



“This book of the law shall not depart out of thy mouth; but thou shalt meditate therein day and night, that thou mayest observe to do according to all that is written therein: for then thou shalt make thy way prosperous, and then thou shalt have good success. Joshua 1:8      This world is looking for success and trying to find it in a cursed earth. Success begins when we start our days with the Bible.

## Evangelist Pa Barnes

Since our last letter, we have seen Lord do some wonderful things. The new year began with a winter revival with Lighthouse Baptist Church in Ludington, Michigan. It was a blessing to be with this church family once again. Their friendship is truly a gift from the Lord and we saw the Lord change lives and bring warmth during the cold month of February. The month of March came with some medical issues in which I was hospitalized and was able to recover from pneumonia. In April I was asked to be the interim pastor for Fenmore Baptist Church and begin the search for their new pastor. I met this church while helping establish Bible Baptist Church in Breckenridge. Their former pastor is a member of the church and he asked me to help the church he loves so much. I started filling in the pulpit. With the help of some godly men and technology that I am still getting familiar with, I was able to vet a candidate Patrick Jackson. He has gone out with me to visit the community and get to know the area of Elsie, MI. The church is actively looking at him to be their pastor. Please pray for the Lord's will and that this transitional period will go well. We are excited to see how the Lord has moved quickly since this church has been without a pastor for over two years.

We are gearing up for the summer months. This is where our schedule gets busy and we will need your prayer for the Lord to guide and give us the strength. As we finish Lord willing in Elsie, I will also be filling in the pulpit for Heritage Baptist in Fenton, Michigan. Please pray for them. They also need a pastor and have had some hurtles to climb. The Lord has the man for them and we are upholding them in prayer.

We are looking forward to July where we will be in Virginia and Maryland. Please pray for the revivals as well as safety.

Our family is well and thriving. School is out for the summer for Matt. He will go into the 7th grade in the fall. Alyssa is continuing to study nursing and has a job at a local hospital. Josh is working and is looking at a trade school. Jamie and Josh Wiley are doing great in Ohio and we see them for family get togethers. Our oldest Amanda is going to school for phlebotomy. We see the Lord working in all of our children's lives and we continue to pray that they will seek the Lord in all they do.

Thank you for praying and supporting our ministry. We are looking forward to what the Lord has in store for us. You are a blessing to our family and please pray that we glorify God in everything we do. I Corinthians 10:31

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