



Greg & Bekah Freyer

PLANTING CHURCHES IN NEW ZEALAND

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Hello Friends,

While the majority of you are entering into the cool, crisp autumn days; here in New Zealand the days are getting longer and temperatures are beginning to get warmer as we approach spring and new beginnings. We hope you enjoy our newest update.

Since our last update, we had the wonderful opportunity to host Pastor Gabe Ruhl from Chico, CA for a weekend here in New Zealand. We had a marriage seminar over the weekend and then he preached for us all day on the Sunday they were here. He and his family were such a blessing and help to our church.

Another blessing that came in July was the opportunity to start discipleship with a young man in our church who was recently saved. Jason, began attending Community Baptist because of a friend who invited him. He told me that between hearing the preaching and reading the Bible, he knew it was the truth. Since then he has had a heart to learn more even in the midst of a household that is steeped in Catholicism. Continue to pray for him as he was baptized yesterday and is hearing a lot of Bible truths for the first time in his life.

Lastly, Bekah and I have been praying about where the Lord would have us to go and plant a church when our visa requirements are fulfilled. After much prayer, counsel, and the leading through God's Word, we believe that Gisborne, New Zealand is that place. We will still need to be with our sponsoring church through this year, but look forward to taking the next steps in preparation for that church launch. We have had the opportunity to visit the city a couple of times and on the last visit I had an opportunity to play golf with a few of the locals there and explain what it is we will be doing in the coming months. As I left, I was able to give them gospel tracts and thank them for letting me play with them. It's a small thing, but I was thankful for the opportunity God gave me to witness to them. We ask that you pray for more opportunities like this and for the preparations to move there.

We are so thankful for your investment in our lives both through prayer and financial giving. We pray you have a wonderful season of ministry in the coming days.

Never Quit,
The Freyer Family

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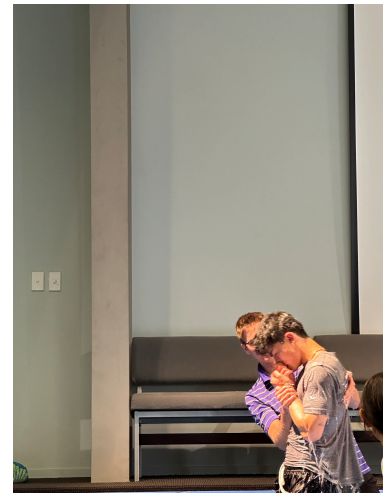
Left: It was fun to have my parents join us for a couple of weeks.



Right: I got to spend Father's Day (first Sunday in September in NZ) with my dad.



Left: The view from an outlook point over the city of Gisborne.



Right: Having the wonderful privilege of baptizing Jason.

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