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At the time of this writing [first of January, 2011], we have received \$58,341.07, including your THANKSGIVING OFFERINGS received during December. GOD BLESS EACH ONE OF YOU WHO HAS GIVEN TO THIS OFFERING. If you have not given a personal offering yet, please do so as the Lord gives you Grace to give! No offering is too small. No offering is insignificant. You can give your offering designated to BFM THANKSGIVING OFFERING through your church, or you can send it directly to our Treasurer for THANKSGIVING OFFERING: Baptist Faith Missions, c/o George Sledd, P.O. Box 471280, Lake Monroe FL 32747.

PLEASE HELP US GIVE OUR MISSIONARIES A RAISE!

Please review the appeal we made in our last Mission Sheets issue [and also posted on the FAITHWORKS page of our website]. We will need a significant and sustained increase in our MONTHLY GENERAL FUND giving in order to accomplish this goal. Our missionaries need our increased commitment to help them JUST MAINTAIN their present ministry activities - and more so, to increase their ability to do more for the Glory of God!

Blessed By Visit From Family ... All Works Going Very Well ...



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Dear Brothers and Sisters, January 11, 2011
It doesn't seem possible that we are

It doesn't seem possible that we are getting used to writing 2011. Some of you have been doing this for a lot longer than I. We are so thankful for your faithfulness to support us. Without your support we could not be here proclaiming the Good News.

During the holidays we were blessed by the visit of David and Dulce, Mateus

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and Natan, one of our four children and his family. What a joy it is for us to have four children who are serving the Lord. About the time you read this, the Lord willing, our eighth grandchild will be born. We plan to be with Lydia and her husband, Adam, in Chicago during the month of February to help them with the birth of their second child.

This past year has been one of many blessings in the work here in southern France. God is at work all the time, but this year we have seen much evidence of what God is and has been doing. It encourages us to keep on working at the job. We now have a steady group of about thirty-five on Sundays. A number of those who come are not saved, but show a good interest. Others have publicly professed their faith and are growing. People often stay for an hour or more after Sunday services and these are good informal times of witnessing and communicating the gospel.

We also began having special meetings for young people this past year. These have been well attended. The young folks seem anxious to bring their friends and those who come enjoy the meetings.

The children's Bible study in the city of L'Union is going well. It has also opened doors with adults in this town. The weekly Bible study in this town is growing in participants. We hope to one day see a church of the Lord Jesus Christ in this city.

The weekly Bible studies in the city of Mazere, about forty-five miles from here, are also going well and is slowly enlarging in number. One lady, in her early 70s, drives about one half of an hour to come. It seems that perhaps she has truly trusted the Lord. She was brought the first time by a sister who was visiting from a distant city. We did not think that she would come back, and she didn't for over a year. But, God was at work, and now she doesn't miss a week.

There are discouraging matters. Though six years ago we were legally qualified to have long term residence status here, we still are working toward this goal. This requires paper work and several visits to public offices yearly. But, this is nothing compared to persecution that others endure and have endured for the sake of the Gospel. Many doors of opportunity are open and we rejoice in each of these.

Thanks again for your faithful support and prayers. May God give us all much fruitfulness this year in His service.

In France for Christ, John and Judy Hatcher

THINK SPRING! 2011 BFM SPRING MISSIONS CONFERENCE

We invite you to attend and participate in our SPRING MISSIONS CONFERENCE hosted by Thompson Road Baptist Church, Lexington, Kentucky. The dates are APRIL 11, 12, 13. We will be posting details on our website's EVENTS and FAITHWORKS pages as they are finalized. We will also publish them here in the Mission Sheets shortly.

We encourage churches to pay your pastor's [and his wife] travel expenses to

attend this Conference. It will give them the opportunity to enjoy what is always a muchneeded physical and spiritual re-charging for the upcoming year's ministry. We use these Conference occasions to highlight and update our missions partners concerning our missionaries' ministries and also stir up all of us to greater interest, involvement, and investment in our mutual missions endeavors.

Thank All Of You For The Clothes Donations . . . Preparing For Classes For The Men Of Church . . .



