# Holding the Ropes

Co-laboring in the Lord's Ministry Luke 5:18-20





## Christmas Greetings!

"...when the fullness of time had come, God sent forth His Son, bom of woman, born under the law the redeem those who were under the last, so that we might receive adoption as sons."

Galatians 4:4-5

As we thank the Father for the perfect gift of our dear Lord Jesus, we also thank Him for each of you and your faithful partnership with us through your prayers, encouragement, and generosity. May the Lord bless you richly as you remember and celebrate the birth of our dear Lord Jesus during this season!

It's shocking to realize that Eliana is already 6

months old. She is growing so fast and is a constant, tangible evidence of the Lord's grace in our lives. Additionally, Azariah continues to bless us as he learns obedience each day, hides God's Word in his heart, and evidences signs of spiritual sensitivity. The other day, during our family time of worship, we prayed for a missionary in Mongolia who was stranded



#### We thank the Lord for ...

- salvation & hope in Him
- His blessing in making us a family of 4
- His grace and provision for all of our needs
- answered prayer for difficult situations on behalf of those in our church
- reopening of Hope Christian School

#### Prayer Requests...

- humility, holiness, and joy in our daily lives
- · strong & unified marriage
- opportunities to share the gospel
- protection from the Evil One
- Pastoral wisdom and grace in navigating challenges
- wisdom & direction for ministry in the New Year

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Snow Fun at School





Mr Dontrell teaching in the newly finished classroom space for the older kids. A loft above the gym.



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from his family. Over the next couple of days Azariah made sure we prayed for him regularly. He was overjoyed to hear that the missionary made it home safely and and thanked the Lord. We pray he continues to learn to pray and thank the Lord for his response.

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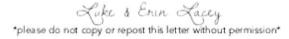
We thank the Lord for what he is doing in our little church body. As we have been praying for those in our congregation who have sustained trials for quite some time, we have seen specific and wonderful provision of the Lord. We praise Him for this gracious intervention and continue to trust him for the outcome.

Traditionally the beginning of a new year is the time when the Salish and Kootenai have ceremonies of prayer and dedication to the spirits. Would you join us in praying for the Lords protection from the Evil One and that the Lord would continue to build His church in this time?

## Hope Christian School

We thank the Lord for His grace in the life of the school. The Spoonhunter family has been an incredible blessing as Dontrell teaches the older class and Taylee and Erin work together in the younger class. We also are thankful for the other volunteers that help with various needs and wonderful lunches that come up regularly from Lonerock Bible Church our sending church. There are 9 students this year who are not only learning age appropriate academics but most importantly are sitting under the instruction of God's Word. We trust our Lord's promises that He is with us in this endeavor to make disciples of these students and families.

Thank you for taking the time to read and pray about these things. We pray that you have a blessed Christmas and New Year!





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