

The Rasnake Family

Church Planting In California



June 2017

Dear Faithful Supporters:

School is out and the heat is here! We had a good service for Easter although we did not have the visitors we were expecting. Leading up to Easter we distributed many invitations across our community. We were able to make some new contacts and are praying that we will see some visitors this summer. Over the summer we are working toward a 'Back to School Sunday'. Please pray that we will make new prospects, see them come to our service, and be able to see others trust Christ.

In our last prayer letter I mentioned a new contact named Gale, she has been struggling with some health issues recently and has not been able to come to church yet. Please pray that God will heal her and help her to receive salvation. She has promised that she will come to a service and we are hoping to see her soon.

Every May, churches here in the Central Valley of California, hold a men's meeting. This year my father and I were able to attend the conference together. It is exciting to see a little less than a thousand men gathered together, hungry to hear from God's Word. I was able to play in a brass ensemble during the conference as well. Every message was powerful, encouraging, convicting, and motivating. During the conference fifteen messages were preached in a 24 hour period. At the end of the conference everyone seems to leave anticipating next year's meeting. It was certainly a blessing to receive these messages, and an encouragement for the battle of lost souls.

Next week I will be traveling to Arizona for the South Western United States MWBM Orientation. I am looking forward to the meeting, but I desire your prayers as I make the 13.5 hour drive by myself. During this time I will be able to meet several other church planters across the southwest United States. We will have a series of classes and messages that are designed to help, focus, motivate, inspire, and instruct us as we serve the Lord. I will be leaving June 25th, after our services, and will return home June 29 or 30. Thank you for your prayers as I travel to and from this meeting.

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