

Dear Brethren,

Thank you so very much for your decision to continue our support here in Tennessee. As I stated earlier, our total support from the three congregations (Annandale, Broadmoor and Santa Clara) totals \$1200/month. This is sufficient to meet our bills since we do not have a mortgage here. The church here is small and unable to support our needs at this time.

We agreed to continue to work, via Zoom, with the Charlottesville after our move to Sparta. I continued to present the Sunday lessons up until June 14th. At that point the brethren agreed to take over the lessons. This past Sunday, June 21st, was the first time that we actually met in-person with the brethren at Big Springs, where I will be working part-time. I presented a lesson on God's promise that if we delight in Him then He will give us the desires of our hearts. The main point of the lesson was that when we delight in the Lord, then the desires of our heart will align with the desires of God's heart so that He is able to grant us these things. It will also cause us to delight in doing His will rather than seeing our obedience as some spiritual weight chained to us to drag through life.

At present, the church here is not meeting on Sunday or Wednesday evenings, but anticipates to begin doing so sometime in July. I will share in presenting lessons, teaching classes, and helping with the bulletin. I will also try to reach out in the community through various means once things open up here.

Becky and I are celebrating our 40th wedding anniversary in December, Lord willing. In celebration of this event, we planned a summer to California beginning on July 6th. We plan to be away

for about three weeks then will resume our work with the brethren here upon our return.

Our presence was desperately needed here at my parents' house. I have been busy with repairs to and reorganizing my parents home. My father needs constant assistance. I have been showering him as he is unable to do so independently. My mother feels so much more secure in the knowledge that we are here to take the lead in the affairs of the home and caring for my father. We do this with joy in our hearts as it is a way to show our love to our Heavenly Father as well as to my earthly father.

Please keep in mind that our address has changed so PLEASE DO NOT SEND checks to our old address. Our new address is as follows:

Becky and Fred Newman  
288 Clouse Road  
Sparta, TN 38583

Cell number: 704-441-7200

Thank you again for your willingness to assist us in our work here. May the Lord bless and keep you.

In Christ,  
Fred Newman