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Dear friends and family, January 15, 2011 Happy New Year to all! Hope this letter finds everyone well and looking forward to an AWESOME new year. From what I hear a lot of you are suffering from freezing weather with snow. This may be a good time to leave your cold place and come on down to the heat of the tropics. A mission trip at this time of the year would get you out of that cold weather and put you into a warm climate where you can suffer for the Lord. Here we are suffering from the heat. But God is giving us some respite as almost every afternoon we get lots of rain. Today we will have to take everything out of the church because yesterday it came a "chicken drowner" (probably about five inches of rain in about five hours) and it entered the church. So we will have to do some extensive cleaning. As we sat on the front porch yesterday our street looked like a river. As we look at the changes in the weather-

maybe God is telling us something.

The new work is going very well. We have had several services with over one hundred people. The Lord is really blessing. We had a special Christmas program with and for the children and it was a success. Many visitors came and now we have the opportunity to visit them and take the gospel to their homes. Also our New Year service was attended by over forty families that are members and several visitors. We praised the Lord and sang the new year in and then ate to our hearts content.

We are looking at many projects here on the church property and also on the Vocational property. We are just waiting for visitors to come and help us. What are your plans for vacation this upcoming year? Could you come on down and help us?

As usual our vehicles are undergoing weekly trips to the mechanic. Our roads are one big hole after the other and this does bad things to the vesicles. Our bigger expense right now is the insurance for these vehicles. We will have four to six months of payments to pay for the insurance. It is not like there in the States, you cannot make payments over the year. Here you have to either pay in one payment or they give you four or six months to pay. We have thought about letting it drop, but because we transport church people we have to have insurance. So between the holes in the roads and the insurance it is almost cost prohibitive to have a vehicle. I now understand why most

Brazilians ride a bike or walk. Barbara and I would like to thank each and every one of you who have brought or sent clothes to us here in Brazil. We do several things with the clothes and here is the process: We call each of the members to the house and open the boxes and say "cloth your family." Then when everyone has been clothed we are having a sale of the clothes for the neighborhood. In November we sold enough clothes to buy a new stove for the kitchen at the church. And this month we had another sale and we have enough money to pay half of the price for a new refrigerator. It is such a blessing to first see the church members leaving the house with sacks of clothes knowing that they would not have been able to have bought these clothes, but they are receiving them for free. It is such a joy to see someone else using clothing that did not fit you anymore knowing that they are being put to good use. Come down and see if you can recognize something that you have left here in Brazil or have sent by someone else. Again thanks for your generosity.

I have been preparing for a series of classes with the men at church. In these classes I am going to be teaching service, getting the men ready to serve. Our men have begun to meet monthly and the group is growing wonderfully. Yesterday's group had fourteen men present. In the classes that I will be teaching I am including a wide range of subjects and the men are becoming excited about the class. Included will be evangelism, discipleship and deacon

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Assis Brazil Celebrates 48th Year... Overflow Crowds In Our Services...



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Dear Brethren.

January 10, 2011

Have you ever heard a preacher or politician say, "I will be brief?" I'll try, but don't know how successful I will be.

In early December I visited the church at Assis Brazil. They just celebrated their forty-eighth birthday. There was an overflow crowd. The pastor there is Eliesio, who you have heard me mention before. He is the one pastor in the region who is really committed to missions. Our churches have a very good and close relationship. Dad organized this church, by a nearby lake, under light of a kerosene lamp with just a handful of folks. That was 1962 and was there then, too.

Also in December, I visited two of our chapels here in town. One was to Varzea,

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training. Please pray for us as we prepare for and start these classes.

Construction right now is at a standstill because we are out of money to do construction. But we are using the time in another area. We are having more time to make visits and other training of the church members.

The house church is going very well. We average twenty to twenty-five on Tuesday nights. We also have a children's club there on the last Saturday of the month. This is good as you reach the parents through the children. From this neighborhood I have been working with three boys At the Vocational School. They are showing much progress. The other young man that is doing his training at the key shop is coming along real well. The owner who is training him says that he is a good student.

It seems like every month we have not accomplished much, but when we begin to write it down we see that God is accomplishing many things through us. Continue to pray for us here in Brazil as we pray for you there in the States.

And Barbara and I would like to say again how grateful we are that people like you send people like us to tell the world about Jesus. Come down and see what your help is doing here in Brazil. The beans are on the stove and the table is set.

