Greetings Pastor and Fellowlaborers,

Merry Christmas and A Happy New Year!

What a wonderful couple of months it has been! November was quite busy with meetings every week. We had the opportunity to present our progress to our sending church and were encouraged with how far God has brought us during this time of "part-time" deputation. I presented at six churches in the DFW area and it was such a blessing to see churches of all sizes faithful in giving to missions. We were also able to be at our home church Missions conference at the end of the month and rub elbows with four veteran missionary couples. It is always an encouragement to hear what God has done in these families' lives.

We spent the majority of December wrapping up our internship period at our sending church. As many of you know Elizabeth taught a special needs Sunday School Class at First Baptist Church of Meadowview. She took November and December to present the Gospel to them step-by-step in a way they can understand. During this time, each class member showed their understanding of the gospel and gave testimonies of their own salvation. What a wonderful blessing it was to Elizabeth to see these things. Praise the LORD!!

The next step is (finally) our survey trip! Before we head into full-time deputation, we have to see our field! We head out January 15th and plan to spend time with Faith Baptist Church in Stavanger and their Pastor, Seth Turpin. Then we'll head up north to check out the Trondheim area. We are bringing plenty of tracks with us to share the Gospel along our way! We are praying for God to strengthen our burden for the people there and show us specifics on how we can accomplish the goals He has put on our hearts.

God has been moving tremendously this year. My wife and I have grown much in our faith We are looking forward to our trip, where we intend to learn more about Norwegian culture as well as the things necessary for daily living there. Most importantly, we want to learn what tools and strategies for soulwinning are most effective. Thank you for your prayers for us during this time! We look forward to sharing what we've learned with you!

May the Lord Bless you and strengthen you, Jared and Elizabeth Blair

Our Prayer Needs:

- -Please pray for traveling mercies for survey trip Jan 15th through Feb 2nd.
- -Please pray for God's quidance and wisdom as we see His plan for us in Norway.
- -Please pray for God's provision as we step out in faith for this next phase of ministry.

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