



SERVANTS HELPING IN THE MINISTRY

July - August, 2020

*"Yet I will rejoice
in the LORD, I will
joy in the God of my salvation."
Habakkuk 3:18*

When you read the book of Habakkuk, you realize that we are presently going through the same kind of trials that this prophet did. Chaos, anarchy, lawlessness, wickedness, economic disaster, and disease prevailed in Habakkuk's day just as it does in our day. But through it all and in spite of it all, Habakkuk concluded with the above words. May we too rejoice in the Lord and joy in the God of our salvation.

As mentioned in our last prayer letter, this letter comes to you as our July-August prayer letter, and we certainly have much to rejoice over, and joy fills our hearts for what God has done for us. Having returned from our Florida meetings which lasted until the middle of July, we spent the rest of July in eastern North Carolina. On July 19, we had the privilege of presenting our missionary work and burden to Freedom Baptist Church in Havelock, NC in the AM service. What a wonderful time we had with Jim Kohr and his people. That night we shared our burden with Island Road Baptist Church in Beaufort, NC pastored by Charles Taylor. On Wednesday, July 22, we enjoyed being with Pastor Dale Moore and the members of Blue Stone Independent Baptist Church in Clarksville, Virginia. And finally, on July 26, we presented our work to Lighthouse Baptist Church in Washington, NC pastored by Brian Alphin. Lighthouse will be taking us on for support in September - - PRAISE THE LORD. That night we were with Pastor Rick Aldridge and the folks at Carteret Baptist Church in Newport, NC.

God wonderfully blessed the month of August in some wonderful ways. The first week in August, we had the privilege of being a part of our home church's annual camp meeting jubilee. It was a blessing to sit under the preaching of some godly and dedicated preachers of God's Word. On Saturday and Sunday, August 8 and 9, we attended a mission's conference held at Beacon Baptist Church in Lexington, SC. The preaching was great, and it was a joy to be with Pastor Joshua Lawson and his

people. We praise the Lord that at the end of the conference Beacon Baptist took us on for support. On August 11, Scott had the privilege of preaching at the Southeast Georgia Baptist Fellowship in Allenhurst, GA. The following night, August 12, we had the pleasure of being with Pastor Ricky Anderson and the folks at Eastman Baptist Church in Eastman, GA.

On Sunday morning, August 16, we were blessed to be with Pastor Joe Moody and his people at Calvary Mission Baptist Church in Havelock, NC. Brother Moody also served on Saipan when we first came to the island, and it was a real blessing fellowshiping over times gone by on our previous mission field.

During much of the rest of August, Scott had the privilege of preaching at Trinity Baptist Church - - our home church. This was a real blessing since we had no meetings scheduled until August 30.

The last four days in August and the first four days of September were spent in the state of Arizona where we had the privilege of being with Pastor Ray McCormick and the members of New Life Baptist Church in Casa Grande, AZ. This church was planted by Brother McCormick and is seeing extraordinary growth. Once again we rejoice in the Lord and joy in the God of our salvation. New Life Baptist took us on for support while we were there. While in Arizona, we also visited Sun and Shield Baptist Church in Marana, AZ as well as Bible Baptist Church in Flagstaff, AZ. Our month ended with an awe inspiring trip to the Grand Canyon. What a blessing it was to see the hand of God in this "natural wonder of the world." Our breath was taken away when we saw the evidence of the power of the great flood of Noah's day.

Pray for us as we go in to the month of September. We have a full schedule and would appreciate you praying for us as we travel. Pray that God would fill up the months of October, November, and December. Pray that we will continue to raise our needed support. Again, our desire is to be in Pohnpei, FSM by the end of April, 2021.

Sincerely In Christ,
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