In His service, A. J. and Barbara Hensley

where Marinho, the paraplegic, is pastor. The other visit was to Cruzeirinho. That night when I stepped out of the car, I was met by a man who had been excluded years ago. He had punched his pregnant wife in the stomach, then beat her black and blue. After that he went to his in-laws and beat up on all of them, too. The police had to come and throw him in jail. Well I called for his exclusion and he still holds it against me. I don't know why he was there, but he went into this tirade against me which ended with, "You shameless old man. Who is what is holding back the kingdom and the gospel." Then I had to get up and preach. A young mother was saved that night. So much for holding up the kingdom! The chapel there is doing fine though. They were celebrating ten years that we started the work. By the way, that same weekend there were eight more saved at First Baptist after my evening message. I'm just going to have to stop all this "hindering of the kingdom!" Do pray though, because this guy has threatened to kill me more than once over the years.

We have been having overflow crowds in many services. Our afternoon services have been growing. You should have heard the singing in yesterday's afternoon service. We had one more saved and another request for baptism, too. Over the past few weeks we have had almost twenty professions of faith. We had almost seventy first time visitors in one regular evening service.

Our Christmas program was presented four times and we had to put up a screen and projector out in the street for the overflow crowd to be able to attend. Our New Year's Eve service was packed the same way. That night Pastor Dauro and I baptized thirty-eight more new members. The church is really united and moving forward. Last year we went through some really hard trials. I was personally under attack much of 2010. It was not easy, but we kept moving toward our goals as a church, stayed focused on the Word and the Mission. We lost a tiny handful of very cranky (and talented!) members, but the Holy Spirit weeded them out. Now we are back to growing at a faster pace. Thank God with us, will you?

Believe it or not, it has now been four years since our last furlough. Bev and I are praying and planning to visit you later this year. Pastors and friends, please keep this in mind. There are many exciting things to share with you. Hope to see you soon.

Thanks for all of your prayes and support. God bless you as much as He has us.

In Christ, Mike Creiglow

Launch The New Baptist Church

Of Curitiba . . .



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Dear Friends, January 12, 2011

We have launched the *New Baptist Church of Curitiba*. The initial team is made up of three couples, one single young man and our thirteen year old son, Brennen. Around the end of last month, Charlene and our ladies prepared small gift wrapped packages of homemade cookies and walked from door to door in the neighborhood distributing them and announcing the beginning of the new church.

The men, including Brennen and I, went to a local sports complex and engaged the local "fellers" in some friendly games of soccer and croquet. The game of croquet is virtually unknown here so it served as an attention getter and drew a small crowd in a hurry. We stopped playing long enough to make the acquaintance of the spectators and took the opportunity to announce the upcoming launch of the new church. We

will be holding our first public meeting on the property where we will begin construction soon. In the meantime we will be meeting beneath a couple of portable beach gazebos sitting on plastic stools. We don't want too much comfort at this stage because we want our own team and the new converts to think in terms of larger facilities for more people to come hear the gospel and become followers of Christ and part of His church.

I spent last week, together with our brother Carlos Chaves from Manaus. running around the city looking for the best prices on building materials. We have compared various types of construction methods and have found that a metal building will be our best option. With the experience that Carlos brings to the table, we were able to locate most of our material in scrap yards well under the price of new metal, yet still in excellent shape for construction. We have enough funds on hand to erect our structure and enclose it, so we'll begin with that. We will have to be patient, work, save and teach our new converts to give in order to do the finish work as we come to it. If you also would like to have a part in helping us complete this project we would be very grateful. We are so excited to be beginning this new church and are expecting the Lord to do great things through it.

In Christ's love, Bobby, Charlene and Brennen Wacaser



outreach at new church neighborhood.



Our entire church-planting team

PRAY FOR YOUR MISSIONARIES...

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DON'T FORGET THE WORKHORSE FUND

This is the General Fund. Out of it comes the missionaries salaries, expenses, travel, medical, cars, etc. It has not kept pace with rising costs.

Please Consider Increasing
Your Offerings

Enjoying Time With Family and Friends... Looking Forward To Missions Conferences...



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January 12, 2011

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ.

