

# The Johnston Family
# Toronto, Canada since 2003



Our Goals: making Christ known, winning the lost, discipling and edifying believers, living for God's glory, planting/strengthening churches, and helping our missionaries

*"...The harvest truly is great, but the labourers are few: Pray ye therefore the Lord of the harvest, that he would send forth labourers..." Luke 10:1-2*

October 19, 2026

Dear Pastors, Supporting Churches, and Praying Friends and Family,

It's been many years since my wife wrote something for a prayer letter, so here's a little insert from Rachel:

*Blessings abound here on the north side of Toronto! I'm so thankful for those who hold us up in prayer on a regular basis. Truly, your prayers make a difference and have a big impact on our day-to-day lives. Sometimes your prayers send a bit of encouragement our way through another soul trusting Christ; sometimes your prayers are protecting us from harm. It's truly a spiritual battle. Only eternity will tell the full impact of our faithful prayer warriors. I've been privileged to teach the children's Sunday school class for several years. I have been blessed to see many of the children at church understand the gospel and get saved. I feel a great burden for them to know truth in this culture in which they are living. I'm so thankful for the seven children God has given our family. They've been the biggest blessing in the ministry. They love our church family unlike anyone I know. They are loyal and willing workers. Our oldest four have grown up and are serving the Lord in other places. I'm thankful we still have three at home. We treasure the time we have with our kids because they truly are growing up too fast. My husband works hard to disciple and care about people. I'm thankful that his heart for people and passion to reach the lost have not changed in the 30+ years that I've known him. To God be the glory. - Rachel Johnston*

Besides weekly soul winning and discipleship and church services, we recently held:

- a married couples activity to help strengthen marriages
- a church camp with a focus on studying and memorizing key passages from the Book of Ephesians
- scripture distribution days
- missions emphasis days
- men's breakfast and Timothy Club meetings at our home
- a youth activity at our home
- a Persian fellowship at our home
- a wedding for one of the faithful single Filipino ladies in our church
- a community outreach Thanksgiving dinner
- a church and family conference with a focus on building better relationships

A great blessing recently was the salvation of a lady named Sarah who has been studying the Bible with me each week via Zoom and also attending Sunday morning church services. Pray for her spiritual growth and the salvation of her boyfriend Anthony. There is eternal "fruit to your account" for investing in world missions! Thank you!

Brian and Rachel Johnston and Family

USA Support Address: Global Outreach, PO Box 906, Springboro, Ohio 45066
Memo: Brian Johnston - Missionary #125 • Cheques should be written to: Global Outreach

Canadian Support Address if you want to send something directly to the church so we receive it sooner:
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Here's a few pictures from church camp:









