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I can be nothing less than in awe as I consider the works of our God in us, through us, and around us. It is a joy beyond anything this world can afford. God rebuked Israel for not regarding “the work of the LORD, neither [considering] the operation of his hands.” (Isa. 5:12) When my heart is hardened I miss what God is doing. Remember the Lord’s warning to beware of the leaven of the Pharisees and the disciples’ misunderstanding? Why did they miss what Jesus was saying and doing at that moment? “[T]hey considered not the miracle of the loaves: for their heart was hardened.” I am so grateful that my Heavenly Father rebukes and chastens my heart that it may be soft, attentive, and obedient to Him. Faith gives such better vision than carnal sight.



Jim Males and I, with another man named Lizandro, spent a morning at Gordon’s home building and installing outside garden boxes. Gordon and Janet seemed to really appreciate it and it was a profitable time to further love on these dear ones.

Thanksgiving in Canada is the second Monday of October. Our home was joyfully filled with more than a dozen people on Thanksgiving Day. I believe all enjoyed the hearty meal and fellowship.

We have had a busy three months since our last letter to you. The Sunday and mid-week meetings have been well attended. We usually have two to six extra visitors each meeting in addition to our ministry team and the Lim family. Please continue to pray for Gordon and Janet; a dear lost couple that has been coming for over eight months now. We just started an evening Gospel Bible study with Gordon, which is going very well. Gordon is asking good questions and appears to be increasingly searching.



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I mentioned Lizandro above. The Lord brought Lizandro into our lives about a month ago. He claims to have been saved three years ago, has a good testimony of how God brought him to repentance and faith in Christ, and appears very hungry for the Word of God. We have begun a Bible study with him and making friends. Pray for his continuance in the Word of God. Continue praying for Mike, for Emma, and for Valery; all people to whom we are currently ministering the Gospel. Here are a couple more pictures from our meetings.

We love you all. Keep on the firing line. Thank you for praying for us and the work of God here in Halifax. We take your investment in this work very seriously and desire that fruit may abound to your account. Thank you for your faithful partnership with us and Chegoggin Baptist Church.

