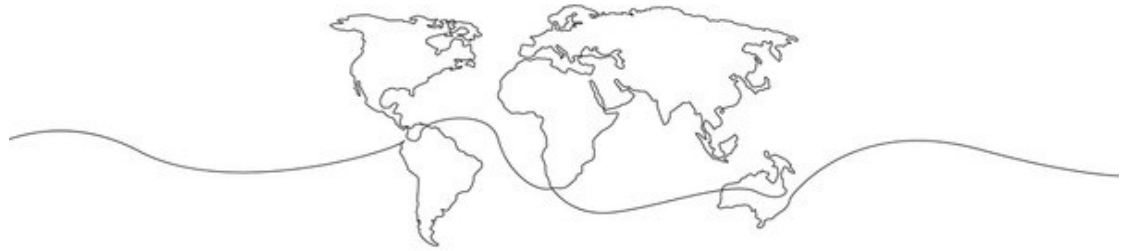




Keepin' up with the Joneses



Sending and serving missionaries to the ends of the earth

September 2025

New Beginnings

This past month was filled with beginnings both for our family and in ministry.

On August 3rd our son Tate was baptized along with his cousin, and on August 18th Tate began his freshman year of high school. He likes being back in school. He is particularly excited for math and American Sign Language this semester. He is running cross country, continuing with piano lessons, and starting to learn the guitar as well. **Please pray** that he would thrive spiritually, academically, and relationally this year!



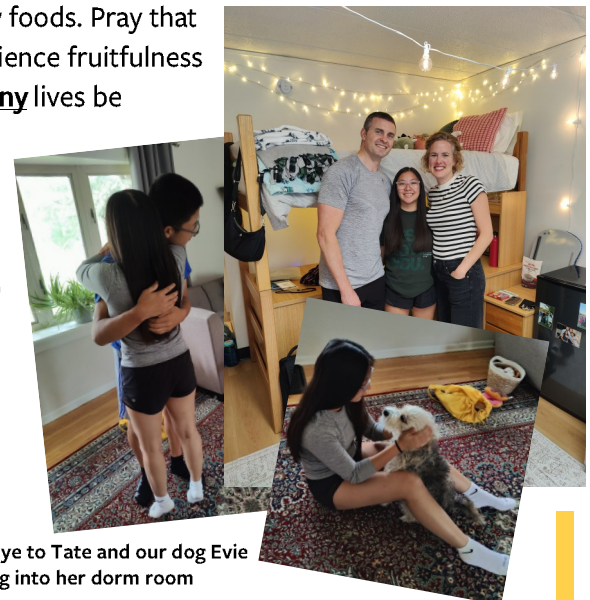
Tate's baptism and 1st day of high school

On August 19th a group of about 50 young people departed for the Middle East. There they attended a briefing to receive ministry training before flying on to their assignment locations across North Africa, the Middle East, and Central Asia for the year. **Please pray** for these new, young missionaries as they adjust to new places, new cultures, new languages, new teams, and new foods. Pray that they would walk closely with Jesus and experience fruitfulness in their lives and ministries this year. May **many** lives be transformed by the good news of Jesus Christ!



One of the teams Aaron serves getting ready to fly to their assignment location from briefing

On August 22nd we moved Liv into college to start her first year at the University of Northwestern in St. Paul (only ~10 minutes from our home). She plans to study Criminal Justice and Psychology. She already has 48 credits from classes she took in high school! We are excited to see where the Lord leads her. Please pray that she would experience the Lord in new ways and make her relationship with him her own. Pray that she would find great Christian community and do well academically.



Liv saying goodbye to Tate and our dog Evie and moving into her dorm room

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