

THE PATE FAMILY

MISSIONARIES IN MONTREAL, QUÉBEC



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FAMILY: Thank you for your continued faithful prayer and support for our family and ministry. The Lord is answering your prayer and we're excited to share some highlights of the past two months with you. We praise the Lord that we received baby **Sophie's** Québec birth certificate and Canadian passport. This allowed us to travel to the States in October to provide an update of the ministry at a few supporting churches. Thank you for praying for this specific need! We've made good progress with Sophie's USA birth abroad certificate and passport and should receive those in the next few days. Sophie is now three months old and is doing so well! **Allison** and **Maddie** are both doing great with their school; Allison is in first grade and Maddie in kindergarten. Allison has learned to read and loves using each spare moment to read her story books. She's also enjoying the opportunity to meet weekly with a French tutor. She recently learned to ride a bike and loves riding at the nearby park. Thank you to those who sent cards for her 6th birthday in September. **Bethanie** is almost two years old and is beginning to talk about everything; she loves spending time with her older sisters. Katie is doing a fantastic job balancing homeschooling, caring for the little ones, and ministering in the church.

MINISTRY: This fall season has been the busiest yet of our ministry here. It was a blessing to accomplish several small remodeling and painting projects at the church as well as to install a new sound system. There are a couple of other churches in Québec without a pastor that watch our services regularly; therefore, we're grateful for the opportunity to make some needed improvements to the system to effectively aid in this extension of our ministry. The Lord has been blessing the church's outreach efforts by bringing a steady stream of visitors to the services; please, pray for these individuals and for us as we continue to make contact with them. We've relaunched our new members class with another couple that would like to join our church and we're grateful for the Lord building His church. We're also grateful for the growth of individuals as we sense a good receptivity to the Word of God as it's preached; please continue to pray for spiritual growth in individual lives. In addition to church ministries, it was a blessing to preach in two recent conferences here in Québec – a Bible conference and a men's conference with several nearby churches. Although true Christianity is scarce in Québec, we are grateful for the opportunity to fellowship with other faithful believers. We've also had several visitors from the States this fall and anticipate welcoming my father and Katie's parents this month. We're preparing for our church's missions conference and Christmas program and would appreciate your prayer for these events in the coming weeks. Plans are already being made for the church for 2026 as we look forward to all that the Lord has in store for us here.

In Christ,
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