moving from the flood plains to rebuild their simple homes when the rains go. What brought it to our attention was a helicopter checking out the river a little over a week ago. Pray for these people both for their need for Christ and the physical challenges that would exist, as they are now, a large tent community. The Government is working on putting a bore hole for water there. They have many different community service people assisting on a daily basis. Many people have brought their dogs all seeming to get along.

(One can consider this song)

"The Wise Man Built His House Upon A Rock"

"48 He is like a man which built an house, and digged deep, and laid the foundation on a rock: and when the flood arose, the stream beat vehemently upon that house, and could not shake it: for it was founded upon a rock. 49 But he that heareth, and doeth not, is like a man that without a foundation built an house upon the earth; against which the stream did beat vehemently, and immediately it fell; and the ruin of that house was great (Luke 6:48-49 KJV)."

" For other foundation can no man lay than that is laid, which is Jesus Christ (1 Corinthians 3:11 KJV - 11)."



Hardie 3/20/2026

Greetings all,

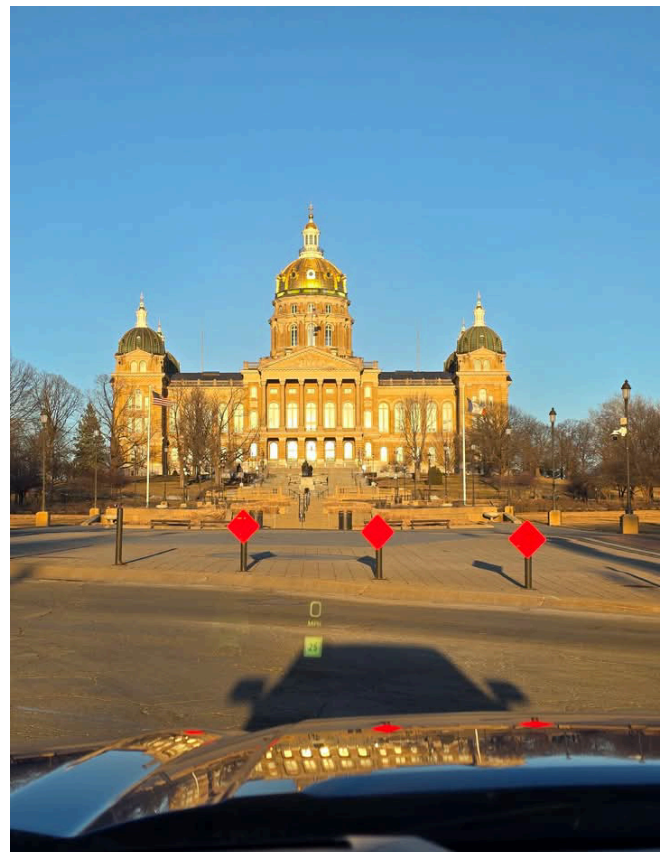
Prayers for you and your families, prayers the Lord is helping and guiding you in the midst of your current journey.

Please keep us in your prayers as we start off at between 3:30 and 4:00 am tomorrow morning headed for Lusaka needing and appreciating our brethren in Lusaka. Sarah, Samuel, and I will be reacquainted Lord Willing Friday, March 27th (My Birthday). Pray for our Lord's wisdom and grace. Samuel needs deep encouragement in the Lord. He expressed on the phone that he has much to tell us. He seems more stressed than his usual happy go lucky self. It does hurt not being face to face with him daily.

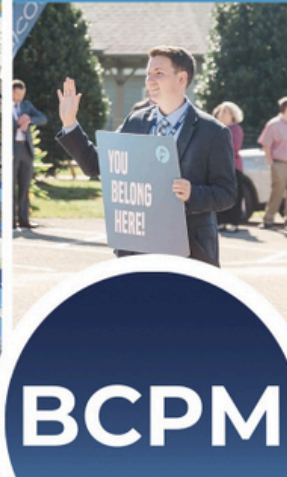
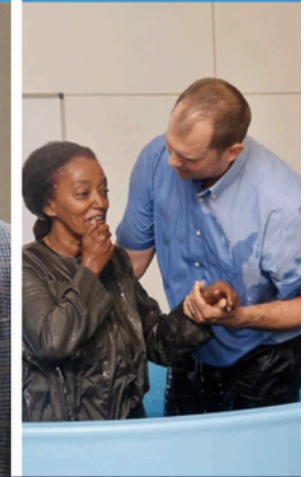
Pray for our travelling mercies. God Bless. Looking unto His timing, his purposes, and His ways. Thinking and praying for you all back home Iowa State Capital pictured.

But I have prayed for thee, that thy faith fail not: and when thou art converted, strengthen thy brethren (Luke 22:32)."

" **Looking unto Jesus the author and finisher of our faith;** who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is set down at the right hand of the throne of God (Hebrews 12:2)."



BCPM - 3/24/2026

DESIRE Accept & act on the burden	DESIGN Prepare a strategy	DELIVER Plan for a healthy birth	DEVELOP Strengthen and mature	DUPLICATE Aim to reproduce
				
BAPTIST CHURCH PLANTING MINISTRY			HELPING CHURCHES REPRODUCE CHURCHES	

BCPM

Continue to pray for the opening meetings for Valley Point Baptist Church, a new church plant in Anaconda, MT. The first two nights have gone well with six first-time visitors and several guests returning each night. We are also thankful for several pastors traveling in to support the new work. Area churches assisting with these new plants is such an encouragement and adds credibility. Pastor Jason Stoeber is conducting these meetings and is doing a great job. Please pray for the final night as we are asking the Lord to give fruit to further His mission in reaching Anaconda, MT.



Hardie - 3/25/2026

Viewing the world from seats nine and Ten, started off towards Solwezi just after 6:00 am.

We enjoyed our time in Lusaka, we will spend two days in Solwezi since we can't get all the way to Samuel's School on Friday. We go Mwinilunga an hour and a half out on Friday. The School's Chartered bus will then take Samuel and us to Solwezi on Saturday morning around 9:00am. Thanks again for your prayers and care for us. God Bless!!!

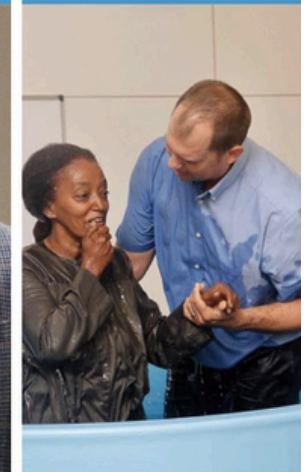


Hardie - 3/29/2026

We received Samuel Saturday and travelled on the Sakeji Chartered Bus from Mwinilunga to Solwezi Saturday. Our time with Samuel is precious. We Lord willing while he is with us can press forward regarding Samuel's adoption. We will be getting his physical when we are back in Senanga and Lord willing get the paperwork work accomplished. We all three very much enjoyed our fellowship with Valley Gospel Hall on Lord's Day. Always thankful for the time we can spend with the saints. To answer the Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ request, "Do this in Remembrance of me." We are now the road to Lusaka Monday morning, 4:00 am. Pray for our journey we are always thankful for your intercession on our behalf. The Lord is gracious and full of mercy. We appreciate your love and support shown us over the years. God Bless!!!



BCPM - 3/25/2026

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BCPM



There were four more first-time guests during the last opening meeting for Valley Point Baptist Church, a new church plant in Anaconda, MT. Pastor Todd Harrison of Bible Baptist, the reproducing church, brought a group and traveled in from Normal, IL, to help with meetings and evangelism this week. It was good to have Pastor Dustin Beck from Grace Baptist in Butte travel over to assist with the meeting. BCPM helped Grace Baptist start in 2022 and it's always encouraging to see these young churches assisting the new plants. These were great opening meetings for an area like Anaconda. Pray now for Pastor Greiner as he and his wife make follow up visits and continue to advance the cause of Christ in Anaconda, MT.



VALLEYPOINT
BAPTIST CHURCH

221 Mt Haggin Dr.

Sunday Bible Study
Sunday Morning Service
Wednesday Bible Study
406-563-0275

Pastor Caleb Greiner

9:45 am
11:00 am
6:30 pm
vbomt.com



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THE STRENGTH OF THE FAITHFUL CHURCH

If someone were to judge the condition of the church only by what appears in the news, they might assume the church is struggling or losing influence in today's world. But the truth is something very different. Every week across America, thousands of churches quietly gather to worship the Lord, preach the Scriptures, disciple believers, and share the Gospel with their communities. You may not read about these churches in national headlines. **Faithful ministry rarely makes the news.** Yet it is through these quiet, faithful ministries that God continues building His church.

**FAITHFUL MINISTRY RARELY
MAKES THE NEWS.**

Across America this very week, pastors are preparing sermons, counseling families, and praying for their congregations. Church members are serving in children's ministries, leading Bible studies, visiting the sick, and encouraging one another in the faith. These acts of service rarely attract public attention. They are not dramatic or controversial enough to make headlines. But they matter deeply. In fact, they represent the very heartbeat of the church. The Bible reminds us that God often works through what the world considers small or unnoticed. ***"For who hath despised the day of small things?"*** (Zechariah 4:10)

**THE STRENGTH OF THE CHURCH HAS NEVER
DEPENDED ON PUBLICITY OR POPULARITY—IT
RESTS ON FAITHFULNESS
TO GOD'S WORD.**

Throughout Scripture, the Lord repeatedly used ordinary people who simply remained faithful to Him. The strength of the church has never depended on publicity or popularity. It rests on faithful obedience to God's Word. Every Sunday, pastors stand behind pulpits and proclaim the Scriptures. Congregations gather to worship the Lord and encourage one another. Children hear Bible stories that may shape their lives for decades to come. Missionaries are supported. Families are strengthened. These quiet acts of faithfulness rarely appear in headlines. But they are transforming lives.

