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To our supporting Churches and Dear Friends:

Greetings in Jesus name.

Thank you from the depths of our heart for the many faithful years you have supported the Bell family it surely has been a wonderful journey serving Jesus together, no complaints just praises. I would have written earlier but to be quite honest I couldn't get my thoughts together that would explain the struggles of my heart. Between the health issues and shut down of our country over this virus it has not been easy as you well know. We desire to be very transparent with everyone. I have just received the C.T. report of the liver cancer, I lesion has shrunk some and the other is about the same, some other smaller lesions have been found. Mamie continues with her treatments for cancer prevention, her operation was successful and the radiation is over, praise the lord she is doing well. I have so loved the preaching ministry of our Savior, for sixty (60) years now. And I hope to do more but I am forced to slow down because of my health and age (80). It is obvious we can't keep the pace, but as health and opportunity allow we are whole hearted committed until the end. I write with tears falling, not because of a journey to hard but because it's slowly coming to its end. These are days we need to be harmless as doves and wise as serpents, check out all our experiences, and be very aware of the subtilty of the enemy. Subtlety of Satan = Satan never brushes the feathers of his birds the wrong way. He generally deals with them according to their tastes and likings. He flavors his bait to his fish.(Spurgeon).

Praises and Prayer Request

- 1. For you who are so faithful to prayer and give that others may go.
- 2. For the **Radio embolization** therapy we have undergone, and by God's grace it shrunk the cancer, it was 4x5, now Lesion 1: shrunk, Lesion 2 has not changed. praise God for the shrinkage in lesion 1.
- 3. update..MAMIE'S BREAST CANCER.
- 4. She had a LUMPECTOMY. 4/20/20
- 5. They feel it was caught in early stage. Radiation was required. Could not do the chemo, tried but body would not tolerate it. But continues every third week with the other IV treatment, until July 2021.
- 6. As we ALL face and embrace the future we will continue to see the power of His gospel working in each of our lives.
- 7. I know we are older and sickly but we continue to spread his truth and we desire and intend to do so. The Lord willing!

Brother Russ & Mamie Bell

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