And he said unto them, Let us go into the next towns, that I may preach there also: for therefore came I forth. Mark 1:38

January 26, 2023

Dear Praying Friends,

## A new year already?

It hard to believe that 2022 is over and we are already almost through the first month of 2023. Let me begin by thanking each of you for supporting us throughout last year. Many of you prayed for us and encouraged us through notes, texts, emails and your continued giving. We ask that you continue in 2023 as we continue to follow the leading of the LORD and begin additional aspects of our ministry.

We spent much of the last couple of months in South Dakota helping to fill pulpits for churches without pastors. We are thankful that one of those churches has since found a pastor. Though church planting is our ultimate goal, being able to help keep churches going will keep me from having to plant churches in those same towns later on.

## His Promises are True

I've heard my pastor often quote Psalm 37:24 "I have been young, and *now* am old; yet have I not seen the righteous forsaken, nor his seed begging bread." It was nine years ago this month that we moved to South Dakota. We came with \$50 monthly support, no job, and no place to live. We simply believed that it was the Lord's will that we come here and trusted that He would provide what we needed. He did not fail us then nor in the years since. God will not fail you either if you simply trust Him at His word.

## Please be in Prayer

First, pray for Josiah. He has had strep throat 5 times since June. He will be having his tonsils and adenoids removed the first week of February so we hope this will be the end of it.

Second, is that you would continue to help pray about a replacement vehicle for our Toyota Sienna. We have some money saved up for the purchase but want to make sure we hold off until we find what we need. We are praying about an All-Wheel Drive van.

Lastly, pray that the LORD would open a door for us to be able to move to the west side of the state. Housing costs are higher where we are praying about moving and there are some obstacles that need to be addressed before we could make the move. We have been praying about this for quite some time and would ask that you pray along with us.

Thanks again for what y'all do to help be a part in the ministry here in South Dakota.

In Christ,

Benji Beaudoin Missionary to the Small Towns of South Dakota

PS- If you would also like to receive this via email, please send me an email at benjibeaudoin@mwbm.org.