

SENDING CHURCH

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BIRTHDAYS / ANNIVERSARY

Dustin: 6/27 8/19 Melissa: 8/28/2007 Devin: 2/23/2015 Lydia:

Anniversary: 11/5/2005

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Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature. -Mark 16:15

Dear Praying Friends,

We're continually grateful for your faithful prayers and support of the work God is doing here in Butte, MT. Grace Baptist Church continues to do well because of your prayers for us, and we are excited to see God continue to work in the city He has called us to. I am reminded of Psalm 127:1, which tells us, "Except the Lord build the house, they labour in vain that build it..."

We've welcomed a few first-time visitors recently, and one has returned—a direct answer to your prayers and ours. We continue to have our regulars who are asking many questions and growing through our one-on-one interactions and Bible studies as a church. I have been preaching on Matthew 5, specifically the beatitudes and similitudes, over the past couple of weeks on Sunday. We continue to work our way through the book of Acts on Sunday afternoon and 1 Corinthians on Thursday evening during our Bible studv.

We have continued to canvass our neighborhoods with John/Romans and church tracts as we seek to reach our city for Christ and see even more visitors come in. It is always encouraging to see how God brings in those you haven't met, simply because you are faithful to go out and share with others in the community. Philippians 4:19 says, "But my God shall supply all your need according to his riches in glory by Christ Jesus." God has met our needs as a church in great ways, and personally, He continues to meet the needs of our family here in Butte.

Our family is doing well, and Devin is now signed up for the Delayed Entry Program (DEP) with the Marines and waiting on an early November ship date. Prayer for him as he prepares is appreciated. Lydia continues to practice her violin and is doing very well with it. We had a trip planned to North Carolina in mid-July so I could be on an ordination committee, where we ordained a man who is a church planter to Chicago. It was an excellent service and a great opportunity to catch up with family and friends. My grandmother recently passed away after a fall, and the Lord graciously allowed us to be present to celebrate her life and minister at the graveside. Melissa's grandfather is now in Hospice care in NC, and his time with us seems very near its end. We're currently praying about when to return, where I will be officiating his graveside service. Please continue to pray for peace and comfort for the family. Overall, we remain steadfast in the work here in Butte and deeply value your continued partnership in prayer as the Lord builds His church through faithful laborers and intercessors like you.

In Christ, Dustin, Melissa, Devin, and Lydia Beck

