The Prestons Church Planting in Mt. Pleasant, UT

Jul./Aug./Sept. 2016

Dear Praying Friends,

Oftentimes, prayer letters are easy to write simply because there is a lot happening, and then there are times like this when finding something to write about is a challenge in and of itself. However, I will do my best, and maybe by the time I've finished, I will have written a letter worth and maybe moved you to pray even harder for the lost here in North Sanpete County, for Millie and me and for the folks that make up Heritage Baptist Church to be greater witnesses for the Lord Jesus Christ.

We continue to plow, plant, water, and pray for souls to be saved or at least develop a thirst for the one true God and His Son Jesus Christ so that we can have more of opportunity to share the good news with them and ultimately see them saved. We have just finished another round of knocking on doors in Spring City and are preparing to complete the half of Mount Pleasant not covered when Calvary was here. We have not had any response from our Mount Pleasant summer ministry as to date, but we are still hoping that we will see a fall harvest. We have had many opportunities in Spring City not only to invite, but also to enter into discussion with several folk that are willing to engage in dialogue. We have a couple ladies come to our services. Please be in **prayer** for Pat, Amber and sons, Wyatt and Dakota, to have a desire to come regularly and to be saved. We hope we can get these two young boys into our Bible Seekers Club on Wednesdays. Please be in **prayer** for <u>Robert</u> who also lives in Spring City as he has expressed an interest in finding out more what "Baptists" believe. He is an older gentleman in his 70s. He called me one Saturday afternoon after he found one of our invitation cards hanging on his door and we have since visited him and I have another appointment with him this coming Friday. Please be **praying** <u>Robert</u> will see what we believe isn't just some "Baptists thing," but what we believe is based solely on the Bible alone. Pray he will yield his heart to God's Word and be saved.

Millie, Marie and Bonnie are gearing up to start our Bible Seekers Bible club that starts October 5<sup>th</sup>. It is always an anxious time as we are not always sure how many will be attending. We have lost several children from last year due to their moving away. Our Bible club relies heavily on children that do not come to any of our other services. We will be going out this week and passing out fliers and hope that some of the families we met this summer and in recent weeks will allow their children to come. Please be **praying** for these children to be saved and that we will be able to reach their parents with the gospel.

We would ask that you also be in **prayer** for a young couple, <u>Richard and Mindy</u>, as they seek the Lord's leading for coming back to Utah. This young couple was in our church about five years ago and moved to Kansas. They believe the Lord is leading them to come and be a help to us in the ministry. When they left they had a lot of growing to do, and the Lord led them to a church in the Kansas City area that has helped them grow tremendously. They are planning to move next August. I know they would appreciate your prayers as they make this transition. We wish they could come now.

In our last letter, we mentioned a number of health related issues. I praise the Lord that my foot is completely healed. Please continue to **pray** for Millie as she is still dealing with her shoulder and it is possible the only fix is surgery; something she is not interested in going through, but it may be inevitable. Please **pray** for healing and wisdom. We were also able to get our truck fixed – Praise the Lord!

We are truly grateful for the prayers going up to our Lord for us. We are grateful for each individual and church that gives sacrificially so that we can continue to labor for Him here in Utah. We pray the Lord will use you greatly in the part of the field He has you serving.

In His Service,

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