

Happy Thanksgiving

Dear Friends,

November 20, 2018



Happy Thanksgiving to you and your family! There is so much to be thankful for this year. We wish we could all join around the table with you and celebrate Thanksgiving and the joy found only through Jesus Christ. This year I approach my 25th year of ministry work and obviously none of it would be possible without you, your generosity, and your faithfulness to me and my family. Six months ago we launched our new Uptime Outreach and we are overwhelmed with so many new opportunities. Here are some fun pictures we want to share of family and new friends.

1. Our oldest, David Neil (15), who was the starting JV quarterback at his high school.

2. Our daughters, Olivia (14) and Shelby (12), won their middle school championship and were selected to the All-Tournament Team.

3. The next picture, Samuel (age 10), won his flag football championship.

4. I did my infamous "break the soda can" illustration to a high school football team where I squeeze the can with my hands and it explodes everywhere. In the photo I am challenging Tymon Mitchell, who has a full scholarship to the University of Georgia next year. The players responded well and great new friendships were formed.

5. The outreach to local public schools continues to grow strong and bring many new opportunities.

As we end this year we want to make sure YOU know how vital YOU are to the lives of others. Mandy and I continue to be amazed that we have the privilege of working in full time ministry! Please know that YOU are heroes to us and we would love to know how we can pray for YOU and serve your family.

P.S. I have enclosed an "end of the year ask" for you to prayerfully consider.

We love you so much,

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So thankful for you !



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REACH UP REACH OUT for 2019

This last year has been filled with new opportunities and many new ministry expenses for our family (home repair, car repair, education, ministry needs), we have a special need of around \$5000. We want to ask if you might consider an end of the year gift to help meet these needs, but <u>please</u> don't feel pressured in any way. Also, I would be happy to share with you in more detail the nature of these expenses.

If you would like to include your prayer requests/life updates...it's always fun to hear from you!