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My dear brethren, I hope that my letter find you all in good health. We are doing well, thanks to our Heavenly Father. It's my desire that your work continue to prosper. I thank God for your willingness to share your blessings with this servant and my wife. I believe with all my heart that Paul's words in Philippians 4:17-19, do apply to all of you. "Not that I seek the gift itself; but I seek for the fruit that increased to your account. But I have received everything in full, and have in abundance: I am filled, having received from Epaphroditus the things *that came* from you, an odor of a sweet smell, a sacrifice acceptable, well-pleasing to God. And my God shall supply every need of yours according to his riches in glory in Christ Jesus". May our God continue to bless every one of you, and keep you always safe.

Brethren, I would like to let you know that by the grace of God, all of us continue to do well. We was able to worship every Sunday in January, but one because of the weather. These past Sunday was a very special day because for the first time in a long time, everyone was in attendance, except Adrian and Mayte Rangel. Even where our space was putty full, we was able to keep the require distance. All of us continue to be very careful, using mouth cover and hand sanitizer. I am sure that, if things continue to improve, hopefully we can start worship twice on Sunday. For now and with the grace of God, we will continue having our worship services in person the longest that is possible. On Tuesday we will continue having services through Zoom, we continue studying the first letter of Peter, we already started on chapter 2.

I also would like to share with you that, this morning brother Jose Olivares asked our God and the congregation for forgiveness. He stopped attending, and was not walking in the Lord's path. He acknowledge his sins and asked the church prayers to God on his behalf. Also we are very excited because the Herrera family and us, are planning to re-start their Bible class soon. Brother Gerardo is interested to learn how to prepare a sermon.

I also like to share with you that, after rough end of the year, January was not very nice to my wife either, but thanks to our Lord February have a better and wonderful month. Because her diabetes was out control when she came to the hospital on December 31st, her A1C was at 10. She stared injecting three units of insulin, but was not enough. Her Doctor told her to do 5, this is working very well. So she does 5 units before every meal, and 13 unites before she go to bed. I am very happy because she looks better, and is feeling great. She continue dealing with life after Covid, blurry memory, headaches, hair loose, and unbalance body. She also was diagnostic with liver cirrhosis, but is on early stage. Her kidneys are in stage three, but according with her doctor as longest she control her diabetes, she don't have nothing to worry about. Her blood pressure is also better, but still low, we are so grateful for her progress. And, yes it is truth, God is good, God is great.

I like thank also so much the Elders of the Westside congregation, for offer their assistance in paying my wife hospital bills. They also offer to increase my monthly support \$250.00 per month, to help me paying my Medicare payment.

My Brethren, I thank you for everything. Please, keep us in your prayers. God Bless each, and every one of you.

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