I have been in the United States for just over a month now and have enjoyed time with family, friends and church family. Many friends and loved ones have been around to lift me up and refresh my spirit. Yes, things have changed since I've been gone, but I think I'm coming to the conclusion that I am the one that has changed more than anything else. I'm still feeling a bit like a fish out of water but, again, this has to be my own fault as those around me have done nothing but show me love and support. But everything still seems strange in a way that is difficult to explain.

So, this month I begin in earnest to prepare for traveling and reporting to churches. I have to prepare a DVD summarizing the work of the past three years and the future goals of the ministry. I need to prepare and print prayer cards, put together my table display, and collect the equipment I will use in presenting the ministry (DVD player, projector, screen, etc). On top of preparing messages and other teaching material, I will be spending a lot of time on the phone scheduling churches and arranging my itinerary for the next few months. I also look forward to being at the BFM Spring Conference in Lexington in April, and at my own church's mission conference in March God is good and I pray everything will begin to fall into place by the end of this month.

In a newsletter a couple of months ago (my last one written while still in Kenya) I listed some of the lessons I have learned over the past three years, promising to return to explain some of the items in more detail once I returned to the States. Thus, the first I would like to discuss is: I CAN'T buy property and build buildings for new churches. This looks opposite to the way you've always thought a missionary should act, doesn't it? I agree, because it looks completely the opposite of what I thought before I ever went to Kenya. But it's true. I CAN'T buy property and build buildings for any new churches. Here are some of the major reasons why. First, if I buy property and build a new building for a church, the local people will never learn to take the responsibility or the initiative of starting or maintaining their own ministries. They will forever and for always look to me for these things. You may object and say, "But Roger, these people are too poor to build their own

building." I accept that objection and even agree with it. However, if they really need a building in the first place (which, they don't) and they have the proper initiative and have accepted the responsibility, they could erect a decent sized mud hut to meet in. There is no reason for their meeting place to be 1,000 times more expensive than the houses they live in. Second, if I buy property and build their buildings they will forever and for always think of the building and the ministry as foreign and western. Therefore, they will think of it as a foreign and western initiative that should be supported with foreign and western funds; they will always think of it as belonging to the foreign missionary, and they will always think of the structure as part of a foreign religion. Third, and this is probably the most important reason, if I buy property and build a building for a new church, it is something they cannot reproduce. Why is this important? Because it stunts evangelism, missions, the growth of the Kingdom of God, and the spread of His churches. It stunts these things in many ways. Most, if not all of the church's resources would be tied up with their own building leaving nothing for outreach. But more drastic than this is the fact that since it is something they could never reproduce on their own, they will never attempt to take the gospel to the next village and start a church elsewhere. Their thinking will be, "we can't build a church building there" or "we need the missionaries money to start a church building there" or "it would take us forever to build a building there.'

So what does this do? It prevents from the very beginning the local people taking the gospel message to the next village and starting a church in that village on their own. As with all people they will only do what they have been taught to do. If I build them a building they will automatically think that is the only way they will be able to start a new church and so they will never attempt it. If they can't reproduce it, they will never do it. And I should never start what they cannot reproduce. Please don't think I'm getting on my high horse here. I'm just stating my observations over the past three years and how those observations (strained through the filter of Biblical instruction and guidance) will shape my future ministry. So, how does that impact my future ministry? It means that churches that are started will meet in homes of converts. When those churches grow beyond the size of that house they will have to reproduce themselves by starting another New Testament church in the house of another convert. And so on and so on until God reaches the entire country, if that is His will. And may the Love of Christ cause the spreading of His churches throughout the whole country of Kenya!

Until next month, beloved. May God's peace and joy be with you.

For the glory of God in East Africa, Roger, Julie, Emily, Amy, and Josiah Tate

Recent trip to the people of Polkot



A Pokot village



This is what the area looks like. Very dry and "savannah" like. Arid.



The "black" arm is the arm of the Chief. He received the marks for killing a lion. The "white" arm is my friends', Brett. Notice he has no marks on his arm, yet.



A local well was drilled so that the people could have access to some water.

