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Reviving Baptist Churches
(A CHURCH RESCUE MINISTRY)

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Dear Faith Partners,

Two more months have gone by so fast. We are living in a crazy pandemic world with unknown waters ahead of us. The only consolation is that nothing is unknown to God. Praise His name for being the only one to trust in this difficult time.

The church we have been helping asked us to be their pastor for three months and then decide what to do next. The three months were finished Oct. 18th. When I finished preaching Dee and I left for them to have a meeting and vote on their next plan. They voted for me to continue to be their Interim Pastor and help them find a permanent pastor right away. We are in the process of seeking candidates for this pastorate. I am looking for a younger man with a heart to serve God in His perfect will.

I was talking to a local pastor recently and said that I see two things churches are missing in many of the churches that I help. Not much interest in seeking the "perfect" will of God, and not much interest in being filled with the Holy Spirit. People seem to be content with just being average. I heard the definition of "average" many years ago and never forgot it. Average is the worst of the best and the best of the worst. Help us not to be satisfied with just being average.

This church will be a bi-vocational church and it has no parsonage. We are a small crowd with mostly seniors and everything is debt free. This is a KJB only church with traditional singing and Biblical standards. There is a great spirit in the services and good friendly people. When I came there they only had a Sunday morning service. I said I couldn't help a church with only one service a week. We added Sunday School and Wednesday night prayer meeting and Bible study and a visitation schedule. This church lost many regular attenders when Covid 19 hit and many have not returned. There are some churches that will never recover from results of this virus and some that will never get back to the numeric level that they once enjoyed. Some churches define success by numbers. God doesn't require success, only faithfulness. Help us pray for a new pastor and God's will in our lives.

Thank you for your prayers and faithful support. Keep looking up.

In His service, Bro. Nye (Titus 1:3)

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