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Luke 2:11 For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord.

Dear Friends at Westminster Bible Chapel,

It is hard to believe that a month today it will be Christmas! It is the season where we remember the birth of our Saviour and give Him thanks for the gift of His Son. Our hearts rejoice but at the same time we are again saddened at the events of the last couple of weeks in our province. We seem to have been ravaged by so many disasters this past year and our hope is that people will reach out to the Lord in their time of trouble.

The last couple of months have been busy ones for us and we are thankful we always find lots to do, many ways to serve the Lord. Ron has continued in the renovation work at Cascades with more sanding and painting, raking leaves, building a lean-to for the garbage bins. We took out the chairs we had put in during Covid and installed the pews once again, a huge job with others to help of course.

Ron preaches most Sundays at different churches in the lower mainland and preparing messages keeps him busy. Gloria has enjoyed the Ladies Morning Out Bible study group and it has grown so much, we have added more ladies as we have the option of in-person attendance and also Zoom. One lady, a former Cascader, joins us from Sechelt!

Lord willing, we hope to return to Argentina in January, our usual 3-month stay that did not happen last year due to Covid restrictions. The camp is operating although in different ways. There will be some groups who will do full camps while others seem to prefer just doing day camps. Whatever happens, there will be lots of opportunity for us to help which is something we love and look forward to. Many have expressed their joy that we are coming back and there are invitations to preach in the churches. Hospitality will again be one of our main ministries.

Thankfully our family is well. In Argentina the girls are finishing the school year and looking forward to summer. Our older grandchildren are working and studying and we enjoy the moments we can spend with them. The younger girls are busy with a lot of activities but we still have time to see them and share in their lives as much as possible. Of course the big event will be the arrival of our 10th grandchild in December. Danny and Bethany are very much looking forward to welcoming this little one into their lives. Please pray for a safe delivery and a healthy baby.

We can't express to you what it means to receive your gift, how we appreciate your thoughtfulness and generosity. The Lord is so good in providing for our needs and all we can do is thank Him, thank you and ask the Lord to reward you richly for the way in which you have blessed us. We trust you are keeping well. May this season be a joyous one for you as we remember His indescribable gift, the Lord Jesus!

Love in Him,

Ron and Gloria Edgecombe