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Quarterly prayer letters

"Therefore since we have this ministry, as we have received mercy, we faint not; but have renounced the hidden things of dishonesty, not walking in craftiness, nor handing the word of God deceitfully; but by manifestation of the truth commending ourselves to every man's conscience in the sight of God. But if our gospel be hid, it is hid to them that are lost: in whom the god of this world hath blinded the minds of them which believe not, lest the light of the glorious gospel of Christ, who is the image of God, should shine unto them." 2 Cor. 4:1-4

March 25, 2023

Dear Friends and Prayer Warriors,

It is so hard to believe that the First Quarter of 2023 is winding down already.

On January 8th I preached for Pastor Morelli at Temple Baptist in Kalamazoo, our home church. Pastor and his son, Pastor Tyler made the trip to Florida to find a good area in which to establish a church. Pastor Tyler and his wife, Amber have had a vision to find an area that needs a good church They are now in the process of moving down there and getting busy starting one.

My wife and I went to Bethel Baptist Church in West Carrollton, OH in the beginning of February to take part in their annual missions conference

I preached along with several other missionaries.

The ladies had a very special time of brunch, testimonies and fellowship on Saturday morning, while we men went out on visitation. We had a good number of men, even though it was pretty cold. Visitors came and two were saved. It is very exciting to say that Bethel is near 215K for their new Faith Promise goal.

We were also part of the mission conference held at Fellowship Baptist Church in Vandalia, OH on the second Sunday of February. Dennis Phillips is the pastor there. They went over their last year's goal and have raised their new one for the coming year.

Pastor Dave McCarthy and his wife had the opportunity to take a vacation in March. He asked us to fill in at Mancelona Baptist Church, Mancelona, MI, for the 5th and 12th. We were concerned as to what the traveling would be like because of the weather. It snowed very hard on Friday, the 3rd. and we woke up with the electric off. Thankfully the sun came out and the roads were clear enough to travel on Saturday. We stayed in their parsonage Saturday and Sunday nights. It did snow quite a lot on Sunday, but the house is next to the church so it was not a problem getting to the church.

Church families prepared our Sunday meals right there for us.

The week of the 12th was close to being an instant replay with the weather the electric and the roads. So prayers were answered concerning our travels.

Thank you for your prayers and support. We appreciate you.

We thank the Lord for our first great granddaughter, Margo Jaymes, born Dec. 1. We are totally in love.

May God bless you
Herb and Helen Hutchinson

1 Cor. 15:57,58