



Greetings Everyone!

Yes, Yes, Yes! God is in control! We have all experienced frustrations and disappointments for the last couple of months. We are sooooo very thankful that we have the ASSURANCE that we can rest and fix on our eyes on the one who holds us!

Like many of you, our lives and plans have been altered and sometimes halted altogether. Because of the pandemic, our planned trips to Columbia and the South Pacific were put on hold. We do check daily for news on lifted travel restrictions and are eager to return to the field.

Please continue to pray for the new church plants that have been started in Palau, Kiribati, Marshal Islands, Nauru and the Solomon Islands. Please pray especially for our PNG missionaries who are currently cut off from their newly established church plants because of stringent travel restrictions. As the Apostle Paul said to the Romans “I long to see you so that I may impart to you some spiritual gift to make you strong— (Romans 1:11 NIV)”.

Thank you for your continued support and prayers. Even though we have been home bound, we are encouraged by the fact that once the doors open up again we will have a greater impact.

We are excited to announce that my dream has come true, we have added another role in our emissary work. Foursquare Disaster Relief has added a new medical branch to its relief efforts. In the past Foursquare has responded to disasters with food, water and shelters coming along side local pastors to help them bring relief to the affected areas. We will be working with FDR overseeing the relief and medical aid in their region. This will also include coordinating and identifying the spiritual needs of the pastors and their congregations.



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This October we will be hosting a Training and Retreat for 23 FDR First Responders. I am excited to get together with likeminded people! Of course, we will have some “team building” fun things too. Skeet shooting, hay rides and lots of talks by the bon fires!

The HOT summer seemed to slip by in lightning speed. Keith and I have discovered a new love... camping! We have found that getting old has some privileges, half price senior discount! So for 4 dollars a night we can camp. Of course, no running water or power... but there is garbage service! It's a lot like going on a mission trip, living out of a suitcase. The fun thing is you do not have to worry about wearing a mask or socially distancing yourself!

This summer our church put on a Vacation Bible School. It was so awesome to see this come together with the talents of 2 of the most Godly, hard working women I have ever worked with! They had many hurdles to overcome with the Covid guidelines. Keith had a major impact on the kids with his object lessons, stories and magic tricks! Many of the kids made a decision to follow Jesus! It was exciting to be there to witness! Natasha and David's kids came for the VBS too!

We have added 2 more to our household this summer. We now we have 6! Melissa moved back from Valdosta Georgia and Joshua our grandson has moved in too. Keith drove a U-Haul towing a car with Melissa 2794 miles. They both enjoyed seeing the United States. Keith said they would have stopped more if they weren't renting a truck with a deadline. We still have kept a room ready for any of you to come and visit!

The Lord has been impressing on me to live intentionally. We have no idea what the future may bring but we can make a difference in our little world. Find someone who needs Him, tell them what God has done for you and bring them with you as you live your life. Find, Tell, Bring! People are scared, hurting and alone, they want someone that can love them where they are at!

We appreciate your prayers and support.. We are your hands and feet extended.. I can't wait to get back!

In His Service

Cindy and Keith Bickley

PS. Please pray for the fires and air quality smoke in our region. The air quality hazard index is a record high of 499 out of 500. The health department has asked everyone to stay inside because of the hazardous fumes. we have had a hard time seeing our mailbox because of the smoke.

Last week I had a BIG reality check. I learned that you don't stand on the top of a aluminum ladder where the label says “don't stand here”. I fell off the ladder on my back and now have been pretty much incapacitated for a week. I never been in this much pain but praise God I didn't break anything. Please pray for a fast recovery.



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