The Apostle Paul wrote: ***"Moreover it is required in stewards, that a man be found faithful."*** (1 Corinthians 4:2) Faithfulness may not always draw attention, but it is precious in the sight of God. At the Christian Law Association, we have the privilege of witnessing this faithfulness every day. Many of the pastors and churches who contact CLA are faithfully serving their communities with humility and dedication. They are not seeking recognition. They simply desire to serve the Lord and shepherd the people God has entrusted to them.

**ACROSS AMERICA, CHURCHES ARE
QUIETLY CHANGING LIVES
EVERY WEEK.**

Sometimes these faithful ministries encounter unexpected challenges—administrative questions, legal concerns, or regulatory matters that arise as they carry out their work.

THE GREATEST HOPE FOR AMERICA IS THE
GOSPEL AND THE LOCAL CHURCH.

— DR. DAVID GIBBS

When those moments come, CLA is honored to stand beside these churches and provide guidance so that pastors can continue focusing on their mission. Dr. David Gibbs often reminds: **“The greatest hope for America is the Gospel and the local church.”** And that work is happening every day. In small towns and large cities, in rural communities and growing suburbs, churches are quietly continuing the work of the gospel. Lives are being changed. Families are being strengthened. Believers are growing in their faith. And the church of Jesus Christ continues moving forward. Jesus Himself promised: **“I will build my church; and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it.”** (Matthew 16:18) That promise still stands today.

While the headlines of the world may focus on conflict and uncertainty, God is still at work through faithful churches across America. And much of that work happens quietly—one sermon, one prayer, one act of faithfulness at a time.



STANDING WITH THOSE WHO STAND FOR CHRIST



Every week across America, pastors, churches, Christian schools, and believers face legal questions and challenges simply because they are trying to faithfully live out their Biblical convictions. Many feel overwhelmed, unsure where to turn, or concerned about the cost of legal help.

That is where the Christian Law Association steps in.

For more than five decades, CLA has been committed to defending religious liberty and helping ministries navigate legal challenges with wisdom, compassion, and Biblical conviction. From pastors needing guidance on church policies, to Christian schools facing government pressure, to believers seeking counsel on matters of conscience, CLA's legal team is available every day to provide assistance.

Most of the help CLA provides happens quietly. Calls come in from churches across the nation asking questions about zoning, church governance, employment issues, religious freedom protections, and more. In many cases, a single phone call with one of CLA's attorneys can prevent a small issue from becoming a serious legal problem.

CLA exists to stand beside those churches, helping them remain free to preach, teach, and minister without unnecessary interference.

Because of faithful friends and supporters, CLA is able to assist ministries across all 50 states. Every call answered, every letter written, and every case handled represents another opportunity to protect the freedom to serve Christ.

If your church, ministry, or Christian school ever faces a legal question, remember—you do not have to face it alone.

The Christian Law Association is here to help.

LEGAL QUESTIONS, PRAYER REQUESTS, OR DONATIONS:
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APRIL LEGAL TIPS

THE CHRISTIAN LAW ASSOCIATION

1 PLANNING CHURCH OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES

Spring and summer bring wonderful opportunities for churches to host outdoor activities such as picnics, Vacation Bible School, youth camps, and community outreach events. While these events are a blessing, it is wise for churches to take a few simple legal precautions.

Churches should review their liability insurance coverage to ensure that outdoor activities, transportation, and volunteers are properly covered. It is also wise to have permission forms and medical release forms for minors participating in activities, especially when transportation or off-site events are involved.

A little planning ahead can prevent problems later and allow your church to focus on what matters most—sharing the Gospel and ministering to families in your community.



2 SUMMER WORKERS AND VOLUNTEERS

Many churches and Christian camps bring on additional help during the summer months. This may include youth interns, seasonal workers, or volunteers assisting with children's programs or outreach events.



Churches should clearly understand whether someone is serving as a volunteer, an employee, or an independent contractor. Misclassifying workers can sometimes create tax or legal complications. Additionally, churches working with minors should consider background checks for staff and volunteers who will have direct contact with children.

Taking these steps helps protect both the ministry and the families your church serves.

3 MISSION TRIPS AND TRAVEL PLANNING

Many churches organize mission trips during the summer months. These trips can be tremendous opportunities for spiritual growth and outreach, but churches should also be mindful of several practical legal considerations.

Written permission forms, medical information, and travel waivers are important when minors are participating. Churches should also verify that their insurance policies provide coverage for travel-related activities.

Proper planning allows churches to focus on ministry while ensuring the safety of those participating.



4 WEDDINGS AND FACILITY USE

Spring and summer are popular seasons for weddings, and many churches graciously allow their facilities to be used for these special occasions. Having a written wedding policy can help avoid misunderstandings and ensure that the use of church facilities remains consistent with the ministry's Biblical convictions.

Policies may address scheduling, facility guidelines, expectations for conduct, and any required fees or deposits. Clear policies protect the church while helping couples understand what to expect as they plan their wedding day.





PRAYER & PRAISE CHECKLIST

○ ALABAMA

Prayer: Pray for a church seeking guidance after a zoning official raised questions about its midweek ministry programs and parking arrangements.

Praise: Praise the Lord for a pastor who recently received assistance in strengthening his church's constitution and bylaws.

○ ALASKA

Prayer: Pray for a rural church working through questions regarding building use permits for an expanded outreach program.

Praise: Praise God for a ministry that recently resolved administrative questions regarding nonprofit status and recordkeeping.

○ ARIZONA

Prayer: Pray for a church seeking counsel regarding proper classification of ministry staff and volunteers.

Praise: Praise the Lord for church leaders who recently implemented clear policies protecting the church's doctrinal position.

○ ARKANSAS

Prayer: Pray for wisdom for pastors reviewing child safety and ministry protection policies.

Praise: Praise God for a church that recently updated its leadership structure to strengthen accountability.

○ CALIFORNIA

Prayer: Pray for a congregation seeking guidance after local officials questioned certain ministry activities on church property.

Praise: Praise the Lord for pastors who received helpful guidance regarding facility use policies.

○ COLORADO

Prayer: Pray for a ministry addressing questions regarding use of its church property for community outreach events.

Praise: Praise God for a church that successfully clarified its rights regarding ministry programs held on its property.

○ CONNECTICUT

Prayer: Pray for a church seeking guidance on responding to inquiries regarding employment policies.

Praise: Praise the Lord for pastors who recently strengthened church governance policies.

○ DELAWARE

Prayer: Pray for wisdom for church leaders reviewing bylaws and leadership roles within the ministry.

Praise: Praise God for a congregation that successfully clarified its nonprofit administrative requirements.

○ FLORIDA

Prayer: Pray for pastors seeking guidance on employment matters involving church staff.

Praise: Praise the Lord for a ministry that received counsel helping them confidently move forward with a new outreach program.

○ GEORGIA

Prayer: Pray for a church seeking guidance on facility use policies to ensure church property is used in ways consistent with its beliefs.

Praise: Praise God for church leaders who recently strengthened their ministry policies and procedures.

○ HAWAII

Prayer: Pray for pastors addressing questions related to church governance and leadership responsibilities.

Praise: Praise the Lord for ministries continuing faithful outreach in their communities.

○ IDAHO

Prayer: Pray for a church reviewing policies regarding volunteers working with youth ministries.

Praise: Praise God for a ministry that recently implemented improved financial accountability practices.

○ ILLINOIS

Prayer: Pray for church leaders seeking guidance on employment classifications and ministry staff roles.

Praise: Praise the Lord for a church that recently resolved administrative questions regarding its church records and governance.

○ INDIANA

Prayer: Pray for pastors reviewing their church constitution to ensure it clearly reflects the church's beliefs and mission.

Praise: Praise God for a congregation that recently strengthened its leadership structure.

○ IOWA

Prayer: Pray for wisdom for church leaders working through questions regarding facility use and outreach events.

Praise: Praise the Lord for a ministry that recently received helpful counsel regarding nonprofit compliance.

○ KANSAS

Prayer: Pray for pastors seeking guidance regarding church insurance and liability protection for ministry activities.

Praise: Praise God for a church that recently strengthened its policies to protect the ministry.

○ KENTUCKY

Prayer: Pray for church leaders seeking counsel regarding employment matters involving ministry staff.

Praise: Praise the Lord for pastors who recently updated their church policies to protect the ministry's mission.

○ LOUISIANA

Prayer: Pray for a church seeking guidance on how to properly structure its ministry leadership roles.

Praise: Praise God for congregations strengthening their administrative procedures.

○ MAINE

Prayer: Pray for pastors reviewing policies regarding outside groups requesting to use church facilities.

Praise: Praise the Lord for faithful churches continuing to reach their communities.

○ MARYLAND

Prayer: Pray for church leaders seeking guidance regarding nonprofit reporting and recordkeeping responsibilities.

Praise: Praise God for ministries strengthening their governance practices.

○ MASSACHUSETTS

Prayer: Pray for pastors addressing questions related to ministry outreach programs and facility use.

Praise: Praise the Lord for churches continuing faithful ministry despite administrative challenges.

○ MICHIGAN

Prayer: Pray for wisdom for church leaders reviewing employment and volunteer policies.

Praise: Praise God for a church that recently strengthened internal financial procedures.

○ MINNESOTA

Prayer: Pray for pastors seeking guidance on church policies that protect the ministry's doctrinal convictions.

Praise: Praise the Lord for ministries that recently updated their governing documents.

○ MISSISSIPPI

Prayer: Pray for church leaders addressing questions related to church property and building use.

Praise: Praise God for pastors strengthening leadership accountability within their ministries.

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- Intercessory prayer ministry for requests sent to the ministry offices
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○ MISSOURI

Prayer: Pray for a church seeking counsel regarding governance and leadership responsibilities.

Praise: Praise the Lord for ministries that have taken steps to strengthen church policies.

○ MONTANA

Prayer: Pray for pastors serving churches in remote areas who often handle both ministry and administrative responsibilities.

Praise: Praise God for faithful congregations continuing ministry outreach.

○ NEBRASKA

Prayer: Pray for wisdom for pastors reviewing policies related to ministry volunteers.

Praise: Praise the Lord for churches strengthening their financial accountability practices.

○ NEVADA

Prayer: Pray for a church seeking guidance regarding zoning questions affecting ministry activities.

