

Dear Family and Friends:



“Rejoice in the Lord always, and again I say rejoice.” Phil. 4:4 “In everything give thanks: for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus concerning you.” 1 Thess. 5:18.

When things are going well it is easy to rejoice, and even to expect others to rejoice. But, rejoicing can really be hard when things aren't going well. How many of us were told to go home during this Covid 19 crisis? Yes, we were asked to go home. It was a challenge, but not an insurmountable problem. It was/is a blessing to be able to keep in touch with a number of our people, truckers we know and our fellow chaplains and staff. I have always been available to come and share.

While so many others have found this time very challenging, in certain ways it has been a time of blessing for my wife and I. Thankfully none of our acquaintances have been sick, but there have been many others who were. I wrote in our last letter that we were looking at downsizing, and that has happened just recently and continues. Thank you for your prayers. They are much appreciated. God has blessed us to move a 3 minute walk from where we were living in Cornwall into an apartment. It was a big challenge for us and particularly for me. About 2500' square foot house to 1100' square feet. Basically 50 years of accumulation of things. You probably don't understand until you've been there, but God was so good to us. Our Church family moved us in three and a half hours. Yes, that's right.

We were so blessed, but the big challenge has been finding things, just imagine and you are right. It took over two weeks to find this computer I am using.

That's where we are now, but truckers, while we were off so -- to -- speak, kept rolling thankfully. Food, supplies and many other things had to be there, and I believe, while a few truckers have caught the virus to my knowledge that has been frustration. **Please pray for the truckers who are disappointed to find some restaurants closed from the virus.** But, you've probably heard a lot of that before.

It's upkeep time again at the chapel, while there are warm days, I am painting, washing outside, cleaning and fixing where the needs are. I enjoy doing this because truckers and travelers come to see what's going on and that provides an excellent opportunity to share with them of Jesus, and why we are here. Please pray that God will bless these times.

Many of you have been with me from the beginning, and I rejoice in that, but these days are different. I used to sit at a table a lot of the time, now I'm out talking more while truckers are in their trucks. You might say I'm in their turf more now than before. It's great. The other day I shared with a trucker that had made a commitment years ago, but like the parable -- got pulled away with the cares of this world. I shared the Good News and prayed with him. Your job with me as co-laborers is to pray for them. Please pray. Remember Rob.



I'm so glad to be back in the chapel again. Your gifts and prayers bless us and enable us to stay there. Our Executive Director, Don Harrison, has received gifts from supporters like you enabling him to put a chapel in Edmonton, Alberta. Thank you God. Rejoice with us and please pray that God will bless those chaplains as they minister there.

Please also pray that God will continue to pour out His grace on me in Lancaster **that I may speak the wonderful word of life to all I see,** truckers, travelers, staff at the Flying J. Please pray for the corporation to find a new restaurant for Lancaster. Denny's is out of business there. We need a good restaurant there that will attract truckers and travelers. Thank you.

You are appreciated. Keep praying. We are. Keep faithful in the Word of God and prayers, that's how we grow in the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ. We love you all.



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