

THE SHEDALS

Church Planters to Eastern Pennsylvania

Praise the Lord for...

- 5 wonderful years of marriage
- The Lord's peace and sustaining grace regarding Daniel's new surgery date
- Good Bible study and evident spiritual growth with the Thomas family
- The opportunity to baptize 2 more individuals and add them to membership
- Visitors and good preaching during the Revive America Conference

Please Pray for...

- Carol and Jess - salvation
- Vickie - salvation
- Connie - baptism and spiritual growth
- Rich - Salvation
- Daniel's heart surgery on November 21st
- Thanksgiving Praise Service on November 20th
- Christmas Service on December 18th



Dear Praying Friends,

On September 16th, Rebekah and I celebrated 5 years of marriage. Wow! What an awesome blessing! God is good. We used our anniversary and a mini family vacation to relax, enjoy our family, and get mentally prepared for the October hospital stay. Then, our plans were turned upside down when the hospital called (last minute) and postponed the surgery. We sent out several emails during this period of uncertainty. Thank you for praying for us. We certainly needed it. The new date is November 21st. Please pray for us as we get prepared all over again and that the surgery will be a complete success. Lord willing, this should be Daniel's final heart surgery.

When the surgery was postponed, we decided to throw ourselves completely back into the work of the ministry. Rebekah held an our annual ladies fellowship in our home. Tammy Henricks, from Mt. Zion Baptist Church in Brogue, PA, was the special speaker. All the ladies greatly enjoyed themselves and are eager for more ladies fellowships.

On October 23rd, the Lord answered one of my prayers and



Baptismal Service, October 23rd

Answered Prayer

At the beginning of this year, I decided to pray a prayer of faith and ask the Lord to double the church membership. There was a total of six members at that time. We worked planting gospel seeds and waited for God to bring the harvest.

Early in the summer, I sensed that God was getting ready to do something special at AGBC. Several new visitors began coming out on a regular basis and some of them got saved. In August, I baptized 4 individuals and added them to the church membership. My prayer was almost answered.

Then, two more people asked for baptism. They were immersed and added to the membership on October 23rd. Praise the Lord! Amazing Grace Baptist Church now has 12 members because the Lord answered my prayer.

allowed us to hold another baptismal service. It thrilled our hearts to see people making this decision of faith and being a godly example to others who need to follow in their steps.

October 30th - November 2nd, we held our second Revive America Conference with Evangelist Colton Lee. We did not get as many visitors as we had hoped for (I think Halloween had something to do with that) but it was spiritually uplifting regardless. Please pray that the visitors who did come will visit for a regular service sometime soon.

In regards to various people to whom we have been reaching out, there is still much work to be done. Carol and Jess are still in need of salvation. Jess is faithful to Rebekah's Sunday School class. She is learning things but has not yet made the decision for salvation. Vicky comes to church regularly but her heart is hard against the gospel. Connie attends regularly on Sunday mornings and sometimes brings her extended family members. We are hoping to start a Bible study with her after Daniel's surgery. Rich has not attended church much lately and we have not been able to meet for Bible study. The Thomas family has been learning and applying things from our Bible study. Kelly, the Mom, was baptized on October 23rd.

We are excited to hold our annual Thanksgiving Praise Service (Nov. 20) and Christmas Service (Dec. 18). These will be our final outreaches for the year. Thank you for praying for us as we persevere in the work of our Savior.

In Christ,
Adam, Rebekah, and Daniel Shedal



Pastor Adam with Evangelist Colton Lee