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May 2018 News

Dear Friends and Family,

"The last enemy that shall be destroyed is death" (1Corinthias 15:26). Sadly, death has claimed 3 people associated with our small church since our prayer letter, but thankfully there is the blessed hope for at least 2 of them. Glenn, whom we had the opportunity to lead to the Lord along with his wife about 12 years ago, died of a heart attack at age 87. A church member had been praying for her dad's salvation since the day of her own salvation 22 years ago. He died in the last week of April after trusting Christ as Saviour the day before his death. He was nearly 104! Lastly and sadly, a young mother who had been attending our church for a couple of weeks died in her sleep this past weekend. The cause of death will not be known until after the autopsy has been performed. Please pray for us as we seek to minister to the loved ones of those who have died. To my knowledge, the young mother did not know the Lord as Saviour.

We have had several visitors to our church lately who expressed frustration over the number of churches whose main goal is to provide entertainment in their worship services. Preaching God's word is still the primary means through which God speaks to people. Pray for our church as we seek to share God's word with the lost and build up believers.

On a personal note, Becca and I celebrate 20 years of marriage in the middle of May. Also, Clarisse turns 16 and Bryce turns 13 in the next month or so. Our children are growing up! Pray for them and us as they grow older and face more and more challenging decisions and circumstances.

Please pray for our annual Super Saturday outreach and Bible clubs that we have. Please pray that we have sufficient helpers and that the Lord allows us to make some new contacts through the different outreaches. Please pray that the Lord will give us wisdom as we interact with school officials. Please also pray that no one gets hurt during the game time of the activities.

We are still scheduling furlough visits to churches. I plan to be in the States from October 17th, 2018 to January 14th, 2019 with Becca and the children joining me after they finish school early around November 20th. If you would like to have us in your church or do not wish to have me contact you about coming to your church, please email me at kellyandbecca98@yahoo.com.

Thank you so much for your gracious giving and faithful prayer support.

With our love and prayers,

Kelly, Becca, Clarisse and Bryce

"... the harvest truly is plenteous, but the labourers are few; Pray ye the Lord of the harvest, that he will send forth labourers into his harvest." —