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Dear praying friends,

This past weekend has brought back some good memories. We first saw the spiritual need and culture of South Korea when we came for three weeks on a survey trip in November of 2022. At that time, Nathan was just 10 months-old and we did not yet know for certain what God's plan for us would be. God used that trip to assure us that South Korea was where He wanted us to faithfully serve Him. On that very first Sunday, we visited Maranatha Baptist Church in Incheon, the very church where we attend as missionaries on the field. Looking back at God's leading has encouraged us on and on.

Our car arrived just when we needed it most! Our car was delivered to us on last Tuesday. We have since gotten the insurance set up and gotten a dashcam installed on the inside. Contrary to our expectations, we were unable to make a car loan to pay off the vehicle month-to-month, but we were still able to pay for the vehicle as a whole using the remaining funds from our set-up fund. Now when the weather is unfavorable or the distance is too great, we can drive rather than having no choice but to walk. It has been such a blessing!

Having the car has also opened up more options for how to learn Korean. A fellow-missionary has helped us to find a private tutor to teach me directly. Starting out, I will have lessons three days a week and 2 hours a day. The teacher is a faithful member of a nearby church and does not speak any English. Not using English will be tough early on, but it will strengthen my fundamentals of the Korean language as I learn it. Having a one-on-one setting will also allow me to have a little more control over what I want to learn next and be able to learn in a style that makes the most sense to me personally. As I attend these language classes and Kaitlyn continues with her online tutor, please pray that God blesses our studying. It is not a short stint, but a years-long effort that we will have to work hard to become proficient or even conversational in.

Though it will take significant time and effort to reach a point where we can communicate or witness in Korean, we are staying busy serving. Even recently, Nathan and I went out soulwinning together as a team. It was a great joy to serve together with my son and see the excitement from the people as they received a tract from him. I'm thankful that we can serve God as a family here.

Serving the Lord,

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