Praise: Praise God for pastors continuing faithful outreach in their communities.

○ NEW HAMPSHIRE

Prayer: Pray for church leaders reviewing their bylaws and leadership responsibilities.

Praise: Praise the Lord for congregations strengthening unity and ministry focus.

○ NEW JERSEY

Prayer: Pray for pastors navigating regulatory questions while remaining faithful to their convictions.

Praise: Praise God for ministries continuing strong outreach efforts.

○ NEW MEXICO

Prayer: Pray for churches reviewing policies regarding church staff and ministry leadership.

Praise: Praise the Lord for pastors receiving guidance that helped resolve administrative questions.

○ NEW YORK

Prayer: Pray for church leaders addressing questions related to building use and ministry activities.

Praise: Praise God for congregations strengthening their governance structure.

○ NORTH CAROLINA

Prayer: Pray for pastors seeking counsel regarding employment and volunteer roles within the church.

Praise: Praise the Lord for churches strengthening leadership teams.

○ NORTH DAKOTA

Prayer: Pray for pastors serving smaller congregations while addressing administrative responsibilities.

Praise: Praise God for faithful churches continuing Gospel ministry.

○ OHIO

Prayer: Pray for churches seeking guidance on facility use policies and outreach events hosted on church property.

Praise: Praise the Lord for ministries strengthening governance and policy structures.

○ OKLAHOMA

Prayer: Pray for pastors reviewing church constitutions to ensure their mission and beliefs are clearly stated.

Praise: Praise God for congregations strengthening internal leadership practices.

○ OREGON

Prayer: Pray for church leaders addressing regulatory questions affecting ministry activities.

Praise: Praise the Lord for ministries continuing faithful outreach efforts.

○ PENNSYLVANIA

Prayer: Pray for pastors seeking guidance regarding property use and ministry programs.

Praise: Praise God for churches strengthening leadership and accountability.

○ RHODE ISLAND

Prayer: Pray for pastors seeking wisdom as they guide their churches through administrative questions.

Praise: Praise the Lord for ministries faithfully serving their communities.

○ SOUTH CAROLINA

Prayer: Pray for church leaders reviewing governance and ministry policies.

Praise: Praise God for congregations strengthening discipleship ministries.

○ SOUTH DAKOTA

Prayer: Pray for pastors addressing administrative matters while leading rural congregations.

Praise: Praise the Lord for faithful churches continuing ministry outreach.

○ TENNESSEE

Prayer: Pray for church leaders seeking guidance regarding staff roles and responsibilities.

Praise: Praise God for ministries strengthening church policies and procedures.

○ TEXAS

Prayer: Pray for pastors seeking counsel regarding ministry leadership structure and staff matters.

Praise: Praise the Lord for churches proactively strengthening governance policies.

○ UTAH

Prayer: Pray for pastors faithfully sharing the Gospel in communities where churches are fewer in number.

Praise: Praise God for believers continuing to stand strong in their faith.

○ VERMONT

Prayer: Pray for pastors serving small congregations while addressing ministry administration.

Praise: Praise the Lord for faithful churches continuing Gospel outreach.

○ VIRGINIA

Prayer: Pray for church leaders reviewing policies to protect their ministry and mission.

Praise: Praise God for congregations strengthening leadership structures.

○ WASHINGTON

Prayer: Pray for pastors addressing administrative questions related to ministry outreach programs.

Praise: Praise the Lord for ministries continuing to reach their communities.

○ WEST VIRGINIA

Prayer: Pray for church leaders seeking guidance regarding governance and ministry administration.

Praise: Praise God for churches strengthening fellowship and leadership.

○ WISCONSIN

Prayer: Pray for pastors reviewing policies that protect the ministry's doctrinal convictions.

Praise: Praise the Lord for congregations strengthening ministry outreach.

○ WYOMING

Prayer: Pray for pastors serving churches across widely spread rural communities.

Praise: Praise God for faithful believers supporting their local churches.

We covet your prayers for these requests and hundreds of others we receive weekly.

RMMO - March 2026



Evangelist Craig Bryan
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"Then spake Jesus again unto them, saying, I am the light of the world: he that followeth me shall not walk in darkness, but shall have the light of life." John 8:12 Spreading the Light and seeing souls saved should be a fundamental responsibility for all Christians. Winning souls is not just a method or ideology; it is a command from the Lord. We are called to accept His light and do everything we can to be beacons of hope in this lost and dying world. How can we achieve this? By sharing the Gospel and building churches all around the world!

The pastors we support each month are dedicated to spreading the light of the Lord. They work diligently in soul winning, inviting others to church, preaching the Word and in discipleship. It is a privilege to receive updates on the progress being made each month in all of their ministries.

This month, a report came from Bro. Steven Simmons in Mexico. He shared an intriguing story about his wife, Wendi, who had the opportunity to witness to two street performers near their home. These men juggle machetes at stoplights to earn money, and at times, they even juggle the machetes while walking on portable tightropes. When Wendi approached them, they stopped and listened as she shared the Gospel, and both men accepted Jesus into their hearts.

There are times when special abilities and talents serve as valuable tools for soulwinning. Brother Sihok in Cambodia organizes a Medical Mission Outreach for many of the villages in his area (see pictures below). Those who come to receive assistance from the volunteer doctors must first listen to a Gospel message. A total of 139 patients attended to address their health issues. He was pleased to report that 88 of those who came were spiritually healed by accepting Jesus into their hearts.

We are also eager to receive updates from the colleges we support. This year, the Providence Bible College and Seminary in Nigeria graduated 38 men and women! Since its opening, the college has produced a total of 237 graduates and has helped establish 60 churches. Bro. Mark Holmes has done an excellent job with the college and his ministry in Nigeria.

We are always honored to assist those who are diligently building ministries. Recently, we were able to help Bro. Painter in Thailand by purchasing tracts for his work. Additionally, we provided carpet for Bro. Daniel Miller's new building in Arkansas. (pictured below) For their first Sunday Service, they had 24 in attendance! Each month brings fresh information, new churches, and exciting opportunities to spread the Light of the Gospel.

We at the RMMO deeply appreciate the support and prayers we receive each month. In the past few months, several new churches have begun supporting us. We could not accomplish our mission without our dedicated supporters. Every dollar and every prayer acts as a guiding light for someone searching for their way to Jesus!

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BCPM - 4/7/2026

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We praise the Lord for how He continues to bless Valley Point Baptist Church, a new church plant in Anaconda, MT. Since the Get Acquainted Meetings, there has been a steady interest and attendance from the community. Over the last two Sundays they've had an average of 48 in attendance with 25 first-time guests. This is a wonderful start in a community like Anaconda. Please pray for Pastor Greiner and his wife as they make follow up visits and as they continue to advance the cause of Christ in Anaconda, MT.

Hardie - 4/8/2026

There is one body of believers which have put their faith in sincerity and truth in the cleansing blood of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. I am thankful to know and have many brothers and sisters in Christ in Zambia and back on the other side of the ocean. Having a mutual faith with other members of the body of Christ is critical for both our individual welfare and the welfare of our brethren in whom we share a mutual faith with. Considering the one body that is shared mutually with fellow believers worldwide is both awe inspiring and sobering at the same time. To consider each individual is likened to individual body parts from the minutest seemingly insignificant parts to the larger seemingly more essential parts. Whether the Lord is using us as small or large body parts to encourage, building up others in the body, as the mouth, eye, tongue, hand, foot, ear, toe, hand or even finger. We who are in Christ Jesus are called to help each individual body part recognizing that we must help the other existing members of the body to enable the body of Christ to strengthen, heal, encourage, share in the joy and in the suffering with one another. The greatest objective as a true member of the body of Christ is to bring glory to God by way of our communion in, through, and by the Lord Jesus Christ regarding our relationship with the fellow members of the body of Christ.

(12) For as the body is one, and hath many members, and all the members of that one body, being many, are one body: so also is Christ. [13] For by one Spirit are we all baptized into one body, whether we be Jews or Gentiles, whether we be bond or free; and have been all made to drink into one Spirit. [14] For the body is not one member, but many. [15] If the foot shall say, Because I am not the hand, I am not of the body; is it therefore not of the body? [16] And if the ear shall say, Because I am not the eye, I am not of the body; is it therefore not of the body? [17] If the whole body were an eye, where were the hearing? If the whole were hearing, where were the smelling? [18] But now hath God set the members every one of them in the body, as it hath pleased him. [19] And if they were all one member, where were the body? [20] But now are they many members, yet but one body. [21] And the eye cannot say unto the hand, I have no need of thee: nor again the head to the feet, I have no need of you. [22] Nay, much more those members of the body, which seem to be more feeble, are necessary: [23] And those members of the body, which we think to be less honourable, upon these we bestow more abundant honour; and our uncomely parts have more abundant comeliness. [24] For our comely parts have no need: but God hath tempered the body together, having given more abundant honour to that part which lacked: [25] That there should be no schism in the body; but that the members should have the same care one for another. [26] And whether one member suffer, all the members suffer with it; or one member be honoured, all the members rejoice with it. [27] Now ye are the body of Christ, and members in particular (1 Corinthians 12:12-27 KJV)."



Becker - March 2026

Month in Review

We started off the month with a visit from Robert's mom. We were so grateful she got to come see us. The girls greatly enjoyed spending time with Grandma and all of the gifts that she brought them. Also this was the first time she got to meet Malory. We had a good month in the church as we continued with services and outreach. **Please be praying for our efforts and that we will see the Lord work and people respond to the Gospel message.** At the end of the month, Robert was able to go to a conference in Chile with two men serving here in Argentina. They had a blessed time during the conference which is put on by the Seminario Chileno Bautista, a ministry of Jason Holt who has been there for 20 years and serves along side us at VBM. They greatly enjoyed hearing preaching from missionary Matt Goins who serves in Honduras on "being equipped for the battle". We ask that you pray for their ministries as they work for the Lord where He has called them.

