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the TOWNS *family*

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Dear Pastor and Church Family,

I want to begin by apologizing for the delay in getting this letter out. Time has flown by, and we are already halfway through 2025! Though this update is long overdue, we are excited to share some of the amazing things God has been doing in our church and ministry this year.

We've had a tremendous start to 2025. Each week we continue to see new visitors walk through our doors. It's been such a joy to watch not only new faces attend, but also to see many of our newer attendees begin to get involved and take ownership in the life of the church. Several have stepped up to serve and volunteer, and their growth has been a great encouragement to us. We also had a wonderful Easter service this year, filled with joy, meaningful worship, and a strong Gospel message. It was encouraging to see many visitors attend, and we continue to pray that the seeds planted that day will bear fruit. Not long after Easter, we hosted a special Revival Meeting with Dr. Al Stone. His preaching was a great blessing to our church family, and the Lord used those services to stir hearts and renew a passion for reaching our city with the Gospel. We are still seeing the spiritual impact of that week in the lives of our people.

We would like to ask for specific prayer for Daniel Duff and Josh Smith. Both men have been attending our services for several weeks and are clearly searching, but they have yet to make a decision for Christ. Please pray that God would soften their hearts and open their eyes to the Gospel. We are praying earnestly for their salvations.

As we head into summer, we are gearing up for one of our favourite seasons of ministry. The good weather allows us to begin weekly outreach. Every Wednesday evening, our church family will be going out into the community, knocking on doors, handing out invitations to church, and sharing the Gospel. Please pray for open hearts, meaningful conversations, and lasting fruit from these efforts.

Your faithful prayers and support continue to make all of this possible. We are constantly reminded that we are not doing this alone, your partnership is a vital part of the work here in North Vancouver. Thank you for standing with us in this ministry.

As always, we are grateful for you and praying that God continues to bless you as you serve Him where you are.

Thank you! Joshua, Erin, Calleigh, Alayna, Raelene, and Lance



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