



# The Rongione Family

MISSIONARIES TO WALES



March/April 2021

Dear Pastors, Churches, and Friends,

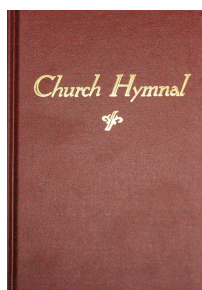
Recently, a preacher was preaching from Numbers 21 about the brazen serpent. And while he stopped reading at verse 9, my eyes continued down through the following verses, and I couldn't help but laugh. Over the remainder of the passage, the account of the wilderness wanderings reminded me of our missionary prayer letters. "And the children set forward and pitched. . . And they journeyed from and pitched. . . From thence they removed and pitched. . . And from thence they went. . . And from here to here...and from there to there."

Over the past couple of months, we've covered a lot of ground, making our way through Florida, Georgia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Mississippi, and Tennessee. We've been in four missions conferences and nearly a dozen other churches. We've had the opportunity to work with children in church groups and day schools. I had the chance to do a radio broadcast. And Dana has been privileged to play the piano for several churches that either don't have a pianist or whose pianist was absent for some reason. We've met wonderful people every step of the way and have seen so many answers to prayers.

We were able to get settled in our new motorhome though there are still a few updates we're trying to accomplish between meetings. Next week, the RV is scheduled to go into the shop for some maintenance to hopefully resolve some issues. We'll be in our base area of South Carolina for a couple of services and a ladies' meeting at which Dana is scheduled to speak.

In the past few weeks, we've had seven churches indicate they would like to take us on for monthly support. Most of them are supposed to vote within the next couple of weeks. If all of that support comes through, we should have around 70% of our needed support. We hope to start looking at ticket arrangements in the next few weeks and making our plans to depart for Wales in October.

Many of you have asked about needs we may have before we leave. We don't plan to take a large container with us, but there are certain materials we would like to acquire and take with us to Wales. The first item is 50 Church Hymnals--the old red-backed hymnal pictured here. If any of you have some you can spare, that would be a blessing. Used hymnals are fine as long as they are in good shape.



Other items we would like to take with us include SS materials for all ages, Patch the Pirate CD's and/or songbooks, Bible study materials, flannel graph backgrounds and pieces, VBS materials, and a complete communion set. The Downeys (with whom we will be partnering) have plenty of Bibles and tracts currently on hand, but these other items would be a blessing to add to our outreach. If your church has any items they can donate, that would be wonderful. All donations can be sent to us at 130 Summit Dr. Easley, SC 29640.

Thank you in advance for your help, support, love, and prayers. We are so excited about what God is doing and what we know He will do in Wales. If you have not yet partnered with us financially, we ask you to prayerfully consider doing so and helping us reach Wales by October of this year. Wales needs to hear about the love of Christ, and time is running out!

In Christ's Hand,  
Jason and Dana Rongione



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