Prayer Requests

Some prayer requests for the next few weeks are:

- Handing out tracts for the church plant
- For the Gospel to take root in our city
- For safety as the area around the church can be dangerous
- Growth of the church
- **Wisdom and energy to accomplish the work**

Thank you to all who have been praying for us!

For His Glory,

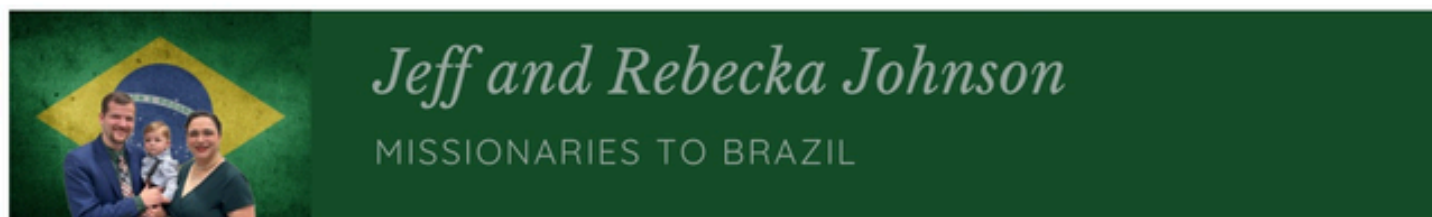
Robert, Emma, Lucille, Kelsey and Malory Becker

Pictures:

1 Visiting with Roberts Mom

2 The guys in Chile





Jeff and Rebecka Johnson

MISSIONARIES TO BRAZIL

Dear Praying and Supporting Partners,

Ministry Update

Praise God for sending Jesus to die for our sins, and then giving us hope in the Resurrection. We hope Resurrection Sunday brought the Gospel to the unsaved and revived a love for Christ in the saved in your churches.

Many miles have been travelled these past few months from North Dakota and northern states all the way down to Mississippi and deep southern states. God has provided new tires, opportunities to witness, and safety in our travels: thank you for your prayers in this area! Jeff had the opportunity to be interviewed on a podcast, Water from the Rock, and tell more about missionary life. Jeff also had the opportunity to translate his own sermon for a deaf man in one church. We will be learning a different sign language than ASL in Brazil, but he knew enough sign to help in that situation.

Family Update

James has been loving the different church families and nurseries. We are enjoying watching him grow and having a desire to help where he can.

Becka's pregnancy is going well. Her health and energy has been up even in the travel. Becka and James will be dropped off at our home base the first week of May, and Jeff will be heading back out the next week to continue traveling until mid-July. Please, be in prayer for Becka handling the last trimester without Jeff, for Jeff's safety as he travels alone, and for baby to wait till Jeff gets home before arriving.

Prayer Requests

- Souls to be saved
- Health for Becka in her pregnancy
- Health of our family
- Safety in travel

In His Service,
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Hardie - 4/16/2026

Greetings all,

Met up with Grandma and Baby Ruth, Tuesday morning, After our assistance last week in the hospital, Ruth is worm free (found on bottom), we are thankful. Ruth is at nine months, we will evaluate at one year as Ruth slowly transitions to solid food.

We will be journeying Lord willing just about a week and a half. We will have a little time with our Brethren in Lusaka, Samuel's school starts May 2nd. We are seeking to turn in the last of Samuel's paperwork, Lord willing the file will then be submitted to the Director General. Please pray for the gentleman overseeing our adoption case here in Senaga. We appreciate your continued prayers and support as we prayerfully aim towards adoption of Samuel and the clear and proper course and path the Lord would have for us.

Lord willing we would be looking at coming back to the States for a time.

We continue to seek advisement from our brethren as Samuel approaches his second term at Sakeji. Praying for God's wisdom, strength, and perseverance as we proceed forward. It's is through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ and our God and Father that we have been kept safe thus far. "Looking unto Jesus the Author and Finisher of our faith (Hebrews 12:2)."



CLA - May 2026

CHRISTIAN LAW
ASSOCIATION 
EMAIL ALERT



Will the Next Generation have the Same Freedom?

There was a time when churches did not have to think about their freedoms—they simply lived them. Ministry was not something that required careful legal consideration or measured hesitation. Churches opened their doors, planned outreaches, disciplined believers, and proclaimed the Gospel without wondering whether those activities might be questioned or challenged. It was understood that this was the natural and protected work of the church. For many, that memory still feels recent. Yet across the country, a growing number of pastors and ministry leaders are beginning to sense that something has shifted. Not in ways that always draw public attention, but in quieter, more subtle ways that are becoming increasingly familiar—moments of uncertainty, questions that did not used to arise, and situations that require more careful navigation than before.

At Christian Law Association, these moments are not theoretical—they are heard every day through the voices of pastors and church leaders seeking guidance. A pastor may call after receiving a notice from a local official questioning whether a ministry activity complies with local regulations. Another church may be unsure how to proceed with a new outreach effort that, in years past, would have been undertaken without hesitation. A Christian school may be working through how to uphold its Biblical convictions while responding to outside pressures that challenge its policies. Each situation is unique, yet together they reflect a broader reality—one that is developing steadily and deserves thoughtful attention. These are not isolated concerns, but part of a pattern that reveals how the environment in which churches operate is gradually changing.

This leads us to a question that is both simple and deeply significant: will the next generation have the same freedom we have known? It is a question that extends beyond current circumstances and reaches into the future of ministry itself. Scripture reminds us that what is not intentionally preserved is often quietly lost. In Judges 2:10, we read of a generation that arose which **“knew not the Lord, nor yet the works which he had done for Israel.”** That did not happen suddenly, nor was it the result of a single decision. It was the result of something not being

faithfully carried forward. In much the same way, the freedoms that allow churches to operate, teach, and minister are not self-sustaining. They are not preserved simply because they existed in the past. They require awareness, stewardship, and continued faithful use.

One of the greatest challenges in recognizing this shift is that it rarely happens all at once. Instead, it unfolds gradually—often so gradually that it can be difficult to identify in the moment. A small concern raised here, a request for change there, a moment of hesitation that replaces what was once confidence. Individually, these situations may seem minor or manageable, and in many cases they are. But over time, they begin to shape the way churches think and operate. Ministries that once moved forward without question may begin to pause. Outreach efforts may be reconsidered. Leaders may find themselves asking not only what is right, but what is allowed. And when uncertainty begins to influence action, it can quietly limit what is done.

This is how freedom can be eroded—not through one defining moment, but through a series of smaller ones that, taken together, create a different environment. It is not always the presence of direct opposition that changes things, but the gradual introduction of uncertainty that leads to caution replacing confidence. When churches begin to step back—not out of conviction, but out of concern—the effect is cumulative. Over time, what was once freely exercised becomes less visible, less frequent, and ultimately less understood. And what is not consistently practiced becomes more vulnerable to restriction.

What is at stake in these moments is not limited to present challenges. It is the future of how ministry will function in the years to come. It is whether churches will continue to gather without interference, whether Christian schools will be able to teach Biblical truth without compromise, whether pastors can counsel individuals with clarity and confidence, and whether ministries can continue reaching their communities openly and effectively. These are not distant or abstract concerns—they are being shaped right now, through the decisions churches are making and the guidance they are seeking in real time.

Psalm 78:4 reminds us of the responsibility that rests on each generation: **“We will not hide them from their children, shewing to the generation to come the praises of the Lord.”** There is a clear call not only to believe and to serve, but to ensure that what has been entrusted is passed forward intact. That responsibility extends beyond doctrine into the practical ability to live out and proclaim that truth. The freedoms that make ministry possible are part of that stewardship. They are not ends in themselves, but they are essential tools that allow the work of the Lord to continue unhindered.

This is where the work of Christian Law Association becomes so vital. Each call received is more than a question—it is a moment where a ministry is choosing how it will move forward. Churches are not looking to create conflict or draw attention; they are simply seeking to continue faithfully. They want to understand how to respond wisely, how to proceed with confidence, and how to ensure that their ministry remains both protected and effective. CLA comes alongside these churches in those moments, providing guidance that is rooted in both legal understanding and a deep appreciation for ministry. In doing so, it helps churches continue their work—not with fear, but with clarity.

Much of this work happens quietly. Situations are resolved without public attention. Questions are answered, and ministries move forward, often without others ever knowing what was at stake. Yet those quiet resolutions carry significant weight. Each one represents a moment where a church chose to continue rather than withdraw, to seek wisdom rather than remain uncertain, and to stand in a way that preserves not only its own ministry, but the broader ability of others to do the same.

Galatians 5:1 provides a clear and steady instruction: **“Stand fast therefore in the liberty wherewith Christ hath made us free.”** This is not a call to react with fear or to become defensive. It is a call to remain steady, faithful, and grounded. To continue doing what is right with wisdom and confidence. To recognize that standing is not always dramatic, but it is always important. It is found in the consistent,

thoughtful decisions that allow ministry to move forward even when circumstances become more complex.

The freedoms we enjoy today are a gift, but they are also a responsibility. They have been preserved through the faithfulness of those who came before us, and they are now entrusted to us to steward wisely. What we do with them—how we use them, how we respond when they are questioned, and whether we choose to continue faithfully—will shape what the next generation inherits. May we be found faithful in that responsibility, not only for the sake of ministry today, but for those who will follow us in ministering tomorrow. So that the next generation

Hardie - 5/4/2026

Greetings all,

We came into Lusaka two Saturdays ago with Samuel attended Lusaka Gospel Hall with our friend Sydney from Senanga, he heard the Word of God, witnessed Breaking of Bread, heard a ministry meeting, and heard a very good Gospel message. Several older brethren spoke to him after the meeting and at the fellowship meal that several families host for visitors. Heard he told some brethren that they preach the same message Dad (I) preaches. Like many Sydney hears and sees multiple groups the SDA, New Apostolic, Pentecostal, Bread of Life, Catholic, Jehovah Witness etc. Despite man's efforts there remains only one pure true Gospel. The blood of Jesus Cleanses us from all our sin 1 John 1:7, Jesus Christ the Son of God and Son of man death on the cross for our sins, His burial, and resurrection three days later from the tomb is man's only eternal hope. Found and bound in God's Word 1 Corinthians 15:1-4. It's not man's works, efforts, religion, desires apart from Jesus Christ alone. Pray for Sydney that he enters a true relationship with his Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. The church is not manmade, Christ is the only Head of the church. Those who die to self and put on Christ in sincerity and truth are members of the eternal body of Christ.