Amazonas Is Very Hot And Wet... Please Continue To Pray For Us



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Dear Brothers of the Blessed and Sisters of the Savior: January 15, 2011

Once again we greet you in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ from the land of eternal summer. By God's grace we are able to once again greet you. The city of Manaus and the whole state of the Amazonas are hot but wet! We are now in the rainy season and almost every day it pours! This Mission Sheets month began December 5th and ends today, January 10th. During this period, I preached six sermons and heard four. Sunday morning, the 26th of December, we were at the Comunhao Baptist Church, Dr. Asa Mark Bratcher, pastor, to celebrate our fifty-sixth Wedding anniversary, along with twenty other couples.

Since Sunday night the 26th of December, Marie has been suffering, weak with the flu, and then pneumonia. I of course, have been sad and lonely but amazed by God's faithfulness with friends, or more friends than we realized we had. That night, Brother Raimundo Braz, that drives us to church in his taxicab, after the evening service when I preached, took us to 28th of August hospital. There, Marie was admitted to the emergency room. She

received emergency care, but was released at 4:30 am, Monday. Asa Mark took her home, bought her medication, and an inhalation machine. She has not been alone since. On Thursday, we took her, (Asa Mark, Francisco Chagas, and I), to the Prontocord Hospital, where she was given a checkup by one doctor, and I by another. Both doctors prescribed many exams, which we did there, at a cost of over \$1,000, Marie temporarily improved but then started to get worse. So we took her to the 28th of August Hospital where she was admitted as a patient and is still there. Asa Mark took me this afternoon to visit her and she seemed a bit improved, but still a long way from total recovery. At this time there is no word on when she will be released. I hope by Thursday, but still believe in Romans 8:28.

Once again, we ask you to pray for Harold and Marie Bratcher. We thank each of you who sent us Christmas cards and are praying for us. Marie's sickness has caused us to get behind in our letter writing, but Asa Mark is constantly sending you updates by e-mail.

"Now concerning the collection." We encourage you, readers of the Mission Sheets to not forget the regular funds, the car fund, and last but not least, the Harold Bratcher funds. We thank all of you who have contributed to the regular fund and to our designated funds. Continue to do so. I'm so thankful that due to the generosity of the pastors and churches here in—Manaus, we are not suffering financially for which we Praise the Lord!

Yours in the Service of the Savior, Harold Bratcher

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Covenant Baptist Church, Dayton, OH55
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MISCELLANEOUS DESIGNATED FUND
Emmanuel Baptist Church, Bellbrook, OH150
Total150
NATHAN RADFORD
Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, OH
Support100
Bible Baptist Church, Belva, WV, Support50
Buffalo Baptist Church, Buffalo, WV
Salary60
Bush, Dale & Pamela, Richmond, KY
As Needed100
Calvary Baptist Church, Hurricane, WV
Special Offering150
Concord Baptist Church, Leesville, SC
As Needed77.27
Cullen, Tom & Laura, Letart, WV
Salary50
Danielson, Betty, Titusville, PA, Salary20
Danielson, Rodney & Anne, Piano, TX
Personal300
Dimitri, Michael & Diana, Zephyrhills, FL
As Needed500
Elizabeth Baptist Church, Bancroft, WV
Support100
Emmanuel Baptist Church, Bellbrook, OH
Salary300
Emmanuel Baptist Church, Bellbrook, OH
As Needed400
Fairview Bible Church, Letart, WV
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Salary100
Faith Baptist Church, Wilmington, OH
Support100
Gaal, Stephen & Martha, Hurricane, WV,
Salary75
God's Lighthouse Church, Cross Lanes, WV
Support100
Grace Baptist Church, Lima, OH, Salary250
Grace Missionary Baptist Church
Rogersville, TN, Salary50

