

the BOYLSTONS MISSIONARIES TO THE ISLAND OF POHNPEI

Psalm 106:1 "Praise ye the LORD. O give thanks unto the LORD; for he is good: for his mercy endureth for ever." There are always many things for which we can be thankful to the Lord, yet a very special thing occurred this last month. After going to Bible college during the day, our son Kody works at UPS during the evenings. He has had opportunities to talk to people here and there about the Lord, but usually he has to work alone loading and unloading trucks. However, the Lord worked it out that Kody was able to work together one night with another employee. He was able to witness to the man and answer questions for a few hours before they were split up into different assignments. Kody asked the man if he would be willing to talk with him after work and the man agreed. He later came to Kody's car and said, "Tell me how I can know that I am going to Heaven." After another 30 minutes of listening to Kody explaining the gospel in his car, the man made a profession of faith in the Lord. Certainly, we rejoice to see someone saved, but also what a joy it was to see our son's excitement that the Lord had used him in such a way. Please pray for Tyreze to grow spiritually, and also for Kody as I have encouraged him to begin a discipleship program with Tyreze.

Although we were expecting it to be many months before appearing before a judge, we were happy to hear that our disability hearing has been scheduled for July 17th. Next week, we are to meet with our lawyer and go over the case with her. We would ask that you be in special prayer for these upcoming meetings.

Christa and her mom were asked by one of our supporting churches in Colorado to go and both speak at a ladies' meeting they have coming up later this month. Please pray for them as they prepare, travel, speak, and seek to be a blessing there.

Thank you for praying with us for wisdom about the decision that we needed to make about Christa's medication. God answered prayer by intervening in a special way. We were leaning toward agreeing to the medication, but after a blood test, it was discovered that she has a virus that would make her susceptible to a fatal brain disease if she took that particular medication. The doctor basically said, "I now think it would be better if you don't take that medication." We thank the Lord for His direction. We are now praying about other options. The neurologist also informed us that there was a spot on the last MRI that is probably related to MS, but could potentially be something else. The radiologist has requested another MRI, so we would appreciate your prayers for that.

This week Kierra was able to complete the requirements to be issued her driver's permit. Due to the reputation of the DMV in our area, Christa and Kierra went to the DMV in a neighboring town, but were disappointed to discover that office was just as crowded, if not more, so they decided to get some lunch then check back. Christa was able to give the waitress a gospel tract and an invitation to church. Leann expressed concern that the trip might be too far, but seemed interested when told about another good church near where she and her son Zack live. Later at the DMV a gentlemen offered his seat so that they would both have a place to sit. The man and his pregnant wife, as well as Christa and Kierra, decided to leave when it was announced that there was a two-hour wait remaining. Christa was able to give them a gospel tract and promised to pray for them, their family, and the upcoming delivery of their youngest daughter. Even though what we thought was the purpose for the trip was not accomplished and Kierra was not able to get her permit until the next day, no time spent as a divine appointment is ever wasted. Please pray for Mark and Brietta and their girls.

Thank you for your already faithful prayer, help and support. Because of Christ, The Boylston Family

Prayer and Praise

Continue to pray for the pastors, missionaries, and Baptist churches on Pohnpei.

Pray for the Baptist Bible Institute of Pohnpei students and teachers as they finish this semester.

Pray for the Eiben family and Calvary Baptist Radio. Pray for the Eibens' furlough and the Normans who are preparing to fill in as their furlough relief.

Pray for the Peelers as they are planning to return to Nukuoro on the very crowded student ship in a few weeks.

Praise the Lord for continuing progress in the renovation of our sending church's building. The Lord led Pastor Davidson to preach a series of messages from Nehemiah which have been especially encouraging.

Praise the Lord for His provision. We were recently blessed with a gift of a huge bag of prepared Mexican food - a family favorite!

Praise the Lord for the encouragement and faithful prayers of fellow believers.

Praise the Lord that Kyle and Kody have finished this semester at Ambassador Baptist College. We thank the Lord for the opportunity they have had to learn.

Praise the Lord that a missionary in Japan has accepted Kyle as an intern for the summer. Please pray for safety as he travels and provision for his expenses.

Pray for the kids as they finish up this semester of school. Kaleb is looking forward to his graduation from high school. Praise the Lord that he has been given the opportunity to minister at a Bible camp in Colorado for the summer. Pray that he will be a help and a blessing. Pray that his expenses for the trip and for the summer will be met.