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Greetings in the lovely name of Jesus! As I have prayed for wisdom in writing this prayer letter, I believe that God has led me to give you a brief glimpse into the daily life of a church planting missionary family.

Let me begin with a very quick update of the past 2 months. Our church plant has really been hit by this whole COVID-19 situation. Like many of you, our attendance dropped rapidly back down to 9 folks every week. We have also seen a drop in our monthly support. We praise God, that we have had 4 first time visitors over the last 2 weeks! God is still working in and through it all!

God has given me a full-time job as a Hospice Chaplain. Due to the increased expenses as well as a few unforeseen things; it was absolutely necessary for me to take this job. Please understand that we must retain the monthly support we do have in addition to what little income my job brings in to really survive here in TX. I pray that you will be understanding of this circumstance we are facing.

Here's a look into our current daily schedule. I am working 8-5 M-F, while I am at work, my family goes door knocking/soul winning every morning for a few hours. When I get off from work, my wife and I make follow-up visits. On Saturdays, we go out soul-winning/door knocking/visiting as a family. Sundays, are spent holding services in the morning and evening. I spend most evenings as well as Saturday evenings studying, praying, and preparing to preach. It's only by God's grace!

I have to say that this is probably our most URGENT prayer request. Our oldest daughter, Mackenzie has been diagnosed with a serious kidney disease called Focal Segmental Glomerulosclerosis (FSGS). All I want to say about this is PLEASE keep us all in your prayers as we navigate through the difficult life challenges that God has seen fit to allow into our lives. We love and appreciate each of you! Your faithful prayers and support are invaluable to us! Thank you for everything!

In Christ, The Leake Family Mt. 9:38