



LAKEWOODS DRIVE CHURCH OF CHRIST

Praising. Teaching. Training. Serving.

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“The preacher sought to find delightful words and to write words of truth correctly.” — Ecclesiastes 12:10

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Greetings in the Lord, brethren! I hope the new month finds the work there prospering and my brothers and sisters in Christ healthy and motivated in the work of the gospel.

The ongoing focus continues to be on elder appointment. I am being taught a lesson in patience — one I sorely need. We are keeping the consideration on the front burner, but some remain cautious. One brother has removed his name from consideration, but three names remain in the mix and expectations remain high that (perhaps as early as this month) we may be able to make a substantive step forward.

The new signage is in place, and it looks great! Our expectation is that the new logo and color scheme will be used to tie together everything we are doing in the Lord's service, from fliers to printed material. “Praising, teaching, training, serving” is literally all we are trying to do at Lakewoods Drive. We pray that doors of opportunity will continue to open up.

We have a new look for our website as well. You can go to www.georgetownchristians.com and find an updated archive of sermon recordings and articles. There is also a members-only area that will provide a membership directory, duty roster, and other helpful information. CongreGate put it together for us at a very reasonable price.

The best news we have to mention is that a family that has been visiting with us consistently has officially placed membership with us. They are going to be an immediate asset to the work. And the college-age son is engaged to be married to a young woman who shows every indication of being on the verge of receiving the gospel. Prayers continue! This is now three new entries in the directory, nine faces in all, since we agreed to move to Georgetown. This supports the notion widely held by the brethren here that plenty of local Christians are eager to worship at Lakewoods Drive if they can overcome the objections they had to the preaching. It seems my efforts are passing muster.

I continue to post sermons and articles on my website and YouTube channel, and my podcast is growing in popularity. I am grateful for the support and prayers. We hope and pray more in-person opportunities will present themselves as we slowly crawl back to normality in this crazy world.

Brotherly,

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