"Looking unto Jesus the author and finisher of our faith; who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is set down at the right hand of the throne of God (Hebrews 12:2)."

We enjoyed the fellowship with our Brethren this past Lord's day. We appreciate your continued prayers. We are currently back to Home Schooling presently.

We appreciate your continued prayers we are communicating with Samuel's family who is seeking to locate Samuel's Father for his official consent for his adoption. Please pray the Lord's purposes and will is accomplished.

Got to bus station at 2:30 this morning heading back to Senanga. Bus began journey just after 3:30 am.

God Bless all of you for your care and prayer. Love the Hardie's

Samuel's Name Sake at this last fellowship meal after meeting in Lusaka. The brethren are precious.

Samuel just before taking off from Lusaka.



Hardie - 5/9/2026

Thankful for this group of men I had the privilege of being with so many years ago. Still linked with several of the gentleman to this day. Matt George saw that my Little League days didn't do much for my skill acquisition and he would take me out along with a handful of guys to put in extra practices; fielding, catching hitting etc...

In 1989, I determined to give a go at playing on the Church softball team. The skill wasn't quite there, but, the heart was encouraged by this uniquely formed group. I started out playing outfield, where I had always been placed in my childhood debut. Generally with the gift of a lazy eye, I would occasionally meander under a pop fly until I would then proceed stopping the ball with my head instead of my glove. Regarding Matt George, I will always think back on with thankfulness. He worked with me in multiple practices, making me more reliable than my past encounters with baseball. He saw my left-handedness as a reason to try me out on first base. Less time to misjudge the ball, reasonable observation, right. Truth be known I found a new home, first base. I think Matt came up with the name Spring Man. If I didn't catch it, at least I would use a part of my body to prevent the ball from going anywhere. Ace, was the nickname of a very good player with a cannon for an arm, I think they recruited him. He played right field, He always told me if the ball was hit to him he may try to throw to first. I was always a bit nervous at every pitch, thinking, gotta catch it. Once our Adelphi Angels played against Salyorsville Baptist. Danny Degraff, a year ahead of me in school, who lived down the road from me my growing up years, stepped up to the plate. I thought I must get him out!!! I must be ready. Sharp hit down the third base line. I stretched out to catch the ball. I caught the ball and also caught Danny's cleats in my forehead. I laid there on the ground quite dazed. Matt was hollering he was out!!! He was out!!!!. Danny was called safe on first.

I guess I had a bit of a reputation for throwing my bat. When I got a hold of that slowpitch softball, in my excitement, the bat would occasionally go aloft. I think the Umpire was John (from Faith Baptist Bible College), he would call me out. All in all I still treasure those memories and thankful for those, like Matt who had more confidence in me than I had in myself.

For Nannette, Matt, Todd, Tim, Johnny Weaver, Ace, Jimmy, Craig, and our cheerleading section, thanks for the memories. Christ was working through Adelphi, my brethren, and the body of Christ. For all those remaining that partook with me during that season of time back in 1989. May our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ remain first and foremost in our current daily lives. God Bless





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"And this is the confidence that we have in him, that, if we ask any thing according to his will, he heareth us:." John 5:14 I am incredibly grateful that the Lord hears me when I approach Him, not only with my own needs but also with the needs of the pastors, churches, and missionaries we support. I trust that God is faithful in all things. He hears our prayers, He answers them, and He loves each of us abundantly. I have prayed for the planting of churches around the world, and He continues to answer that prayer, one church at a time.

God has answered the prayers of the Starting Point Baptist Church in Wellsville, Ohio. When Pastor Joel Beharry took over the church, it was in need of a new roof. The previous pastor had been scammed out of \$20,000 by a contractor who failed to complete the work he was paid for. Fortunately, a recent storm removed even more shingles, and the insurance covered the necessary repairs. The church is currently praying for additional needs, including a new church sign, hymnals, and repairs to the roof of their parsonage. They have the confidence that the Lord hears and will answer in His time.

We are honored to support The Feeding Shepherds Ministry in Colorado. This ministry raises livestock to provide meat to pastors in small towns in the west. To assist with their efforts, we sent a love offering of \$2,000 to help purchase a meat grinder, which will expedite the meat preparation process. Additionally, we have committed to providing monthly support to Bro. Jared Collins for the ministry. (picture below)

We are asking for prayer on behalf of the Truth for Today Medical Team, who will be conducting a clinic with Brother Robert Mickey in several areas of Kenya next month. This clinic will provide medical and vision care, opening doors for church planting and Gospel outreach in regions with very limited access to such services. Each person attending the clinic will receive a one-on-one personal presentation of the Gospel.

The team is in need of medical staff, including doctors and nurses, as well as anyone with a heart for missions who can join their efforts. Please pray that they receive all the help they need and make a meaningful impact for the Lord. (picture below)

This month, the RMMO collaborated with Bro. Jonathan Brown and Craftsmen for Christ to assist Pastor Terry Boyd in North Myrtle Beach with the remodeling of his church. The team worked for two weeks, converting small storage rooms into restrooms. We are honored to support these men and their efforts to help churches rebuild and remodel when the need arises. (Picture below)

We are extremely grateful for all the prayers and support the RMMO receives. Thanks to your generous support, we have been able to provide assistance not only to Craftsmen for Christ and Brother Collins, but also to Brother Leejay Richards in Illinois and four new pastors in Mexico. God continues to answer our prayers, and we are truly thankful!

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Hardie - 5/14/2026

Greetings to all,

So critical it is in such the day that we live to have brothers and sisters in Christ who are sincere and true throughout the days and the years too. The body of Christ is essential in meeting the spiritual, physical, emotional, and financial needs both in the short term and long term. Those who have put their faith in Christ Jesus have an eternal hope and a look beyond the temporal life that ends in death. God's eternal Word gives an eternal joy and peace that is reinforced as we by faith, prayer, and hope read with the comforting, confidence, and understanding that the Holy Spirit provides in and through Christ Jesus. The Lord in his grace has given us fellow believers to help through the rain, the pain, and the joy that cannot be taken away from those who are his in sincerity and Truth. Each day we breath we can thank our God and Father and Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ for another day that we can spend with those whom we love and that we might share the eternal Gospel of Jesus Christ with those who have refused, rejected, or just neglected. It's sobering even to me how one day individually we will give an account, an answer for what we have done with Jesus Christ; the Son of God and Son of man. "...will not the Judge of all the earth do right (Genesis 18:25)." Short answer, YES! "...Prepare to meet thy God ...(Amos 4:12)" Thanks again for your prayers and care for us. We all need friends like Moses had that will help lift us up when we are burdened by the world around us. Prayers that the below portions can encourage you. God Bless!!!



Hardie - 5/23/2026

Greetings to all,

We have been getting right to work. Samuel has a majority of his books that he is studying for his GCE exam that he Lord willing will be taking in November . Please pray for the Lord's continued provision as we seek to go to Lusaka to get the remaining books needed for his schooling. We have been reaching out to the community this past Sunday we had two nice meetings and will be going back to meet the families again. We will also be going to the tent city tomorrow morning also. Please continue to pray for our hearts and lives as well as those we seek to reach for our Lord Jesus Christ.



Hardie - 5/25/2026

Greetings all,

We greatly appreciate your prayer and care for us. We have been seeking to go forward on Samuel's adoption for sometime and it had seemingly stalled. This morning Samuel's namesake called who is the contact for Samuel's Father. He said Samuel's father is traveling today, when are you coming? We initially thought we were advised to not visit before Samuel's Father's communication with Social Welfare. We thought we didn't want to influence Father's decision of adoption. This morning the Namesake (Samuel's) relative asked when are you coming? We talked to Samuel's Uncle Aaron and he explained it would be better for us to greet the family before the decision. They want to see Samuel and know how everything is before communicating to Social Welfare their desire for his adoption.

We need your prayers, our funding is not prepared for the three of us to travel first to Lusaka, then to Serenje (Central Province). We will need to pay for our bus tickets we will be taking several different busses and do not yet know the fares then of course food, taxi's and accommodation in Lusaka then also accommodations in Serenje for the three of us plus we will have already provided for the Father's bus transport to Serenje and will have to pay the 550 kwachas for his return home after the meeting. The father will need all of his expenses paid for while visiting, his food and accommodation and we will need to give him living expenses for those he may need to support while he is away if he has dependents. Don't

know presently the length of our stay and cost of the two bus trips to Lusaka then to Serenje.

Checking into the buses this am 400 to 450 kwacha x 3 = (\$21 to \$24)

Total \$63 to \$72. 9 to 10 hour trip that's just the one trip one way.

Serenje 7 hour trip for next day, cost of which we do not know.

Best case scenario we could take off at 8:00 pm tonight, buses no longer travel in the morning 4 am like they used to. We normally have funds come in at this time, there may have been a delay due to the Memorial Holiday in the states. It was Freedom Day here in Zambia yesterday. But the known funds that we have coming in by no means come close to covering the cost of this trip. Please pray for wisdom as we seek to meet Samuel's Father. Last time we tried to see his Father we were meeting with the whole family when Samuel was two and the Father was in the village the night before and left that morning without seeing Samuel. We don't know what is before us the next days, please pray and consider the needs before us. We need if at all possible to take off by 8:00 tonight as Samuel's father arrives at the home of Samuel's namesake today. where we are also headed. Zambia has lifted the overnight travel ban and we can now travel through the night and arrive tomorrow morning if we have the funds to travel. From there we Lord willing will catch a bus and head to Serenje to arrive about 7 hours later.

