

October - November Happenings with
The 3 Wheeler



Changes on the Horizon

We finished directing our first internship at the beginning of November. Soon after, we began a review of the internship. It had not been reviewed in 5 years since its birth and it needed a bit of a face lift. Since then, we have developed a core team who will help us and serve in the various departments we will establish within the internship. In addition to our core team, Zach and I will take on a few additional staff members and focus on leadership development. Our core team will be mainly dealing with the care of interns and Zach and I will be overseeing them

and focusing on pastoral care as well as leadership development of the “budding leaders.” We have also moved into our own accommodation for the internships, so that comes with a laundry list of “how do you make this work” responsibilities and tasks. Thankfully, we have a brilliant staff who are full of the spirit of wisdom and revelation :) Having our own accommodation moved the first internship of the year back to April, so thankfully we have a bit of a break to build this ship! This will really be our primary focus for the entire year. The Directors and senior leadership team of THOP have basically given

this thing into our hands and said, “create, do what you want, we trust you.” They are aware and we are aware that we will make mistakes, but through that we will learn and grow and be better leaders in the future because of them.



Our interns at the staff vs. interns football game! It was a tie, but next year we're coming back with vengeance

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Get out your bathing suits and fire up your BBQ- it's Christmas time...?

Ah yes, tis the season- of sweating, beaching, grilling, and relaxation. To associate these words with Christmas seems ridiculous to the American mind (with the exception of Hawaiians and South Floridians). But alas, summer is here in the southern hemisphere and whether I can comprehend it or not Christmas is happening. Spending Christmas here is still weird. The funny thing is starbucks still puts up snowflake decorations and yet santa is pictured in board shorts surfing on his surf board. Weird. Nevertheless, I am thankful. I am thankful for the family that Lord has given us here, which helps the sting of being so far from our natural families. And even though it's weird, I'm thankful for summer heat. After 9 months of the cold, you embrace it, whenever it happens.

Selah

Our little girl is getting so big! We can't believe she is almost 7 months old and doing everything a 7 month old should do. We started her on solids @ 6 months and after a few days getting used to it she is loving it. Her favorite foods are avocado and sweet potato. I am also enjoying

making homemade baby food. It is surprisingly fun and exciting to me. She has just learned how to sit up on her own and does push ups when she's on her belly. She is very observant, but also hands on. She is independent, but also loves people! She is full of joy and already "sings" to mommy and daddy. She also loves it when daddy plays the guitar for her. She is our pride and joy and we can't imagine life without her.

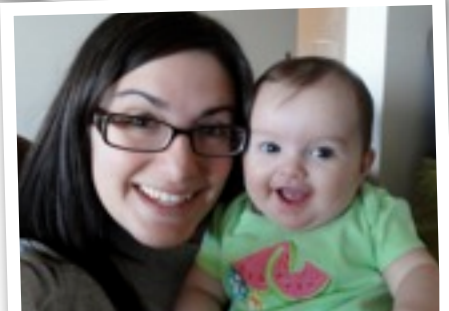
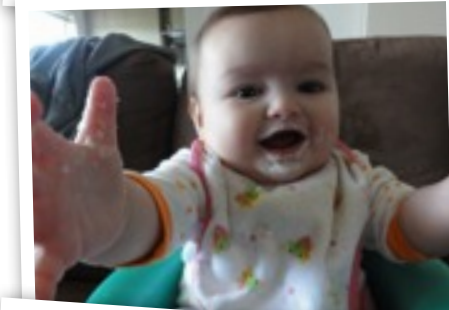
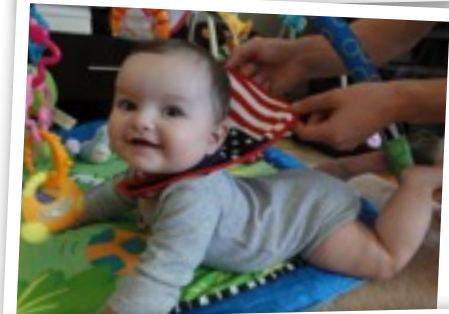
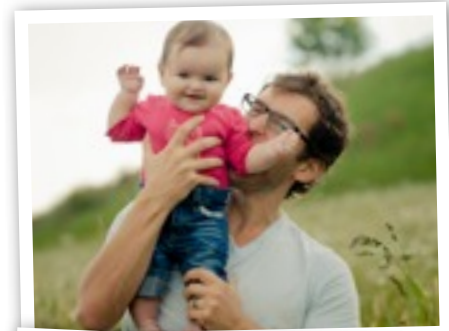
Praise

Finally, after a grueling process, we were granted our 2 year visa extensions. Thank you to all who prayed and sowed financially into us to make this possible. We are truly grateful!

Would you consider?

As the year wraps up and the new year approaches, as you make your new years resolutions would you consider one of them being to support us in missions on a monthly basis? This doesn't have to be an intimidating thing. You can commit to any amount (there is nothing too little and nothing too much!) You could even commit for a certain time frame. Pray as a family and see what works for you.

If you would like to take us up on this offer see below for details.



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