

# THE BOZEMAN REPORT

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*Then Jesus said to them, "Follow Me, and I will make you become fishers of men." (Mark 1:17)*

Greetings brethren, from Bozeman, Montana. I apologize for the tardiness of this report. I was blessed to make a trip to the Dallas/Fort Worth area to visit with a couple of churches that support me during the first few days of September (when I typically try to get this report out) and have been trying to get caught up on some things since my return. I will, Lord willing, give a more thorough report concerning that trip in my next report (September and October)! Suffice to say for the time being, it was a very enjoyable trip and I was so glad to have the opportunity to meet brethren that have had a hand in our work here for some time!

## **Studies...**

We are continuing with some profitable "regular" studies. I am teaching 2 Thessalonians on Wednesday evenings. We have dug into this short letter deeper than I ever have before, and I am really enjoying it! I'm amazed at how much Paul can pack into such a short letter. I am also continuing to teach a study on the Life of Christ on Monday evenings on Campus. We are meeting up in the main Dining Hall on the campus of Montana State. We typically have at least a couple of students join us, besides several of our own members who attend this study.

My wife, Cynthia has been holding an occasional study for ladies in the community. She has been able to do this study a hand full of times, and has visitors each time. She has been doing a study on how the whole picture of the Bible fits together. We are hopeful this will open some doors to families to study with us on a more regular basis!

Justin and Joey continue with a Young Adult study on Wednesday evenings. They have been working through much of the wisdom literature over the last couple of years. On Sunday mornings, Justin is teaching the adult study, and has moved into the book of Philipians.

I have been continuing to preach through the book of Hebrews. I have made it into chapter 6 of this study. The message of this letter certainly should resonate with all Christians. We have recently been studying the need for the faithful to continue to "go on to perfection", and how maturing in the faith is essential to avoiding apostasy.

## **Recent Travels**

We were able to make a pretty extensive trip at the end of June and through much of July. We typically take a trip about this time of year to take our kids down to a summer camp in Russellville, AL, and to visit with friends and family for a few days. However, this year ended up being a bit longer than normal. Cynthia was asked to teach at a camp for young ladies a couple weeks after our typical camp. Rather than traveling back and forth, we decided we would just remain in Alabama for the extra time. This opened up an opportunity for me to be able to meet with several churches that help to support us in the work here in Montana. I was able to visit with the church in Auburn, AL for the first time in about 10 years. That congregation holds such a special place in my heart, as we worked with them many years ago when we were in school at Auburn University. They have been a part of our work for many years, going back to our time in Huntington, WV. We also had the chance to stop in and visit with the Prattmont congregation in Prattville, AL, and the Westside church of Christ in Athens, AL, both of whom have supported us for many years. It is always a blessing to be able to see th brethren there and talk about our work as we renew friendships!

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*Sunday: 19*

*Wednesday: 16*

Jacob as he begins this new part of his life!

### **Thanksgiving...**

Thank you all for your continued encouragement in our work. I always enjoy receiving cards and notes/emails that remind us that you think of us and our endeavors here. Please continue to pray for our efforts, that the Lord might provide the increase.

We also had the opportunity to visit with friends and brethren at the Pepper Road church of Christ in Athens, the Belgreen church of Christ in Belgreen, AL, and the Anderson church of Christ in Anderson, AL. We have received so much encouragement from all of these brethren!

### **Family News...**

On our trip to Alabama this year, our oldest son, Jacob, made the move to live in North Alabama. Unfortunately, the expense of living in Bozeman has grown so much that he was simply unable to "spread his wings" here. While I certainly wish he could have stayed, I know he will be a great blessing to a local congregation in Alabama. He is still getting settled in down there, starting a new job and trying to figure out where the best location to live will be. He is also experiencing something he's never had the pleasure to witness before: multiple sound congregations to choose from! He is working through the process of visiting different congregations to see where he may be able to gain encouragement and growth, as well as be useful in the Lord's service. We certainly covet your prayers for