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Report on Fall Travels

For the last three months my travel schedule has been extremely busy, and I trust by God's grace that it was productive and glorifying to Him!

In September, I attended the Field Administrators meeting of Baptist Missions to Forgotten Peoples, which was a great time to refocus on our purpose and responsibilities in this ministry. September also provided my wife and I an opportunity to visit our children and grandchildren in Nevada and Southern California. While there we were able to attend several sessions of Spiritual Leadership Conference at Lancaster Baptist Church.

In October I travelled every week and preached out every weekend other than the 12th which is Canadian Thanksgiving. The month began with a conference for church planters at the BMFP home office in Kernersville, NC. It was an honour to speak in two sessions, but the greater blessing was to be ministered to by the other speakers. I learned much, and made some great new acquaintances in ministry.

I also flew to Calgary for a revival conference at Northside Baptist Church with a needed emphasis on the family. Before my October schedule concluded I also preached at a prophecy conference at Berean Baptist Church, Cambridge, ON and the missions conference of Forest City Baptist Church, London, ON.

This November began with the missions conference of Victory Baptist Church in Langley, BC followed by missions Sunday at Legacy Baptist Church in Mississauga, ON and another prophecy emphasis Sunday for Gospel Light Baptist Church in Richmond Hill, ON.

It is an honour and privilege to serve the many great churches across Canada and in the US. I am encouraged by the spirit and love of God's people wherever I travel, and am reminded that we need many more gospel lighthouses like these across our nation.

Wisdom & Direction Needed for 2026 Schedule

Events over the past 12 months have caused me to reevaluate my overall schedule and reassess where my ministry priorities need to be. I believe that God will have me travel less in 2026

in order to pour much more time and priority into writing and creating resources. I still remain open for meetings as I receive invitations; so don't hesitate to contact me if you would like me to come for a conference or special meeting. However, I will need to be selective in guarding blocks of time to invest in some important creative projects that need my undivided attention.

Prayer Prompts

Here is our updated prayer and praise list.

1. Continue to pray for labourers - Matthew 9:38.
2. Pray for BMFP Church Planters Cody & Amy Crevar and family as they get settled in the Ottawa area. Plans are to plant a new church there in 2026.
Pray for Elmer and Shirley Norella who have made application with BMFP with the desire to serve as Church Planters in Southern Ontario.
3. We praise the Lord for what God is doing here in Windsor as Crossway Baptist Church continues to grow under the leadership of our Pastor Jason Borrmann.
Praise the Lord for my Mom's stable health. We appreciate your continued prayer for her.
4. We are also praising God that my (Brian) health situation has stabilized. My blood pressure is normal and my doctor and cardiologist will monitor my enlarged aorta as needed in the future.
Please pray for the salvation of my neighbour, Jerry, along with a number of unsaved friends and loved ones of ours.

Christmas Blessings!

We would like to take this opportunity to wish all of you who faithfully partner with us through prayer and financial support, and all who are faithfully serving the Lord in your corner of the world a blessed and Christ-centred Christmas season!

"Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men!" Luke 2:14

By His Grace & for His Glory,

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