

Philip North
November 2018 Report

Dear brethren:

How fast the time doth fly, to be sure! Another year is just about gone! While all of it gets away one second at a time, this commodity known as "time" does get away! I hope as always that this report finds you all doing well.

One of our widowed lady members, Sister Jeanie Davis, is suffering from acute bronchitis. She checked herself into the emergency room last week, and is now bed fast. A doctor and a nurse see her periodically. She is doing better, but her recovery will likely be slow. I only wish that she would not have been sick on her birthday, as she turned 79 the 7th of this month. Some of you will remember Jeanie's husband, Charlie, who passed on in mid 2015.

We are continuing our study in the book entitled "The Four Fold Gospel," co-written by J.W. McGarvey and Philip Y. Pendelton. This book has evoked a lot of class participation, for the greater part. I am thankful here. The study takes the same stories revealed in the 4 Gospels, combines them back to back, and a comment is made by the authors. In short, it is the Bible and a commentary combined. This book is utilized in both the Sunday morning and Wednesday evening auditorium classes, of which I teach.

For those of you who remember a gospel preacher named Brother Floyd Chappellear, he passed on late last month in his native Ohio. He was in his mid 70's----77, I believe. He was born in ill health, and the doctors said he would not reach adulthood. He preached in Annandale, Virginia for 37 years, before his health became too bad for him to continue preaching. He had been on dialysis for 5 years. I first met him while still living in St. Louis. I was 20 then, and he was 26. He was preaching for the church in the suburb of Hazelwood. I heard him humbly state publicly that he knew he had survived all these years due to the prayers of his brethren.

I remind you of our website:www.eaglerockroadchurchofchrist.org. Please check it out, along with having those whom you know who will soon be visiting us. We are also on Facebook, and as they say, we hope you will look us up and "like" us on there, once you visit us.

Sue, my wife, will of course have to battle her heart and spine situation for the rest of her days upon this earth. She is currently hoping to undergo laser surgery, but knows not when or if such will take place. You may recall that she had open-heart surgery some 3 years ago, along with having some stints put in last year. Please pray for her concerning this.

This seems to be all there is to report up to this moment. As always, thank you all so much for your financial support, along with the encouraging comments made by those of you who visit us from time to time. If you have yet to come see us, "come on down," as goes the famous phrase. The welcome mat is always out.

Sue and I extend our best wishes to all of you for a happy season, along with wishing all of you a happy, safe, and prosperous 2019, if it is the good Lord's will that time continues.

In His Name,
Philip North

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4	38	\$583.00

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11	23	\$340.00
18	27	\$714.00
25	35	\$605.00