

Fall 2023



### Highlights

Riley family travels

Anja's cancer journey

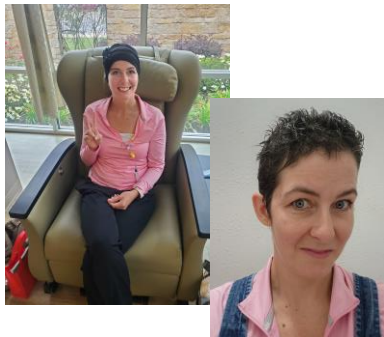
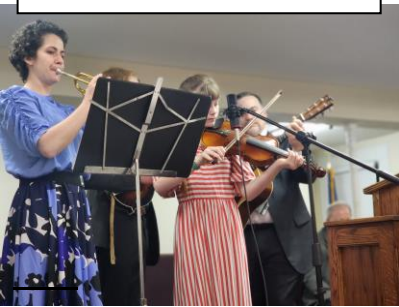
Building Projects

Be careful for nothing; but in every thing by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known unto God. *Philippians 4:6*

Wow! We are nearing Thanksgiving already! We have so much to be thankful for! This year consisted of continued breast cancer treatment for Anja, traveling to different meetings to sing and preach, growing and harvesting a garden, as well as building projects for Sawyers Hollow. Scattered throughout, Sam filled in for the Representatives Quartet. The Lord has truly blessed.



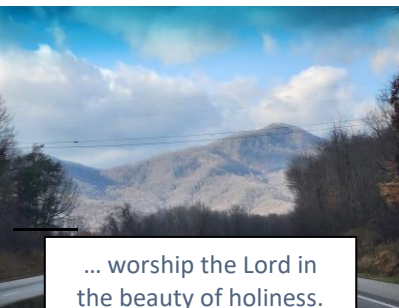
Singing at Bible Truth Baptist  
Pastor Bro Jeff Harmon



Anja's Cancer Journey  
*But thou, O LORD, art a shield for me; my glory,  
and the lifter up of my head.  
Psalm 3:3*

I completed chemotherapy treatments in June and began a prescription medicine. My hair has been growing back in since August of last year when the "hard" chemo ended. It has been a source of conversation many times as it has grown in quite curly! Overall, I feel pretty good. I'm feeling stronger and healthier each day. However, mentally, I still struggle some. The brain fog is really my strongest battle. It is slowly getting better. Your prayers are greatly appreciated!

-Anja Riley



... worship the Lord in  
the beauty of holiness.  
1 Chronicles 16:29

### Current and Upcoming Projects:

Our current projects include finishing the tabernacle and the "Mathis" Cabin. The tabernacle project involves building the platform and front wall, bathrooms, and an entry area. Bro Benjamin Watson is partnering with us on this project and potential future projects. Finishing the Mathis Cabin requires new flooring due to damage caused by frozen & busted pipes. The water damage was minimal (Thank the Lord) and has already been rectified. The remaining repairs are mostly cosmetic. This cabin also needs some exterior maintenance.

One of our future projects is the remodeling of the house in the valley so we (the Riley family) can move into a larger home for our family. This will leave the cabin we are currently living in open for use as a prophet's house for the refuge side of our ministry.

*James 4: 14 KJV*

↪ Whereas ye know not what shall be on the morrow. For what is your life? It is even a vapour, that appeareth for a little time, and then vanisheth away.

Sydney sharing her love of music with little ones.



## Our Travels:

We thank the Lord for his protection and provision to have been able to travel is summer to multiple different churches. Some places, we simply took part in their meetings, others we were able to minister through singing and preaching.

In May, we were able to sing and Sam preached some at Calvary Baptist Church in Hornbeak, TN (Pastor: Bro Carl Southerland). In June, we spent some time in the Carolinas with Bro. Cody Zorn, Bro. Luke Duncan, & Bro. Jeff Harmon. July found us in our home church and at a camp meeting at Mount Pleasant Baptist in Clay, AR (pastor: Bro Scotty Burrow). In August, we were at our church's summer family camp, where we were privileged to fellowship with the Matthews family. In October, we were at camp meetings in Hornbeak, TN, West Memphis, AR & Hartselle, AL.

Between meetings in October, we were privileged to host Bro. Ben Watson and his family for a few days. They are planning to help us with upcoming projects as the Lord leads. We are so excited to partner with him, Ms. Tiffany, and their children. They are such a blessing and a joy to be around.

## Vision & Goals

Where there is no vision, the people perish: but he that keepeth the law, happy is he.

Proverbs 29:18 KJV

Thus saith the Lord, Stand ye in the ways, and see, and ask for the old paths, where is the good way, and walk therein, and ye shall find rest for your souls...

Jeremiah 6:16 KJV

Prepare thy work without, and make it fit for thyself in the field; and afterwards build thine house.

Proverbs 24:27 KJV

The Lord has been so good to us and we give Him all honor and glory! By His grace and provision we will continue in the work He has called us to.

- ❖ Finish the tabernacle
- ❖ Edify and encourage more men and women of God to continue.



In every thing give thanks:  
For this is the will of God in Christ Jesus concerning you.  
1 Thessalonians 5:15

