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Pressing On



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Between the virus pandemic and political volatility we, as followers of Christ, can become distracted from our primary vocation—to know Christ and to serve Him. Being very familiar with distractions, Paul gave some good advice. He said, “I press toward the mark for the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus.” Thank you for your faithful prayers and your financial support. They help us to press on in our missionary ministry here with BIO.

One year ago the Lord led our sending church to lead an effort to raise funds for property in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia. This property will be developed to become the headquarters for East Africa Baptist Missions (EABM is a ministry of BIO missionary Berhanu Yoseph. EABM is reaching the Horn of Africa with the Gospel of Jesus Christ.). As soon as the church committed to raise \$150,000, the coronavirus broke out. Nevertheless, the church prayerfully pressed on, and God miraculously brought in the funds needed for the property and then some.

Please pray for John Conrad and the Carpenter's Project as they begin phase two of this EABM project. They are raising funds for a multi-purpose building.

Pastor Mark Campbell and I are planning and preparing for a trip to Ethiopia in May to meet with Berhanu. While in Africa, we would like to visit

BIO missionary Yohannes Getaneh in Lusaka, Zambia. We have been invited to participate in a special anniversary service. Besides, I need to tend to some details regarding BIO's registration in Zambia. Please pray with us. International travel is very difficult due to COVID; nevertheless, we will press on.

In coordination with Brother Terry Childers, I am currently working on putting information together for a BIO SMART module on culture. Culture can be a difficult hurdle for foreign missionaries. Culture shock has sent many missionaries home from the field. We continually strive to give our missionaries the tools they need to press on efficiently, effectually and effectively.



On the home front, we are doing well. As many of you know, both Nikki and I lost our fathers last year. We are pressing on in our new domestic situation. The Lord led us to sell our small home in order to prepare for the possibility of assisting one or both of our mothers permanently. We are in the middle of that process. We made an offer on a suitable home and have accepted an offer on ours. Please pray for this transition. Lord willing, we will settle on both houses in April.

Thank you so much for your prayers and support. We love you and pray for you!

John 10:16 “And other sheep I have, which are not of this fold: them also I must bring, and they shall hear my voice; and there shall be one fold, and one shepherd.”