We went to the tent city this past Sunday and gave away multiple bags of clothes for their proper answering of Bible questions mixed with the Gospel. We enjoyed sharing the Gospel several times over at peoples homes. Yesterday we got a couple bunches of bananas, with the hazard of getting a couple stings by some hornets, hand still swollen a bit. Today we met Baby Ruth's Grandma giving her formula and several articles of clothing for the number of kids she is raising along with Baby Ruth.

Lord willing on our way back through Lusaka we will need to purchase a few more school books. The Lord has kept us to the present and we are thankful. Praying for you and yours in your circumstances, God Bless!!!

The Hardie Family

Pic 1 Our most successful papya tree thus far

Pic 2 This morning meeting Grandma and Bab Ruth gave several articles of clothes to her and several other children she is caring for.

Picture 3&4 bananas from our banana grove growing in back yard.



Hardie - 5/27/2026

In amazement we caught the first night bus ever headed for Lusaka. Hoping Lord willing to get to Serenji to meet Samuel's father who Samuel has never met. ray he will give his blessings for our adoption of Samuel. Thanks for continued prayers. God Bless The Lord provides exceedingly abundantly above all we ask or think. Pray for our hearts, Samuel's father and family to do according to the Lord's mind and will. Started off at 7:00 pm (19 hours) prayerfully arrive in Lusaka by 5 or 6 am. May head for for Serenji tomorrow thanks for continued prayers. God Bless!!!!

Past pictures from Victoria Falls!!! Samuel along time back.

At the start of this day we had no clue we would be headed to see Samuel's Father and family. We communicated qith Samuel's Namesake a relative with Samuel's name and he asked if we were coming we at first said no, we wnt the Father to not fill pressured to give Social Welfare the blessing of adopting Samuel, which we must be given to adopt Samuel. We found out this am from Samuel's Uncle the more desirable thing would nbe to greet the Father and family. Pray for the Lord's undertaking. We began not having the funds to consider this Journey, yet through brothers and sisters throughout the body of Christ made it exceedingly abundantly possible. We are seven hours ahead of Iowa. The bank opened 4:00 pm Senanga time. We were told this am that a bus would be leaving at 20 hours (8:00pm) We found through automated banking money had been put in yet it was not accessible. Through dear brothers and sisters who communicated they would put in. We then heard the money was in, the bus I contacted said they would not be going tonight at 8:00pm. Our friend Sydney checked for other buses and found a bus Ryan who normally we didn't consider due to some rough rides we chose to aim for it. The challenge was we only had 30 minutes to make it to the bus. I called Ba Kenny he drove Sydney to our place and picked us. I needed money from ATM , Zambia celebrated Freedom Day yesterday while the U. S. celebrated Memorial Day. Ong story short both ATM's for the one bnk in town had no money. Money was there in kur account, but, not in the machine. I went bck to the station saying I tried multiple times different amounts with no success. I ran to the bus station. Samuel stood there , I said I couldn't get anything. Sydney our friend ran off and gave us needed funds, we we 260 kwacha short. Between Sydney and Ba kenny our friends who we call our Zambia family we managed to get on the bus. We fortunately can go to any talktime booths to send the money back into our friends account once we get to Lusaka. The trip has started out in amazement , thus far everyone has been quite respectful, music mainly with a quote Christian flair. It is at a level I can tolerate with my ear plugs in. We just had a sto around 10 pm where we all had to wash our hands under a container of running water. Then back on the bus. Do need our Brothers and Sisters continued prayers, God Bless!!!! Don Moen, "What the Lord

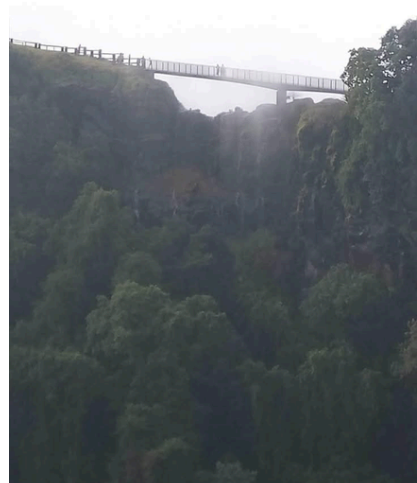
Has Done For Us", playing now.

Please pray for my swollen hand it ains when colmecting bannas yesterday, Hornets didn't appreciate, three sting wounds.

Arrived at 5:23 am taking off from Lusaka at 7:30 am, to Mukando turnoff to Meet Samuel's Father and his family to meet regarding Samuel's adoption. Thanks for your continued prayers, God Bless!!!!

Picture 1: Starting off

Pic 2,3,4 old pics of Livingston Falls



Becker - April 2026

April Missions Update

Month in Review:

We hope each and everyone of you had a very blessed Easter Sunday celebrating the Resurrection of our Lord and Savior! This month we had a good Easter service and other services of the church, lots of outreach, and Emma got to be a part of the ladies retreat for the churches in Rosario. Please be praying for all of those in Galvez who received a Gospel track or who we were able to talk or text with. Please also be praying as we have been able to have good conversations with our neighbors as well. The Lord is at work and we see it more and more!

Thank You!

We want to make sure to say a big thank you to all of our supporters! We think often of each church or individual who has supported us with your prayers and financial support. **Our family is so grateful we get to serve the Lord in Argentina! We are so thankful for all of you who make that possible!**

Prayer Requests:

Some prayer requests for the next few weeks are:

Handing out tracts for the church plant

For the Gospel to take root in our city

Growth of the church

Wisdom and energy to accomplish the work

Thank you to all who have been praying for us!

For His Glory,
Robert, Emma, Lucille, Kelsey and Malory Becker

Pictures

1. Easter Sunday!
2. Emma and her prayer group at the retreat



Hardie - 6/4/2026

Greetings to all,

We are so thankful for your love and support you have shown us. We have tried to share with you our love for Samuel, our desire to be his parents (His Mom and Dad) whether he is our foster son or adoptive son makes no difference. From what we understand according to Social Welfare we have broke the law by seeing Samuel's family, his Father, Grandmother, the thought is we could influence the decision. Simply pray for us today at 10 am 3:00 am Iowa time Social Welfare in Senanga is meeting with us. Indicators are to tell us all the areas we have failed in. We were encouraged in the past by The Passport Office, The Head Social Welfare Office in Lusaka, Two Social Welfare Officers from Sakeji where Samuel formerly went. All said adopt him to make life easier.

All we have ever done is out of the love, care, desire and hope in raising Samuel up in our Lord Jesus Christ to enable him to be the best he can be in the Lord. We sought simply to make life easier for Samuel's future and we have now seemingly been cast in a negative light. we will proceed forward through the meeting today. Sorrowfully they have attacked Samuel's Uncle for saving Samuel from certain death they said he should not have done that, that was only to be left up to Samuel's Mother's side. In the past Uncle Aaron was appreciated, looked up to, and now he is blamed for doing the wrong thing thing. Thank you everyone that assisted our travel seeing Samuel's Grandmother, 84 years old so overjoyed to see Samuel, seeing Samuel's Father and Samuel's namesake (Husband to his father's Sister). We are on our knees praying for guidance, grace and clarity through this matter.

We were told by the current Provential Head Social Welfare Office from Mongu that seeing the family has brought trauma to the boy and that what we did in seeing the family could be considered seeking to influence the family to adopt. We were to get permission and a travel letter to see the family. We sought to make it possible for the Father to say yes or no to the adoption. We said multiple times it is your choice we don't want to influence your decision. We were told the Father had to call the Head officer in Senanga regarding adoption. Initially we said no to traveling to see the family, we were told no it was not like that, that they just wanted to see the Welfare of Samuel. There has been great accusations and potential allegations. All we can do is lay out lives down and pray the Lord's purposes and intents will be fulfilled and that we will be preserved and kept as a family before God.

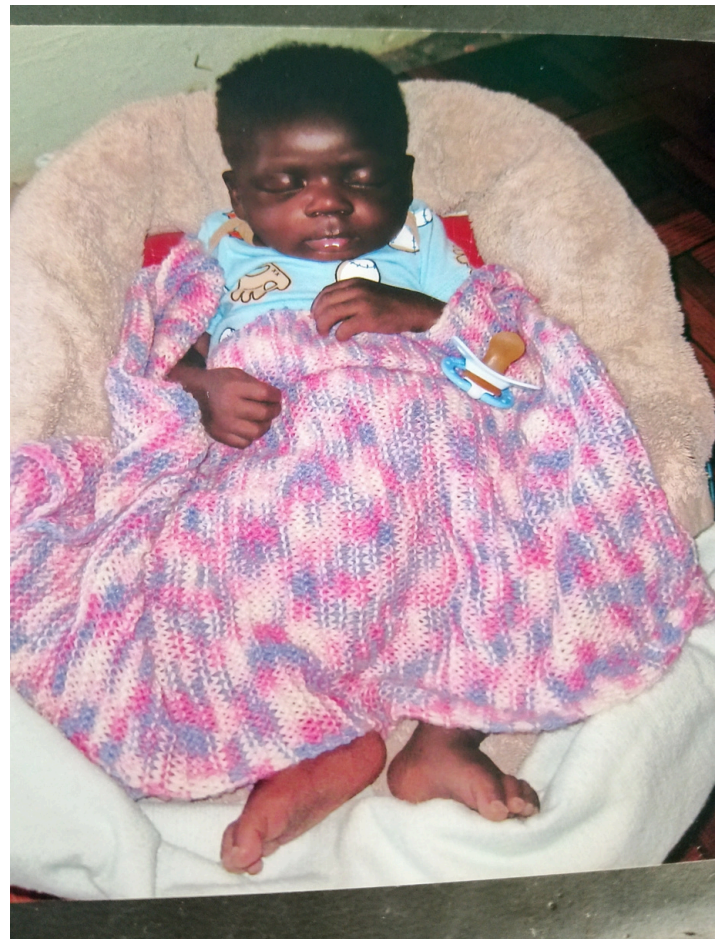
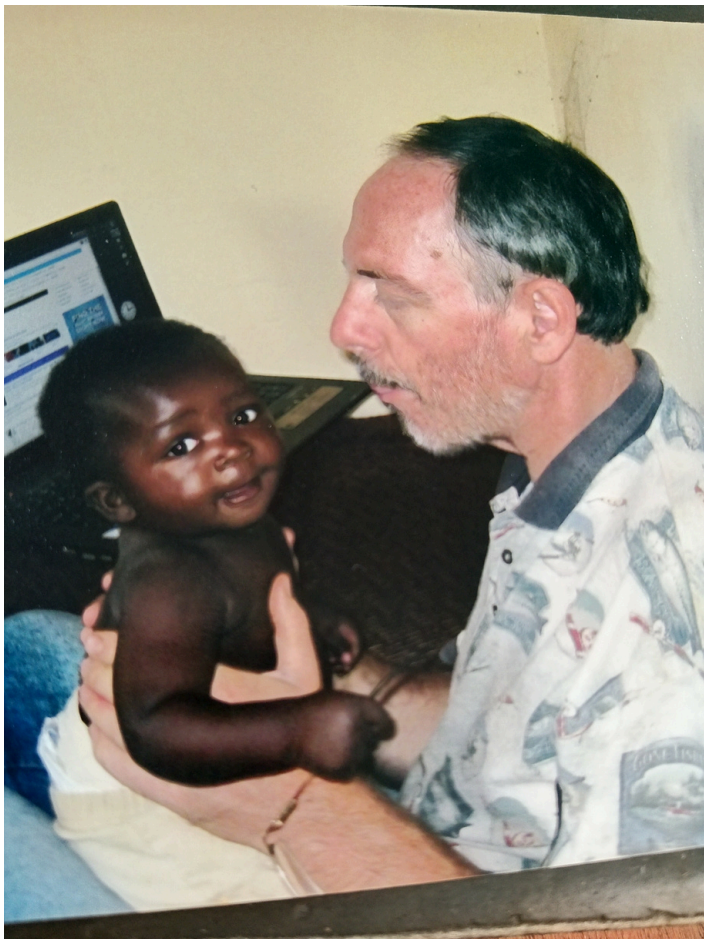
Please pray for Samuel and us that the Lord will be glorified for what ever happens and what we do from this day forward.

