

Williams Family Update December 2019



We are grateful for each of you and wanted to share how God is at work in our family. Thank you for praying for our ministry and family; we are so thankful for your partnership!

Caleb loves people! He knows everyone on our street by name and waves joyfully at them as they pass our house. Trucks, cars, and books fill his play time. He loved being with the college students at Ultimate Training Camp in May, and asks when we can go back.

We're thankful that our kids love each other and play together well. Caleb wants to sing Bible songs and pray for Caroline each night. I often hear Caleb say, "Come here Sweetie," and it melts my heart! They are learning to share and are good buddies.

We play outside with neighbors as much as possible. Praying for his friends on the street at night is part of our routine — that they would come to know and love Jesus too. One night this fall, Matt was leaving for campus and Caleb said, "Go tell them about Jesus!" At three, he understands our missionary hearts, and is becoming others-centered.





Caroline has been determined since day one. She enjoys snuggling baby dolls, but also can hang tough with her big brother! Once she learned to walk, she was running everywhere! She's developing words and lets us passionately know what she wants. Once Caroline started sleeping consistently in March, my capacity to pour out to others increased greatly!

Earlier this year I read a good book called *Triggers* to help me pinpoint areas of growth. Motherhood often exposes my sinful desire to control. Noticing flesh patterns points me to Jesus and my need for growth in living out the gospel. Ultimately, I'm thankful for this season with little ones that is shaping me more into the image of Christ.



Our big news is that Jenny is pregnant and due with our third child on April 16th!

We're waiting to find out the sex, so that will be a fun surprise. We're grateful the Lord is growing our family again! We pray this little one will love and serve the Lord.

Thank you for praying for our ministry and family. We're grateful for your partnership with us. We cherish and feel your prayers sustaining us in the daily pursuit of making disciples both on campus and in our home.

Matt, Jenny, Caleb, Caroline