Harrah, Tryone & Loretta, Poca, WV
Salary50 Harris, Ruby, Charleston, WV, Salary10
Hernandez, Paul & Anne, Youngsville, PA
Salary50
Kibby, Bart & Frances, Pittsfield, PA
Salary150 Kincaid, John & Jane, Scott Depot, WV
Support50
Lemkuhl, Louise, Scott Depot, WV, Salary10
Lewis, Lowell and Sue, Milton, WV, Salary35
Lewis, Nathan, Avon, OH, Support350 Lloyd, Billy & Sharon, Letart, WV
Salary100
Lloyd, Billy & Sharon, Letart, WV.
Hospital Fund100
Martin, Gaylord, Charleston, WV, Support175
Matheny, Charles & Betty, New Port Richey, FL, Expenses40
May, Brian, New Haven, WV, Salary150
Minturn, Timothy & Jodi, Winfield, WV.
Prison Ministry175
Mitchell, David & Holly, Ossian, IN
Support
Salary30
Nizio, James & Victoria, Dearborn, MI
Children12
N.S. Community Outreach Ministries, Houston, TX, Prison Ministry250
Parker, Steven, Burlington, IA, Salary10
Phalen, Larry & Naomi, Concord, NC
Salary25
Ranson, Jospeh & Vinila, Culloden, WV
As Needed
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Ripley Tabernacle Baptist Church, Ripley, WV Support50
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Seventh Street Baptist Church, Cannelton, IN	Lear, Margaret, Lexington, KY, Personal25
Alpha & Omega100	Mundy, Billie & Evelyn, Godfrey, IL
Warren, John & Vickie, Evansville, IN	Salary40
Alpha & Omega100	Spicer, Hubert & Emogene, South Bend, IN
Total1,196.87	New Work1,000.00
HAROLDBRATCHER	Storms Creek Missionary Baptist Church
Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, OH	Ironton, OH, Marie150
Support100	Wood, Neree, Columbia, SC, New Work50
Ashland Avenue Baptist Church	Total1,667.28
Lexington, KY, Support75	PAULHATCHER
Bratcher, Debra, Mesquite, TX, Personal75	Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, OH
Calvary Baptist Church, Richmond, KY Powerty Palist	Seminary-Manaus100 Ahava Baptist Church, Plant City, FL
Poverty Relief100 Clarksville Baptist Church, Richmond, KY	Seminary-Manaus219.5
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Concord Baptist Church, Leesville, SC	Christmas Gift100
As Needed77.28	Concord Baptist Church, Leesville, SC
Dowell, Carolyn, Crab Orchard, KY	Seminary-Manaus77.27
Personal200	Emmanuel Baptist Church, Bellbrook, OH
Elliott Baptist Church, Elliott, MS	Salary150
Salary100	Grace Baptist Church, Fairborn, OH
Emmanuel Missionary Baptist Church	As Needed50
Oldtown, KY, Salary100	Guthrie, Larry, Athens, GA
Grace Baptist Church, Annville, KY	Michael Samples100
Support30	Life Church Of Athens, Athens, GA
Grace Baptist Church, Fairborn, OH	Michael Samples500
As Needed50	Mount Calvary Baptist Church
Hillcrest Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, NC	Charleston, WV, Mission Team100
Salary100	Mundy, Billy & Evelyn, Godfrey, IL
Hilltop Missionary Baptist Church	Salary20
Beattyville, KY, Personal100	Trinity-Northbrook Baptist Church
Simpson, Dianna, Crab Orchard, KY Personal400	Cincinnati, OH, Seminary-Manaus140 Total1,556.77
Total 1,607.28	JOHNMARKHATCHER
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Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, OH	Support100
New Work100	Concord Baptist Church, Leesville, SC
Bible Baptist Church, Clarksville, TN	As Needed77.27
Boat Gas55	Emmanuel Baptist Church, Evansville, IN
Calvary Baptist Church, Richmond, KY.	Personal450
Andrew Creiglow100	Everman, Arthur & Pattie, Corsicana, TX Salary25
Concord Baptist Church, Leesville, SC As Needed77.28	Gerig, Galen & Tamara, Columbus, OH
Elizabeth Baptist Church, Charleston, WV	Salary100
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Salary....