Hardie - 6/6/2026

Greetings all,

The Lord is good, that which looked overwhelming and beyond our control or imagination has been a resource in a dry land. We have found that Social Welfare is very much seeking Samuel's Welfare and seeks to make sure the entities about us are not going to take advantage of Samuel. They are going to be working close with us for some time to order things to prepare for a future court date for Samuel's adoption, they spent past business hours interviewing Sarah and I alone, then Samuel alone. They were very impressed with Samuel's character and intelligence. They spent much time seeking to alleviate our fears. We were overall comforted. There were past faults in the fostering paperwork which they said came to light when we questioned something that brought to their attention that the a signature absolutely needed by the father was signed by the father. They will be working to properly fix that to make the process proper. The mother's side was not represented regarding their wishes. They will be visiting multiple times including unannounced visits. They said it may be stressful, but , necessary. They said you have bonded with the child for thirteen years and they are for us.

We will need your continued prayers. Though we are to face some challenges God's will and purposes are our desired end. Our hearts, minds, and wills must continually be placed at the Saviours feet with no regrets and no retreat. Continue to pray for us, Social Welfare, and God's will to be accomplished in due season.





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MISSIONARIES TO THE PHILIPPINES

June 5, 2026

Dear Pastor and Church Families,

Christian greetings in the most precious name of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ!

We sincerely pray that this letter finds you and your family well, in good health and experiencing God's abundant grace and blessings!

We are grateful to share a wonderful update regarding the ministry. By Gods grace and through the faithful prayers, sacrifices, and generosity of His people, we have successfully purchased a property for the future home of New Life Independent Baptist Church, 5th Village Mission Work.

The property was acquired for ₱1,400,000 (approximately \$25,000 USD) We praise the Lord for His provision and guidance throughout this important step of faith. This purchase make a significant milestone as we continue to expand the ministry and reach more souls for Christ.

We would like to express our heartfelt gratitude to you Pastor and to the members of First Baptist Church of Urbandale ,for your sacrificial giving, faithful support and earnest prayers. Your generosity has played a vital role

Hardie - 6/13/2026

Greetings to all thanksgiving for all of you in your being with us in season and out of season. We are thankful for your prayers and your support. We have given our lives to serving our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. I have been greatly exercised by watching the true Story of John Hess. One who gave his life for his Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. Our lives have been given to us to be a bright and shining light to express the light of Christ salvation to an otherwise dark and hopeless world. May we die to ourselves and our own selfish desires which only end in sin, sorrow, death and eternal separation from our God and Father and Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. The sorrow to my heart that is ever increasing real is those who have rejected the one and only true God and his one and only begotten Son of God and Son of man, the Lord Jesus Christ. There are many who sorrowfully have convinced themselves that Truth of the Scriptures is a relative term which can be added to or taken away from according to their own interpretation and belief system. Christianity is not subject to one's own religious or denominational orientation. Man has been warned by the very Word of God not to add or take away from it. See Revelation 22:18-19. There are those, even in one's own family that consider The churches they have been involved with to be institutions merely to brain wash it's members. The society we exist in today seeks to brain wash and rip away the Christ centered foundation which once held fast to the foundations of a God fearing and Christ honouring worldview, which produced respectful, responsible, and true and sincere Christian men and women. In the past the Christ centered parents raised God fearing and Christ centered families, producing strong ideals and work ethics which benefited the whole of society.

The question I ask myself is how much do I myself take God's Word as being God's very Word. So then faith cometh by hearing and hearing by the Word of God of God (Romans 10:17)." As a Missionary I am convicted to consider the above portion. To put Christ in the place he deserves and should have. The world, my desires, pursuits, and all things should be counted as dung in my life. That I may know the Lord Jesus Christ, and the power of his resurrection, and the fellowship of his sufferings, being made conformable unto his death. "Looking unto Jesus the author and finisher of our faith.



Badges/Awards

Beginners/Little Lambs

Badges/Awards they can earn this summer

- Membership Badge
- God's Son Badge
- Red Bible Badge
- Purple Bible Badge
- God Made it all Badge
- Noah's Ark Attendance Certificate
- Coloring Completion Ribbon

Additional Awards that can be earned if 2 lessons are completed each week

- Green Bible Badge
- Orange Bible Badge
- Gray Squirrel Badge
- God's Word Badge

Primaries/Servants

Badges/Awards they can earn this summer

- Membership Badge
- White Star Badge (attendance)
- Good News Badge
- Bible Memory Pin
- SS Faithful Badge
- up to 3 extra credit badges

Additional Awards that can be earned if 2 lessons are completed each week

- 2nd White Star Badge
- Good Saviour Badge
- 2nd Bible Memory Pin

Juniors/Ambassadors

Badges/Awards they can earn this summer

- Membership Badge
- Testimony Badge
- Scripture 1 Badge
- Bible Study Badge
- SS Attendance Badge
- Devotion Badge
- up to 3 Sword Challenge Ribbons (extra credit)
- up to 4 extra credit Badges

Hardie - 6/20/2026

We are ever thankful for your continued prayers, supplications, intercessions and care on our behalf. We continue to ask for your prayers as we face regarding Samuel's future adoption, School, and way forward. Pray for those in Social Welfare working with us. As Moses we at times feel we are in the wilderness seeing the burning bush , yet, it's not being consumed. Yet , our prayer continues to be found and bound in the way the Lord leads us. The way we have been led has a few hills and valleys please pray for our clear way forward.

Ministering around town, sharing with our neighbors, and the people at large. Baby Ruth we have now reduced from two tins to one tin every two weeks. We had a minor setback, Sarah's Smart phone suffered some damage which will take 700 kwacha (\$40). At least there is a good phone repair here in Senanga, gave him the phone late Friday, he said it should be fixed by Sunday afternoon. Your prayers for outreach are appreciated. Pray for us to find brothers and Sisters locally that we can have fellowship with, encourage, and be encouraged by. Mark and Melinda came to Senanga originally from Nebraska it was fellowship, we appreciated, we miss them since they have journeyed on to another location. We Lord willing will design an outdoor kitchen and Chicken house, Samuel used a special program on the computer that he worked with our friend Sydney at his print shop. Samuel has a daily regimented schedule that he follows in completing his school work. We are thankful for his hard work.

Last night, Saturday, a very late rain came we were almost in shock. It has not rained for about two and a half months, It appeared Rainy Season was over, yet for several hours beginning in the evening we had hard rain, lightening , and thunder. It was very refreshing. It rained through the early morning hours

Sending our Love God Bless everyone.

Have a Happy Father's Day to all the Father's

A few past pictures as well as recent pictures on a dock next to Zambezi River.



Hardie - 7/10/2026

We are thankful for those of you who are with us through your prayers, communications, and support.

We have shared in the past there was a report on five who had been bit by a rabid dog. Saturday we had the funds to give for the second shot, but being the weekend we were unable to contact the people that asked for help in the first place. We checked the paperwork and found the phone number was one digit short so we went to the hospital in the area that we understood knew of the case. After several people we were finally led to someone who was supposed to help us. Need less to say she refused to call anyone, eventually realizing we were getting no where we left. We eventually got the case confirmed from the local veterinarian. There are five doses. We paid for the first, The assembly in Lusaka paid for the second dose and the last three doses still need to be funded last we heard. The meds were found for \$109.10 total for all the victims. Please pray and consider donating for the meds of these rabies victims, we do not currently have the funds and the assembly in the Lusaka just finished a Bible conference which was a big undertaking for them.

We have been told to go forward by Social Welfare in the Application process for Samuel to go to Amano. We submitted the application and got the founder of the Amano School Mr. G ____, to be one of our two References. He said he would speak on our behalf. He also back in 2014 enabled us to be in Zambia under Christian Mission In Many Lands. Regarding our and Samuel's future we are laying everything before our Lord and you that you can know our present circumstances. In the will of the Lord we may have to take a quick journey for the interview for Samuel's school.

