

Dear Friends,

May-June 2018

At the very end of May, I began to experience acute pain in my lower back on the right side. Within a week, I was told that I had several small kidney stones plus a large one. At this time, I still have the large one. I have been working through the pain for the most part, but my energy has been low. A lot has been accomplished anyway, due to the Lord's provision and the greater efforts of others around me. Angela has been under added strain due to my inability around the house and with caring for our three boys. She also had to do a lionesses' share of preparing for our B.I.M.I. Far North conference trip to New Brunswick. I also, had to have more help from our church folks in preparing for our guest preacher and his wife, as well as for preparing the food for our church anniversary. During all of this, I also had to complete the charitable organization paperwork and financial report for the Canadian government.

Just before we flew out, I finished and mailed the government paperwork, and prepared the pastor that was to take the Sunday for me. Our family left a couple of days early; so, we were able to visit Prince Edward Island. [Yes, I took four flights with three young children and a kidney stone.] Then, we went over to New Brunswick to give our ministry report and fellowship with other BIMl missionaries from all over Canada and Greenland. I was very encouraged by the reports and challenged by the prayer requests. I was reminded that there are few like-minded churches across Canada, and there are still large stretches of Canada without a gospel preaching church.

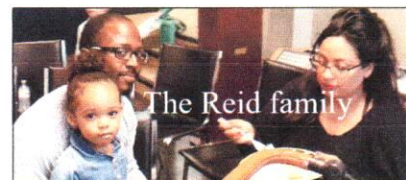
When our flight arrived back in Vancouver, we had just a few hours to rest before our church anniversary. I was still in pain and very jet lagged, but I was charged up by what God was able to accomplish through our people. Our attendance beat our



previous record. John Morton brought his extended family, for the first time that they had been together in church in thirty years. A visitor named Jason had not been to church in fifteen years. Wayne, the agnostic, came to his first regular church service. One lady helped by the bread ministry came. Nelly, who has been faithful for two months, brought her son John. John said that he is considering regularly attending.



Please, pray for our up coming evangelistic campaign. From June 21-23, we are going to be trying to get out as many brochures as possible, which are designed to direct people to the website understandingJohn3:16.com. On the 24th, we are planning to have an evangelistic service. I plan to tell you more about that in the next letter. God bless you all.



Serving the Lord,

Pastor Jonathan Oehlert

Servicing agency:
B.I.M.I.
P.O. Box 9
Harrison, TN., 37341
423-344-5050

Sending Church:
Midwestern Baptist Church
Dr. Ken Bentley
1025 N. 72nd ST
Omaha, NE , 68114
402-551-1529

Field address (flat mail only):
#32-1145 Inlet Street
Coquitlam, BC
V3B 6E8
oehlert264@yahoo.com