

the SMITHS serving Christ in Ottawa

Dear Prayer Partners,

November 27, 2017



Permanent Residency Update

We are still submitting information and fulfilling requirements as requested by our immigration representative. The latest requirement was for Jeff to take an English test called the CELPIP, Canadian English Language Proficiency Index Program, test at a local college. To our surprise...this was a three hundred dollar, three hour test! I have sent my grades and other information to our representative. Now we wait to see what is next.

Prayer for Men

Our Church is having a surge of contacts with men of all ages right now. Some are meeting weekly for discipleship, some are attending services regularly, and most are just on the fringe of spiritual interest. Please pray that the Holy Spirit will work mightily in the lives of these men.

Family Effort

Please pray for our family as we serve together. Kim is serving in the children's ministries, preparing meals for the Church construction workers, and daily teaching our children. We are glad that our children have opportunities in the ministry here. Kyle is singing in the choir and helps at the media table during the services. Emily is singing in occasional special music, child sitting during choir, and looking forward to other "teenage privileges". Alayna and Carson are on the go with us and *usually* have a good attitude about all the Church activity.

Serving Christ in the Capital of Canada,

*The Smiths Jeff | Kim |
Kyle | Emily | Alayna |
Carson*

Prayer request:

- Permanent residency status progress.
- Ministry responsibilities and opportunities: visitation, transportation for services, Church construction, preaching/teaching, choir.
- People to be saved this Christmas season through special services and personal conversation.



Fall revival services, November 3-5, at our sponsor Church were well attended. We experienced a spirit of spiritual excitement and one person received Christ on the final day of services.

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