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Dear Praying Friends,

We have now been on furlough for over two months and we have seen God's hand of provision. It is assuring to feel the sustaining presence of God as He daily provides for our needs and sustains us. One such prayer was answered when a church just north of Atlanta, Crossroads Baptist Church, Pastored by Chip Ray, let us stay in their mission's home for a couple months. God has even lined us up with housing in Chattanooga, Tennessee, as we now have a center to base ourselves out of during this furlough. We have a God who always provides for His children!

NATIONAL LEADERSHIP – The church in Cebu has not missed a beat since we have been here on furlough, and I am especially blessed to see our national leadership growing into stronger leadership roles in the church. This is the answered prayer of every missionary to see those that he has led to the Lord and disciplined to grow spiritually and in their leadership: "I have no greater joy than to hear that my children walk in truth" (3 John 1:4), and to see those same men and women replicate themselves in leadership and discipleship. "And the things that thou hast heard of me among many witnesses, the same commit thou to faithful men, who shall be able to teach others also" (2 Timothy 2:2). I am thankful to the Lord for providing faithful men along the missionary journey.

BIBLE COLLEGE – The Bible college in Cebu has started its first week of classes for the new school year. Everyone is excited about the incoming Bible students as well. The Bible college is vital to training the nationals in full-time Christian service. We are excited where God is placing them around the world to serve Him. The men Bible students' names are Phil, Jireh, Isidro, Genesis, Arvin, and Joevil. The ladies are Jolina, Jolly, Alesa, and Shantel. Please, pray for them by name as we are sure the enemy will attack them with discouragement while pursuing the Lord in Bible college.

FURLOUGH – Since arriving for furlough, we have already logged over 6,000 miles of travel. We do appreciate the prayers for safety on the highways, and God's blessing on the relationships we make, and those with whom we are reconnecting. We wish we could visit everyone who has been a part of what God is doing on mission field of the Philippines. While that may not be possible due to time restraints, we are grateful to be a partner with you in reaching the Filipino souls for the Lord.

SOULWINNING - We also thank the Lord for giving us soulwinning opportunities while we travel. I was able to share the gospel with a Filipino man named Mark in Indiana, and though he did not receive Christ, he was visibly under conviction. I pray the Lord would continue to work on his heart. My wife was able also to share the gospel with a young lady in Georgia. I am pleasantly surprised at the overall receptiveness of people taking a gospel tract, and their interest in us sharing the gospel. God is certainly working, even when we can not see everything going on.

UPCOMING ITINERARY: Wilson, NC – Aug. 21-25; Irmo, SC – Aug. 28; Ajax, Ontario, Canada – Sept. 1, Rutland, VT – Sept. 8; Knoxville, TN – Sept. 15-18; Royse City, TX – Sept. 26-29; Lowell, IN – Oct. 4-6, Omaha, NE – October 9-13, Jacksonville, NC – Oct. 16-20

Your missionaries,
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Brother Warren preaching



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