



THE MACKEY FAMILY

January - March 2025

Trenton, Ontario

Dear praying friends,

We praise the Lord for what He has continued to do here at Quinte Baptist Church. Thank you to all those who prayed for the five souls who were baptized in January. It was a great encouragement to see these folks take this step of obedience in their lives. Since that service, we have had three more reach out regarding baptism. Lord willing, we will be able to baptize them in the month of May. We also saw another person join the church. What a blessing it has been to see God at work!

Our church had its annual business meeting at the beginning of February, and a number of good decisions were made, to help further the work of the ministry here in the Bay of Quinte region. This coming fall, we are planning on doing a community mail out, with our goal being to get a piece of Gospel literature in every mailbox in Trenton. We are sending out a little flyer that tells the story of John 3:16. The flyer also includes a link to a video presentation of the Gospel. Please pray that hearts will be receptive to the message. Our church folks have already begun to give special offerings toward this project.

During the month of March, our family was able to travel to Quebec City for a week to visit with my wife's side of the family. We had not been able to visit with her siblings and their families in nearly four years. Although it was a very busy week, with nearly 30 of us together, we left feeling refreshed and recharged. Our kids had a great time with their cousins, who they rarely get to see due to distance.

We continue to see visitors come out to our services. One of these visitors is a young lady named Alisha, who attended for the first time last month. Alisha grew up Catholic, and had some questions about baptism. Through conversation it became very clear to me that she is not yet saved. It just so happened that in our Sunday morning series through John, the text I had preached that day was from John 3 on *ye must be born again*. I could sense that Alisha had never heard this truth before, and my wife was able to meet with her after service that day and go through the Romans Road with her. She did not accept Christ that day, but she did take home a John and Romans, and said she wanted to re-read through the Scriptures before making her decision. Please pray for her salvation!

Here are a few specific requests that we would appreciate your prayers for:

1. Pray for those who are in need of baptism
2. Pray for Alisha to be saved
3. Pray for our John 3:16 community mail out

In Christ,
Micheal, Dorothée, Alice, Esme and Elise Mackey



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