

We look forward with anticipation to when David can leave his job and we can devote ourselves to raising support and awareness for call God has placed on our lives. Everything in the world would be contrary to that; we should be instead fearful, or nervous about paying for our necessities once his steady income ceases. But God has given us a spirit of courage (as Paul told Timothy), and we should be anxious for nothing (as he wrote to the church at Philippi), and Jesus Himself reminded us not to worry about tomorrow for the Lord provides all things to the birds and the lilies, and that much more so to all of us, His children (Matthew 6:25-34).

As we press more and more into His timing and His perfect will for us, we're impressed by our need for faithfulness in whatever He's given us to do *now*. I've heard it said "do the next right thing," and I feel that's how it is when we follow God. Take the next right step. And then the next. And the next, and the next. You might not know where you're going, but He will never lead us astray.

In that vein, we've stepped out in faith and revived our church's college ministry. It's an amazing opportunity to meet a desperate need we've seen in our body, and one that can speak to the burden of our own hearts. When we were that age, we could have used some guidance and mentorship (even some accountability) and we didn't have it. We want to pour into the next generation so they feel just as called and sent as we do.

On top of that, we now lead worship for our congregation on Wednesday nights full-time, and we're actively involved in our church's new worship community, which aims to foster and encourage (and equip!) members of our own body to serve in that area. I lead a Bible study for the ladies of the church on Tuesday nights and I'm teaching the minor prophets, a challenge I would never have thought I'd ever want to tackle even just a year ago. I praise the Lord that He's giving us these opportunities and learning experiences now, in this sometimes tough and difficult season.

He is faithful. It constantly amazes me. The Creator of the Universe, the King of Kings, wants to give us all the good things He can—and here's the kicker: we have only to accept and receive!

I thank God for those of you who continually support us not only financially but in prayer. You're enduring with us as we continue waiting, waiting for His timing, waiting for each valuable lesson, waiting as the Master Gardener tills the soils of our hearts to make us ready for the work to come. Thank you so much for *your* faithfulness in standing with us as we walk the narrow road. May you all be as blessed as we are pressing in to know the Lord more and more everyday.

**What's next:** We are planning an informational meet-and-greet for the afternoon of Saturday, December 6, at Calvary Chapel in Buhl. We will have updates for current supporters as well as information for those who are interested in joining our support team or just want to know more. See you there!