

January 2020

Dear friends,

As I think about a brand new year and the excitement of it, this verse of Scripture has been on my mind, But continue thou in the things which thou hast learned and hast been assured of, knowing of whom thou hast learned them; 2 Timothy 3:14. For 2020, it is our desire as a family to continue in the things that we have been assured of. It may be a new year filled with new challenges and new opportunities, but our God is always faithful.

As we look back over the last quarter of 2019, we find many blessings. In November, we were blessed to have our MWBM Annual Conference at Calvary Baptist Church in Statesville, NC. This was a great meeting with one of the largest numbers of missionary families we have ever had in attendance. The Lord certainly blessed, and I believe everyone left encouraged and desiring to do more for the cause of Christ. During the Annual Conference, we announced two new ministries we will be developing at MWBM in 2020.

First of all, in 2020, we will be hosting our first annual Reach the World Youth Conference at the MWBM Home Office Headquarters. The dates for this will be June 15-17, 2020. This conference will be targeted to young people ages 15-25 that believe God may be calling them into missions. We are praying God will use this conference to call more labourers into world evangelism. You can find more information and how to register on our website at www.mwbm.org.

Another great opportunity we are starting in 2020 is the Macedonia Institute for World Evangelism. This will be an online video college that is completely focused on world missions. We are excited for this and believe it will help our missionaries as they desire to reach the world with the Gospel. Please pray that God will give me wisdom as I work to set up many of the technical details regarding the college.

We can already see that 2020 is going to be a great year with many new opportunities to serve the Lord. There are other things planned as well, including our MWBM Orientation the week of June 22-25, 2020. We are also beginning to see our personal calendars fill in. We would love to come by your church and help you with a Missions Sunday, Missions Conference, or simply pulpit supply. We would be honored to be a blessing to you any way we can.

In family news, during the summer Seth and Ethan both independently expressed that they believed God was calling them to preach. They did not know the other one was praying about the same thing. Both boys have since announced their call to preach, and God has opened doors for them to preach. Please help us pray that God would use them for His honor and glory in the days ahead.

As we close, we want to say thank you to everyone who sent in Christmas cards and offerings. You are such a blessing to our family. We say it often, but please know how much we mean it, thank you for your faithful prayers and support for our family. We also had someone send in money to help us with our vehicle fund. We are trusting the Lord to supply the needs there as our vans are getting some age on them. God has always provided, and we believe He will continue to do so. Pray for open doors as we seek to serve the Lord and promote world evangelism and Macedonia World Baptist Missions.

Serving Him with gladness, Travis, Wendy, Seth, Ethan, & Ashlyn Campbell