



Justin Dobbs and I praying as we recorded a new Bible study on Ephesians.

Dehuts in Louisville, KY

Being In Person Again!

“It is not good that the man should be alone...” – Gen. 2:18

In Genesis God stated a universal truth, that it was never his intent for his image-bearers to live isolated from others. We are beings designed for relationships! The months of April and May have been hard for many as every state implement some form of social distancing. Our local congregation of Oldham Woods was able to begin assembling in the building again on May 10th. Every week since then, more and more Christians are attending the public assembly. Every week we have folks visiting with us. Our prayer is that sometime soon we can implement in-person Bible classes. We continue to prayer for elders everywhere as they do their best to provide opportunities for saints to assemble while lovingly addressing the health concerns of their local area.

On May 7th, our family finally moved into our new home! There will always be projects to complete, but we are all grateful to have our own spaces and stop living out of our suitcases. **Our new address has been included in the contact information at the end of this report.**

1. Evangelism

Since I last wrote, here are some evangelistic opportunities that God has blessed me with:

- **Local Studies:** Our weekly coffee shop study is still taking place through Zoom. We recently completed Hosea and have begun Jonah. We have had more people join this study from out of state. If you are interested in joining



this study, please contact me and I will send you the Zoom details.

- **Congregational Study:** I recently concluded a 8-week study through the Sermon on the Mount. Videos and a free study guide of this material are all available appianmedia.org/bible-study-without-borders/
- **Recharge Weekend:** Anna and I are making plans for our annual, fall Bible study before the kids head back to school. I will definitely share more details as this firms up.
- **SALT & LIGHT Camps:** SALT is a week-long boy's Bible camp, LIGHT is a week-long Bible camp for girls. Due to social distancing guidelines from so many states, we had to cancel gathering for these camps in 2020. But these camps are so important for all of these kids, we decided to adjust and do virtual versions in stead. I will have more details and pictures of SALT & LIGHT in my next report.
- **Gospel Meetings & Workshops:**
 - Feb. 1-2, 2020 - Bowling Green, KY - Biblical Counseling Workshop
 - Feb. 23-26, 2020 - Gardendale, AL - Lessons from Christ
 - March 24, 2020 - Louisville, KY - Presentation at a monthly study - POSTPONED
 - July 10-12, 2020 - Asheville, NC - Presentation at an annual workshop
 - September, 2020 - Selfville, AL - Gospel Meeting
 - September 25-27, 2020 - Louisville, KY - Workshop for Singles
 - October 22-25, 2020 - Clarksville, KY - Gospel Meeting

2. Edification & Equipping of the Saints (Biblical Counseling)

As you can imagine, with so many people staying at home for prolonged periods of time, people's need for help working through things increased! After our third week studying together, one of our newest friends commented,

"Every Christian needs this! When I am done with my study, my spouse and I are committed to learning how to do this for others!"

Thank you for your support and prayers so that I can can provide these studies free of charge!

Please see the blue info boxes below that summarize this aspect of my work over the last two months:

WEEKLY STUDIES:

I currently have 9 weekly counseling studies taking place. We still have a waiting list. (I am trying to find another way of reporting these numbers while respecting the privacy of those we are studying with. If you have any suggestions on how to do that, please contact me.)

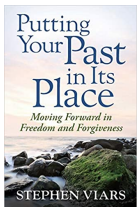
EQUIPPING OTHERS:

I have a weekly training study that began in January. I currently have 3 participants. We are considering beginning another weekly group study.

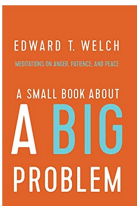
WORKSHOPS:

Our workshop for singles was canceled due to social distancing, and has been rescheduled for - Sep. 25-27! Don & Cami Bunting from New York are some of our speakers. We have been in touch with them and are prayerful that by September they will be able to join us. I have attached the flyer and registration form for this event to the email receiving this report.

Suggested resources: I'm often contacted by elders, evangelists and family members looking for resources as they try to help friends and family mature in Christ. I thought I would share a couple of resources this month with the understand, just because a find a resource helpful does not mean that I agree with the author on everything that he says.



One of the books I find myself turning to more and more is “Putting Your Past in its Place,” by Steve Viars. What I have found is that all of us struggle with events from our pasts that we just don’t know how God would want us to handle them. When left unaddressed, those events can continue to haunt and influence our behavior. This book provides a Biblical framework for processing and addressing events with a Biblical responses.



Another resource that I find helpful recommending for daily homework is “A Small Book About a Big Problem,” by Edward Welch. When someone is demonstrating angry outbursts and overall discontent, this book offers short daily devotions that explore Biblical principles and texts to get to the heart of anger.

3. Bible Study Tools (Appian Media)

When everyone started social distancing, the team at Appian Media decided to kick into high-gear and produce even more Biblical content, because we assumed the world would need it even more. That decision proved to be a blessing! More podcasts, Bible study guides, and our newest video project for grade schoolers have been released since my last report.

At the end of May, the production team came to Louisville to record an 11-episode study on the book of Ephesians for the project, Bible Studies Without Borders. Lord willing, those videos will be edited and released sometime in August. Justin Dobbs and I will



Shooting the newest “Bible Studies Without Borders” with Justin Dobbs. Stuart Peck is operating the camera.

be writing the digital study guide over the summer.

My brother, Craig, and I have been invited to attend an annual gathering on the East Coast in July to talk with others interested in making and sharing Bible study media. Please pray for us as we attend that meeting. Lord willing, I will have more details to share about that in July.



More exciting news, the printed study guides have arrived! This is the first time we have been able to offer printed study guides, and we are thrilled to provide them. Over the last week we have been filling pro-orders.

To keep up with us and access these resources, you can find us on appianmedia.org and on our Facebook page.

Thank You!

I am only able to serve in these ways and say “yes” to these opportunities because of the financial support we receive from all of you. As of this report, we have received commitments of \$5,266.00 toward our \$6,500.00 monthly goal (this amount includes one time gifts). I am so incredibly grateful for all of the congregations and individuals supporting

Request Snapshot:

- Total support/month: \$6,500, of which \$5,266 has been committed.
- Projected time in Louisville, 2-5 years.

my work while we live in Kentucky. However, we are starting to feel the compound pinch of being short of our monthly goal. If you happen to know anyone else who might be in a position to help make up our lack, please feel free to pass along this report and my contact information which is listed below.

Your grateful brother in Christ,

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