



## MUSINGS IN MINISTRY

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Is it just me or is this summer flying by? I hope you've found some great downtime to experience rest and refreshment during these warm months. Life in Orlando has felt really fast-paced for summertime. While I've continued connecting with many of you as I trust the Lord to expand my ministry partner team, I've also moved twice (house-sitting for two different families), have traveled to celebrate two friends as they got married and am currently searching for a permanent place to live come September 1<sup>st</sup>. Through the process, I've taken advantage of working from our headquarters to stay abreast of what my new team has been working on and have begun to cultivate friendships at my church. I'm grateful that the Lord has provided these bits of community for me as I continue to transition.

While I was seeking to report for my new assignment by June 21<sup>st</sup>, the Lord had other thoughts. My team has moved forward on a project with our US Leadership (it has gone well!) and I have spent the time sharing the vision of what God has called us to do with others. It has been delightful reconnecting with so many of you in the process—hearing stories of God's faithfulness, coming to better understand the struggles and joys in your lives, praying together and simply catching up on life. I feel truly blessed to know you and partner together with you to share the good news of Jesus with others!!

One takeaway over the last two months has been the way God lavishly provides for His people. The way you give so generously through your service, prayers, giving, time and talents are such an example to me of the Body at work. I really wanted to take the opportunity this month to say a more pronounced 'thank you'—God continues to move through your lives and stories to help me see a bigger picture of what He is accomplishing in the world. Our partnership together is a sweet part of this, of course, but the ways you walk with Him and invest your lives in helping others know Jesus in your daily lives blesses me tremendously, too! Thank you.

Would you pray for me in some specific ways this month? I'd be so grateful. Please ask the Lord to:

- Expand my ministry partner team enabling me to report back to my ministry assignment as soon as possible
- Fill in the gaps for my director until I can report back to work (the person God provided to do so this summer has left to return to graduate school, so this is a big need)
- Provide wisdom and resources as I transport the rest of my belongings from Boston to Orlando this month
- Clearly lead me to a house/apartment to live in with my two friends for September 1<sup>st</sup>
- Continue to help me live in light of all I've learned this past year—that'd I'd maintain healthy boundaries and thrive in this life of ministry
- Meet me as I continue to trust Him for friends and community outside of CCC in Orlando

Please let me know how I can pray specifically for you (email, call, text, write—whatever is best for you)! Thank you again for all you do—I LOVE that we're in this together and consider myself so blessed to know you. I praise God for all He continues to accomplish in and through us!

Until Everyone Hears..

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