We were slowed in the Adoption process and pray for the Lord's mind, purpose, and will to be accomplished that we may continue to be the light of of Jesus Christ in a dark world. Whatever corner we as Christians find ourselves in, we are to surrender our lives and shine in and through the darkness. Considering the Book of Jude, that we can pull some out of the fire before that final day where we will see the Saviour face to face. One will either hear, "Well done, thou good and faithful servant." Or "Depart from me into everlasting fire prepared for the devil and his angels." As we currently experience our lives in a temporal body currently, to know there is an eternity just beyond our last mortal breath. As God's Word says, Prepare to meet thy God. We have appreciated the small amount of fellowship we have had with Lusaka Gospel Hall. Lusaka Gospel Hall had A Bible Conference over the Zambia Holdidy Weekend. This past Monday was Hero's Day, Tuesday was Unity Day. We joined the Conference through Zoom and heard a speaker from the UK-Scotland. Collin Hutchinson spoke on Christ as the Head of His body the Church.

He also spoke on The Judgment Seat of Christ and the important role of mother's, raising one's children as one of the many thoughts.

We have received a letter to report to Amano Christian School (CMML) in Northwestern Zambia. We have Interviews on August 10th. We are thankful for the Lord's prompting of our Brethren, our road trip has been covered. As the Lord leads and guides. The School is more expensive yet they have many more safeguards including a Child Protection Officer who is on campus. The opportunities to minister to the community are built in, more accountability, and greater opportunities to explore Zambia as a whole through field trips, etc... We have been directed by Social Welfare to enter

Samuel in School and we are prayerful that Lord willing we may move closer and possibly be able to assist at the school.

We have fully had the five rabies cases confirmed by going to Department of Health Office Officer. Each patient will need three more doses. Pray that they can be managed.

Sending a few of our past outreach meetings over the past week.

The above verse was in a message from a Brother James Knox who spoke carefully expressing how we are not to focus on our separation from things such as habits, listed activities, perceived sins, that are not listed in the bible. We are called by Christ to be separated unto the Gospel of God. Our focus should not be focused on what we are separated from, but what we are separated unto the Gospel of God. Many focus on rules, separating themselves according to a list of do's and don't's. Our concentration needs to be our putting on Christ who gives strength, meaning, purpose and hope. Our focus should not be on what we do or have done, but what Christ has done for us. We must be willing to reach out to those that are sinners ministering to them sharing the Gospel and love of Jesus Christ. We should be willing and able to share Christ with all people in various positions and conditions. He drew the line expressing Separation is not isolation. Using Jesus being condemned by the Pharisees, while Jesus shared with those who needed to hear the love of Christ. Those like the Pharisees or distinct groups don't focus on Christ but what a person should do or be. We must be careful on not focusing on others works or deeds, but, put Christ first and foremost as the one and only Saviour of sinners. We must be careful not to give our opinion but what the Word of God says. Christianity is not subject to a list of rules, man's commandments, man's ways or man's doctrines. Christ is the Head of the church. One should be able to support their words with what the Bible says. Our standards, our Christianity should not be based on our personal beliefs or opinions, but specifically what the Bible says. Those who are based on what the Word of God says find they will be knit together in oneness or unity of Christ.

Baby Ruth who we have assisted is doing well we have just a few more months until her program is finished. The Grandma has been quite responsive to the Word shared. God Bless and Prayers to all of you back home going through your various joys and trials.



Becker - June 2026

Month in Review

This was a good and busy month. We celebrated two birthdays. First, Malory turned 1 year old which we cannot believe because that was a very fast first year. She is a busy girl learning to walk and loving to play with her older sisters. Towards the end of the month, Kelsey turned 4. We got to celebrate our girl with some of her friends and we were able to share the Gospel with some of our neighbors. We are so thankful for our girls and the opportunity to be their parents. I ask that you pray for them and their salvation, and that we would be faithful in leading them to Jesus. At church we started a new study in the book of Ephesians, and it has been exciting studying this book in preparation for our services.

Please continue to pray for us that the Lord would give us wisdom as we continue to think of ways to reach people in the community and bring them into the church. The girls have been praying a lot for other kids to start coming. Please pray that we would be faithful to do what we need to do, and trust God with the results for His glory not ours. We are excited for what the Lord is doing in our hearts and what He will do in the future.

Prayer Requests

Some prayer requests for the next few weeks are:

- Handing out tracts for the church plant
- For the Gospel to take root in our city
- Growth of the church
- **Wisdom and energy to accomplish the work**

Thank you to all who have been praying and supporting us!

For His Glory,

Robert, Emma, Lucille, Kelsey and Malory Becker

Pictures

1 Malory turns 1

2 Street performer reading Gospel tract

3 Celebrating Kelsey



Hardie - 7/17/2026

Greetings to All,

We are thankful for your continued love, prayers and support. We have greatly enjoyed our time with Samuel as we prepare for our next steps. Samuel has remained diligent in his studies. In the will of the Lord we will travel to Amano Christian School (CMML) on August 10th for an interview and testing. Pray for God's way, will, and wisdom as we seek to place Samuel at Social Welfares request. Please continue to pray for the Adoption process, the Head Officer expressed it is the first adoption ever attempted in Senanga. Pray for all to be done decently and in order and that God's purposes will be carried out. We are thankful for the Homeschool experience through Samuel's fourth grade. We are thankful that he was able to perform at the top of his class at his former school. We have a bond with Samuel that has helped us through the joys and trials.

We are thankful also that the Lord through your prayers and care has helped us pay for the first three doses for six individuals who were bit by a rabid dog. We have been working with Social Welfare to have it bought and transported seven kilometers to a clinic where they are quaritined. Please pray and consider assisting with the last two doses of \$110.00 each (\$220.00 total).

We are thankful that brethren have assisted in our travel expenses and miscellaneous cost for lodging, two bus trips, food, etc .. We are confident that the Lord will continue to keep us through your prayer and care. We lay everything down at our Saviors feet. Seeking God's purpose, provision, and placement for Samuel.

The Lord knows the way through the wilderness. We are thankful for the potentially answered prayers in finding brethren to fellowship with. There is a brother in the Lord that is a Magistrate from Lusaka that was transferred to Mongu. Mongu is one hour and half a way. We were given permission from Social Welfare to go to Mongu to fellowship. Please pray as we have communicated with this brother a few times.

God Bless all, prayers for both the joys, challenges, and sorrows you may be going through. So thankful for those of you who occasionally meet with us through Face Time Messenger and Whatsapp, it is a great encourager for us.



Hardie - 7/25/2026

Greetings to all,

We are heading to Mongu where we were invited by a brother in the Lord to a body of believers, prayerful our prayer request of like minded brethren near by is being answered. We appreciate your continued prayers as we proceed to Mongu just after 4:00 am. A brother that was previously from a Vernacular Brethren CMMML Assembly in Lusaka is now working in Mongu. We have communicated with him several times. Pray that the Lord continues to work in our lives and those we outreach too.

We appreciate that Sydney helped with a Gospel message regarding one sin and how that separates us from God and how Christ our mediator cleanses through his one and done sacrifice of himself. In Christ alone we have redemption. 1 John 1: 7, 1 Corinthians 15:3-4.

Our brother invited us for Tea before meeting in Mongu. We are preparing in the near future to go to Lusaka, this coming week meet our Brethren at Lusaka Gospel Hall on Thursday, then proceed to Chingola where Samuel will interview and do some testing to see if he can be accepted into their program for possibly the last term of Seventh grade. The Lord knows the way through the wilderness all we have to do is follow. May we know the Lord's mind for us in the coming days. We are called to walk by faith, trusting in obedience to His Word and way. Faith cometh by hearing and hearing by the Word of God (Romans 10:17). Prayerfully the season Samuel has been back in Homeschool will prepare him for his next steps.

We have now watched the Tent City disappear. Apparently they have gone back to the plains, prayerfully all those meetings we had will bear future fruit unto salvation in our Lord Jesus Christ. The Lord is continuing to help us build relationships where it is becoming easier and easier to talk to the people overall. Pray that Christ will be received and accepted in the lives of those amongst us.

Lastly we are so thankful these past few days, we have had many communications, video chats, with Sarah's parents, her Niece Annalise who just had a baby, Sarah's Sister Janet was also there from Seattle to see her new Grandchild. It was a blessing. We got to see and talk to Sarah's Brother David. I got to see and talk to my cousin Rod who is living in Hawaii. I got to see and talk to Mr. Groff, the Father of a student I taught in Osceola. I also got to see, talk too, and pray with Dave who I stayed in the same dorm with at UNI. We also went to Campus Bible Fellowship together. The Lord is so gracious and it is so amazing to talk, see, pray with those that are so far away, but, technology brings them face to face or at least ear to ear.

God Bless and prayers back to all of you that follow us. So thankful for your prayers and support. The Lord enables us through you. God Bless



Hardie - 7/2/2026

We had a very nice time with a Mongu Brethren Assembly this past Sunday . We met many Brothers and Sisters as well as children, this past Sunday, Lord's Day. It is an English speaking Assembly and meets at a school. They are hoping one day to build a building. I spoke two different sessions, A Gospel meeting and a Ministry meeting. We arrived just after 5:00 am at Mongu's bus station. Many spend the night at the station, you have to look down as you travel through the darkness to avoid stepping on anyone. We rode home in a taxi where we met a young lady serving in Peace Corp from Georgia on our way back home. I asked have you ever visited Iowa? Her response was priceless, she said, Are you kidding? I guess not all are too excited about Iowa where the tall corn grows.

We met two brethren that I had gotten to know in Solwezi back when we lived in Mumena.

We had some excitement Friday the President along with six or seven helicopters landed at what was once called Senanga's airport. It was quite the experience we found a good spot to watch the President's arrival. We went out and shared the Gospel of Jesus Christ with many today. Today Lord's day shared the Gospel using a message on our phone with Lozi interpretation.

Preparing to journey to Lusaka this coming Wednesday, we will be with our Lusaka Brethren on Thursday, then we will be going to Chingola for Samuel's interview at Amano Christian School. Appreciate your prayers for the outcome. Sarah's been sick pray she will improve for the upcoming journey, God Bless.

