



September/October/November 2023

Dear Praying Friends

In some of our previous updates, we mentioned the need for more laborers. Rock of Ages Ministries usually has Missionary Candidate Classes two times each year, March and September. This past September, there were four families sent from their home church to go through the classes, and thankfully, all four of these families were accepted as missionaries to serve with this ministry. We praise the Lord for this answered prayer! Please join us in continuing to pray for more laborers to be sent into His harvest. We're also very thankful for several churches that have come to the ministry's home office to help us with the many tasks to be done. We are also thankful for the interest that has been shown from other church groups who are wanting to come help. We pray they can work out the details to make this possible.



October was a busy month for us and November continues to be busy also. We don't have any services that aren't filled. Along with our missionary work in the print shop & other areas of the ministry, we've had the opportunity to sing, preach the Gospel, & testify of the missionary work we get to do, in several churches that we'd never been to before. These churches are located in Georgia, Tennessee, Alabama, Mississippi, & North Carolina. This is continuing into November & December, as we anticipate additional meetings that will take us to Virginia, Kentucky, Tennessee, Georgia, Mississippi, & Alabama. The Lord has also began to fill our schedule for 2024, but I do hope He comes before then! If not, we'll continue doing what we can, with what we've got, until He comes!

We are very thankful for your faithfulness to pray for us & to continue to support us financially, as we continue to labor in the Lord's harvest. Unbelievers continue to be saved, while believers continue to be strengthened & encouraged, and to grow stronger in the grace & knowledge of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. Thank you!

Renae is scheduled to have major surgery on Wednesday, November 29, 2023. The doctor said that she may have a record-sized uterus. While this is normally removed laparoscopically, they said she would lose too much blood, if attempted in this manner, so they will be performing abdominal surgery. Please pray for wisdom for the doctors, and for her surgery to be successful, and for a speedy & full recovery, and that we will know how to deal with this situation, according to the will of the Lord.

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2 Corinthians 4:5 For we preach not ourselves, but Christ Jesus the Lord; and ourselves your servants for Jesus' sake.

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