Holbrook, Timothy & Sherry, Winchester, KY	
For Edson50 Immanuel Baptist Church, Monticello, KY	
School50	
Joiner, Charles & Kandace, Bonaire, GA	
School	
Lear, Margaret, Lexington, KY, Personal25 Logan, Ronald & Judith, Lexington, KY	
As Needed100	
Mt. Eden Baptist Church, Hawesville, KY	
School	
Personal300	
Poe, Dane & Connie, Lexington, KY	
New Work	
Second Baptist Church, Warner Robins, GA Support33.52	
Suburban Christian Church, Virginia Beach,	
VA, Special Project325	
Thompson, Anthony & Cathy, Lexington, KY As Needed50	
Thompson, Paul & Virginia, Winchester, KY	
Feed The Children100	
York, Hershael, Frankfort, KY, As Needed100 Total2.832.06	
SHERIDANSTANTON	
Adams, Michael and Judy, Lexington, KY	
Work Fund300 Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, OH	
New Work70	
Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, OH	
Building Fund70	
Ashland Avenue Baptist Church Lexington, KY, Support125	
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Salary150
Fellowship Baptist Church, Brinson, GA
Support
Friendship Baptist Church, Bristol, VA
Salary50
Lazzara, Richard, Brandon, FL
Project Vida42
Mount Calvary Baptist Church
Charleston, WV, Salary100
Richland Baptist Church, Livermore, KY
As Needed
ROGERTATE
Addyston Baptist Church, Addyston, OH
Support100
Anonymous, Personal100
Anonymous, Housing100
Buffalo Baptist Church, Buffalo, WV
Salary60 Calvary Baptist Church, Huricane, WV
Special Offering150
Calvary Baptist Church, Piqua, OH
Salary100
Calvary Baptist Church, West Branch, MI
Support
Concord Baptist Church, Leesville, SC As Needed77.27
Cornerstone Baptist Church, Columbus, OH
Support
Covenant Baptist Church, Dayton, OH
Support300
Emmanuel Baptist Church, Bellbrook, OH
Support
Emmanuel Baptist Church, Bellbrook, OH Salary1,500.00
Emmanuel Baptist Church, Bellbrook, OH
As Needed875.00
Emmanuel Missionary Baptist Church
Oldtown, KY, Salary100.00
Franklin Street Baptist Church, Hamilton, OH
Support
Geister, Robert & Marian, Alger, MI Personal25
Kahut, Donald & Cynthia, Xenia, OH
Personal200.00
Messer, Jason & Cynthia, South Vienna, OH
Personal150.00
Mount Calvary Baptist Church
Charleston, WV, Salary100
Richland Baptist Church, Livermore, KY
As Needed
Personal25
Rosedale Baptist Church, Rosedale, WV
As Needed300
Seventh Street Baptist Church, Cannelton, IN
As Needed210
Skidway Lake Baptist Church, Prescott, MI
Salary50
Union Baptist Church, Englewood, OH Salary100
Total5,872,27
JUDSON HATCHER
Atlantic Shores Baptist Church, Virginia
Beach, VA, Personal400

Brother Creiglow's Report...



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January 11, 2011 Dear Brethren,

During the past year I have tried to keep all informed of my activities from month to month, but at this time I am hard pressed to find many worthwhile activities of the past month to report.

Even before becoming a member of Thompson Road Baptist Church, the

teacher of the adult men's Sunday School class invited me to consider teaching the class each Sunday. After discussing this with my pastor, Brother David Parks, it was mutually agreed that I would do it. Last Sunday, January 2, 2011 was my first class.

For several days during the Christmas Holidays I traveled to South Carolina to spend some time with some of my children, grandchildren and a new great-grand-daughter.

On January 17th, David Parks and I will be flying to Florida to attend the Winter Missions Conference, hosted by Pastor Ben Glover and Park Ridge Baptist Church. We are both scheduled to speak at the conference. We will return to Lexington on January 20th.

In His Name, Bobby D. Creiglow

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PERSONAL NOTE OF APPEAL

From Giving Friends Who Wish To Remain Anonymous

To All Churches and BFM Contributors:

The Lord has laid this burden on our heart. We appreciate all the support the churches and individuals do for the missions. But we are asking each church and individual to go \$1.00 farther-that is-on a weekly basis add this \$1.00 more to your mission contribution. If a church with fifty members would do this, it would mean \$200.00 more per month and \$2,400.00 more per year.

Imagine what this would mean to the General Fund if sixty, seventy, eighty or one hundred members added the extra \$1.00 each week: OUR GENERAL FUND COULD GROW BY \$120,000!

Please pray and try to meet this goal over what you now contribute. If we each sacrifice something small, then God can do something mighty.

