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Dear Praying Friends,

Every winter in February the cold and the darkness has our spirits sinking a bit. A couple years ago we began having a Tropical Sunday to stave off the winter blues. It is the perfect mid-winter pick-me-up. We decorate the building in a tropical theme, invite lots of friends, and eat tropical food afterwards. It has become one of our highly anticipated yearly events. We were blessed with 10 visitors on that day. Some were brand new to Canada from the refugee house where we volunteer, and some were people we have been working with for a year or two. One of those young men has been continually faithful since then. We never know who will be brought in by these events or how long it will take them to return. Just this last week we were blessed with an inquiry from a face painting outreach we did eight months ago! She had lost our pamphlet and didn't know how to find us. She found it while organizing her paperwork for taxes! Sometimes good things come from taxes! She has been in church now the last few services with her family.

Our family is needing to move this June. Our landlord has evicted us due to wanting to renovate. Please continue in prayer with us that we can find a new place. We also would appreciate your prayers as we are working hard to try to find a storefront building to rent for the church by the end of this year. God has blessed us with a wonderful building to rent hourly, but as the church grows we believe God could do some great things if we could have a place of permanence in the neighborhood. It is a challenging situation to find a building that is affordable and a landlord that won't mind a church using the building. They are not accustomed to churches renting their facilities. In order to get our building there could be some additional monthly expenses. The church plant is doing well supplementing the monthly costs, but we could use approximately \$350 extra a month to help in this transition. Please be in prayer for the extra needed support.

Spring is around the corner and we are looking forward to it. We have a Bible college student who will be staying the summer to train at the church and we are thankful to have his help. Please let us know if you have a church group that would like to come be a part of any of our summer programs.

**SOCIAL MEDIA DISABLED** – Please be aware our Facebook has been hacked and disabled and we are struggling to get it reconciled. So there will be no FB updates or use of messenger for now.

Serving in the city,

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