

Make every effort to keep yourselves united in the Spirit, binding yourselves together with peace.

Ephesians 4:3



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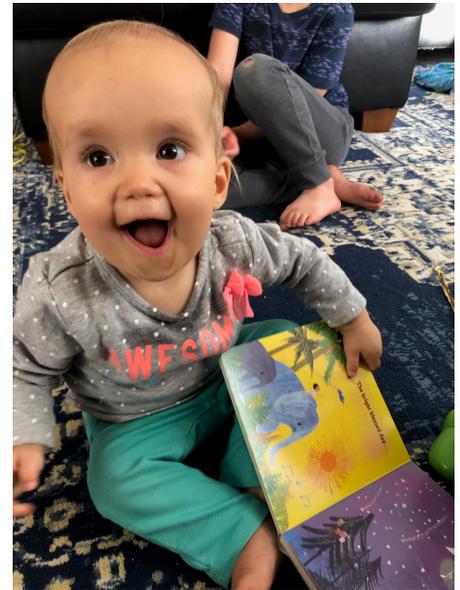
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What can we do to help people establish and grow in their relationship with God? After college, God used that question to motivate us to intern with the campus ministry of Cru for one year. Ten years later, as we reflect on these past several months, it is a big understatement to say that a lot of things are different about life and right now. However, whether it is on a virtual hangout or connecting with someone digitally, the thing that has remained the same is the mission to which God has called us: being a part of connecting people to Jesus.

Praise God that he is still at work and his mission has not stopped! God is actively at work creating a community of redeemed people for his glory. Just the other day, we received a report about a virtual mission that connected with nearly three hundred students and invited them to a virtual outreach party. At this party, thirty people made the decision to follow Jesus! This past month, at a time when international travel is complicated, we have watched as fourteen recent college graduates were sent out from the U.S. and welcomed into other countries to join ministry teams for one year in order to reach college students, mentor future leaders and help start new ministries. Here in the Midwest, plans are being made right now to provide virtual opportunities for college students to connect with other believers and grow in their faith while away from campus over Thanksgiving and winter break.

The good news that God has come close to us in Jesus has transformed us and propelled us outward to connect others to Christ. Though things look different, Laura and I are reminded again of the privilege it is to be a part of connecting people to Jesus and equipping them, in the context of community, to follow him for the rest of their lives. Thank you for your partnership in this ministry with us.

*Caleb & Laura*



We celebrated Evelyn's first birthday in October. She is full of joy, and we are so thankful she is a part of our family!

#### Prayer Requests:

Please pray for the campus ministry teams as they prepare to reach out to students in a primarily online format from Thanksgiving recess to the start of the new spring semester in January (many universities are moving to a fully online format for the remainder of the semester after Thanksgiving).

Please pray for our family as we continue to navigate life and ministry in the context of unique circumstances. Please also pray for God to give us wisdom and discernment in how to best minister to others.

Please pray for our evangelism and discipleship efforts as nearly all of them have moved online. Pray the good news about Jesus still gets out.

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