- PLEASE NOTE -

All correspondence concerning BFM or any of the missionaries should be sent to: Dave Parks, Executive Secretary, 3985 Boston Road, Lexington, Kentucky 40514. All offerings should be sent to: BFM, c/o George Sledd, P. O. Box 471280, Lake Monroe, Florida 32747-1280. If it is for a specific missionary or project, it should be so marked. The greatest need each month is for the General Fund.

All requests for videos should be sent to: Bobby Creiglow, 615 Lane Allen Road, Lexington, KY 40504. Videos are free for the asking.

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2010-11 THANKSGIVING **OFFERING GOAL: \$100,000.00**

Please give as generously as you can to help us reach our goal of \$100,000.00 for our 2010-11 THANKSGIVING OFFERING. Offerings received thus far during November ar \$25, 400.57. We recognize that many of you are giving or sending your Thanksgiving Offerings during this month. We thank you each one for remembering our missinaries' on-going needs.

\$50,000.00 MONTHLY GENERAL FUND GOAL

Please continue to concentrate your giving to the General Fund which supplies the monthly commitments we have made to our missionaries. Without sufficient General Fund offerings, the base support for our missionaries' essential needs is deficient.

Our Health Continues To Improve ... **Helping Fourteen National Baptist** Peruvian Missionaries . . .



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Dear friends and family, January 10, 2011

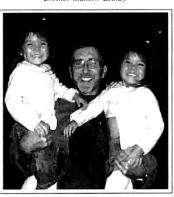
Update on our health - ANITA continues to be more stable on her feet with each passing day since her last operation. The swelling continues to be less and less each week. This means she is also getting faster on her feet, but for the time being, I can still out run her! ME - I've had NO more mini-strokes and the medications I take have my arrhythmia under control. The doctors are still experimenting with the right dosage for my blood pressure; it was too low last week. We thank all of you for your prayers on our behalf. God has always been and continues to be so very gracious to HIS servants here in Peru.

Joshua - Our son, Joshua, is a pilot holding the rank of Captain in the USAF. Today, Monday, 10th of January, he heads to Afghanistan for a four month tour of duty. Like most military personnel, he has served "all over;" Columbia, Iraq and several bases in the States. Josh is a wonderful husband, and father of two precious little girls; he is a man of high intelligence and integrity that loves and serves his country with honor. Anita and I are naturally very proud of him and we ask you all to please remember him and his family in your prayers. The constant uncertainty of military life is uniquely stressful on all military families; they need our prayers.

Calvary Mission - Among the many ministry projects that Anita and I are



Brother Stanton & Andy



Papaw and his girls Natalie and Naomi

involved in, church planting is always a priority. A very special blessing and joy comes from helping a new work grow in maturity and grow toward independence as an organized church. Calvary Baptist Mission is our latest endeavor in this area of ministry. We never get tired of teaching the basic truths of God's Word and the application of those truths to everyday living. A young couple trusted in Christ as their Savior last night and I begin discipleship classes with them this week. Several are awaiting their baptism and another young couple will be married this week. God is adding many hardworking young families to this work; there is a bright future.

We are still waiting to buy a piece of property for this mission; we have the funds, just waiting for the owner to get her papers in order. After the land purchase, we plan to build and hopefully within a few more years be able to organize this mission-church into an independent church, and then we hope to begin another one. This is our life, what we know God has called us to do, what we genuinely love doing, and what we plan to continue doing until God shows us otherwise. We love and thank all of you for your prayers and support that allows us to follow our calling from God.

Other ministries - With the funds we receive each month, Anita and I help fourteen other National Baptist Peruvian Missionaries on a monthly basis. This monthly help is for their personal expenses and we help out on a prioritized, case by case basis with their ministry expenses. We would like to be able to help on a monthly basis three more Peruvian missionaries with the works the Lord has called them into. God is working in Peru in a truly awesome way, and we thank HIM for the privilege of being a small part of HIS work.

Many of you have asked about our next furlough; looks like it will be next year, 2012. We hope to be there in the Spring through the fall. I could write more, but this letter is getting too long. Thank you again for your prayers and your support. Until next month. In HIM by HIS grace,

Sheridan and Anita Stanton



Sheridan Stanton in downtown Lima

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