

July 1, 2022

Dear Pastors, Churches and Supporting Friends,

We thank God for you and your faithfulness to the Lord and to us. It is due to your faithfulness that we are able to fulfill what God has called us to do. We were able to be in churches in the states of Iowa, Illinois, Missouri, Wisconsin, and Georgia these last two months. We are also thankful to have been able to attend our mission board's orientation meeting.

We started deputation last January with about 40,000 miles on our vehicle, and as of June 24th, we are officially over 100,000 miles on our car. We praise the Lord that we have not had any issues with our vehicle, and we ask that you would pray with us that God would continue to use our vehicle to get us safely from meeting to meeting. We give God the glory that we can report that we are about 63% promised support.

We thank God for every opportunity we get to serve Him, in His house or out on the street soulwinning. We were able to take our son Oliver out soulwinning for his very first time in May, and that day we were able to witness to two men, Austin and Jason. I presented them both with the gospel, and we ask that you would pray with us that God would convict their hearts with their need for Him.

The month of June also brought Vacation Bible School. We were blessed to be able to serve at our home church for a few days before getting on the road for our next meeting. I was able to help in the primary boys, and my wife had the privilege to help in the primary girls. It was amazing to see God's hands upon VBS with many first-time visitors, and some of the children accepting Christ as their Saviour.

Our son Charles turned two years old on June 15th. He is developing his own personality, and we love him so much. During his two-year checkup we found out that his iron level was a 7, which the minimum it's supposed to be is fifty. That explained to us some of the problems he has been having, and the doctor prescribed for him an iron supplement. We are praying that his levels go up, and so far, we have noticed the iron helping a lot. His appetite and thirst have been a lot better, and it is a blessing to see him eat his food and drink a lot more so we praise the Lord for this. He will have to have another checkup in three months so we ask that you would pray with us that his levels would go to a normal level.

I wish I could say in words how much we are thankful for each and every one of you that pray for us and give so we can go. We praise the Lord to know that across the miles someone is praying for us and that God has answered many of your prayers for us.

In the Service of King Jesus, Thomas Hector Jr. Psalms 126:5-6