



Dear Pastor and Church Family,

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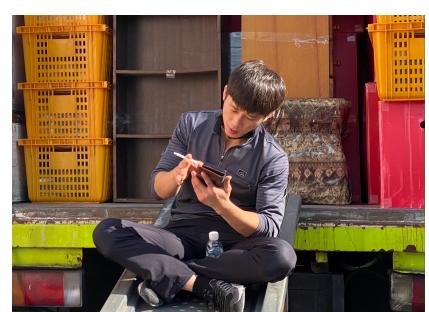
We hope you are well and rejoicing in the goodness of our Lord. The Holy Spirit inspired the Apostle Paul to instruct the church at Colosse with these words, "Walk in wisdom toward them that are without, redeeming the time." (Colossians 4:5) As the year 2021 is rapidly drawing to a close, we are so grateful for what the Lord has done in our lives; yet, we recognize the necessity of utilizing every opportunity to graciously and faithfully communicate the Gospel of Christ to the lost souls around us who have no true hope apart from the miracle of salvation. While having a long conversation with my barber recently, the Lord allowed me to briefly share some Scripture verses and present the Gospel to him. I believe that the door may be open for further discussion in the future as our relationship continues to deepen. Again last month we were able to distribute hundreds of thorough Gospel tracts around our city. It was a blessing to notice some people reading the tract that they had received as they continued walking down the sidewalk. We pray that the Lord would bless His Word as it is distributed, that He would allow us to connect with more people for the sake of the Gospel, and that fruit would result from our labor for the glory of God. Thank you so much for partnering with us in faithful prayers and sacrificial financial support as we seek to be effective ambassadors for the Lord Jesus Christ in this spiritually dark mission field.

This past weekend our family traveled up to South Korea's third-largest city, Incheon, where I had the great privilege to preach in both the morning and afternoon Sunday services of a wonderful independent fundamental Baptist church that was celebrating the 15th anniversary of its founding. We were so blessed by the godly testimony that we witnessed among the brethren that day. These saints received the Word of God gladly and there were also some visiting unsaved folks who heard the Gospel as well. We were impressed by the good spirit of the church members who, in spite of the opposition they face from the world around them and the challenge of dealing with constantly changing government restrictions, seem excited to serve the Lord and shine the light of the Gospel in their densely populated city. The faithful national pastor (whom the Lord used to found the church) and his wife were truly a blessing to fellowship with. His kind words of advice were quite helpful. We pray that the Lord would work through us and build His local church here in Busan just as He has done through Pastor Im in Incheon.

We continue to prayerfully search for the space that the Lord would have us to lease for the church. I was shown quite a few buildings last month but so far we have not had peace about signing a contract on any of the places that I saw. Choosing the right location is of course very important. We need wisdom and guidance for this and other decisions pertaining to the church that the Lord is leading us to plant in the central district of our city. In the meantime, we continue to work to connect with people for the purpose of leading them to Christ and helping them to become His true disciples. We are confident that the Lord will bless our efforts for His glory as He works through us to build His Church. May the Lord bless and protect you all as you serve Him!

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