



The Smith Family Church Planters to Nova Scotia Canada



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Dear Church and Praying Friends,

I Peter 1:8 Whom having not seen, ye love; in whom, though now ye see him not, yet believing, ye rejoice with joy unspeakable and full of glory:

The workings of the Lord are truly amazing. As with the rest of the world, the last few months have been trying. We have been on lockdown pretty much this whole time to the point where we cannot leave the Province. Because of this, we have had to put a hold on our plans for outreach in other communities. Many people here (mostly unsaved) have acted terrified. In the beginning, we had to switch our services to a live stream only, which we were already set up to do, as only 5 people were allowed in the church building. The Lord blessed tremendously as many people from outside our church family were getting on to watch services. In May we were able to begin drive-in church through FM transmitter. During this time a trucker from Ontario was watching our services and decided to attend our drive-in services on Sunday, as he was in Moncton every weekend. What a blessing! When I was able to be outside, we had neighbors opening their windows so they could listen to me preach, as well as a few passers-by to stop and listen. At the end of May, our NS Premier increased the building occupancy to 10, so I have been preaching from inside the church while the rest continued to listen from their cars through the radio. Though the devil has tried hard to discourage churches during all of this, God's power has continued to work, and a man that has been coming off and on from the last year made a profession of faith in Christ Jesus our Lord. Praise His Name!

The Lord has also blessed with our church facilities. Our chairs are now here and we were able to get the carpet redone, as it was in terrible shape; praise God it is all paid for. The church is excited and people are expectant for the Lord to do mighty things as we come out the other side of this pestilence (COVID). Pastors have frequently asked me to let them know if there is a special project we needed help with. At this time, the project in need is a baptistry that would give us the ability to baptize in the church building rather than renting hotel pool. If anyone would consider helping with this expense, or if you know of a good used baptistry we could get, please let me know.

On the home front, everything is going well. The Permanent Residence process seems to be on hold, as no one is working in that part of the government yet. Clarence graduated this year and plans to go to college in the field of nursing; we need prayer for the PR process to quickly continue, so he can attend the local NS college here in Amherst. Please pray it goes through quickly.

Please pray that the Lord continues to move in the church. Thank you all for your continued prayer and financial support. Your faithfulness means the world to us and we want to thank you from the bottom of our hearts.

Thank you for your prayers and support,

Living by Faith,


Rob Smith and Family

Prayer Requests:

- Souls to be saved – happening!
- End of the lock down
- Permanent Residence
- Our support to go back to where it was

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