



GREAT LAKES BIBLE METHODIST CONFERENCE

October 2017



To each of the noble pastors of the Great Lakes Conference, I wish to express my deep appreciation for your faithfulness to the call of God on your heart. You are not simply working for God but you carry the high honor of working with God. – B. Jones

From Tim Keep - Missions Director

I'm writing this short note to inform update you on the Hutchison's Share Support status. RG and Sarah have asked to extend their current term by six months. This request is so that RG will have time to complete his Doctorate in Ministry at Asbury before beginning Share Tour for next term. I was supportive. We, and they, knew that this would create some financial challenges, but they were prepared to take the "risk". I also promised them that I would let our conferences know about this extension, and give people an opportunity to continue supporting them through next summer. (Their tour will begin in May, 2018). The good news is that Hutchison's just received their Share Support for the next quarter (through the end of November) and are nearly fully funded. Just a little lacking. Some support continues to trickle in. The bad news is that their account is now dry. Would you help us meet this need? Thanks for all you do for our missionaries and for BMM!



Grace to you,

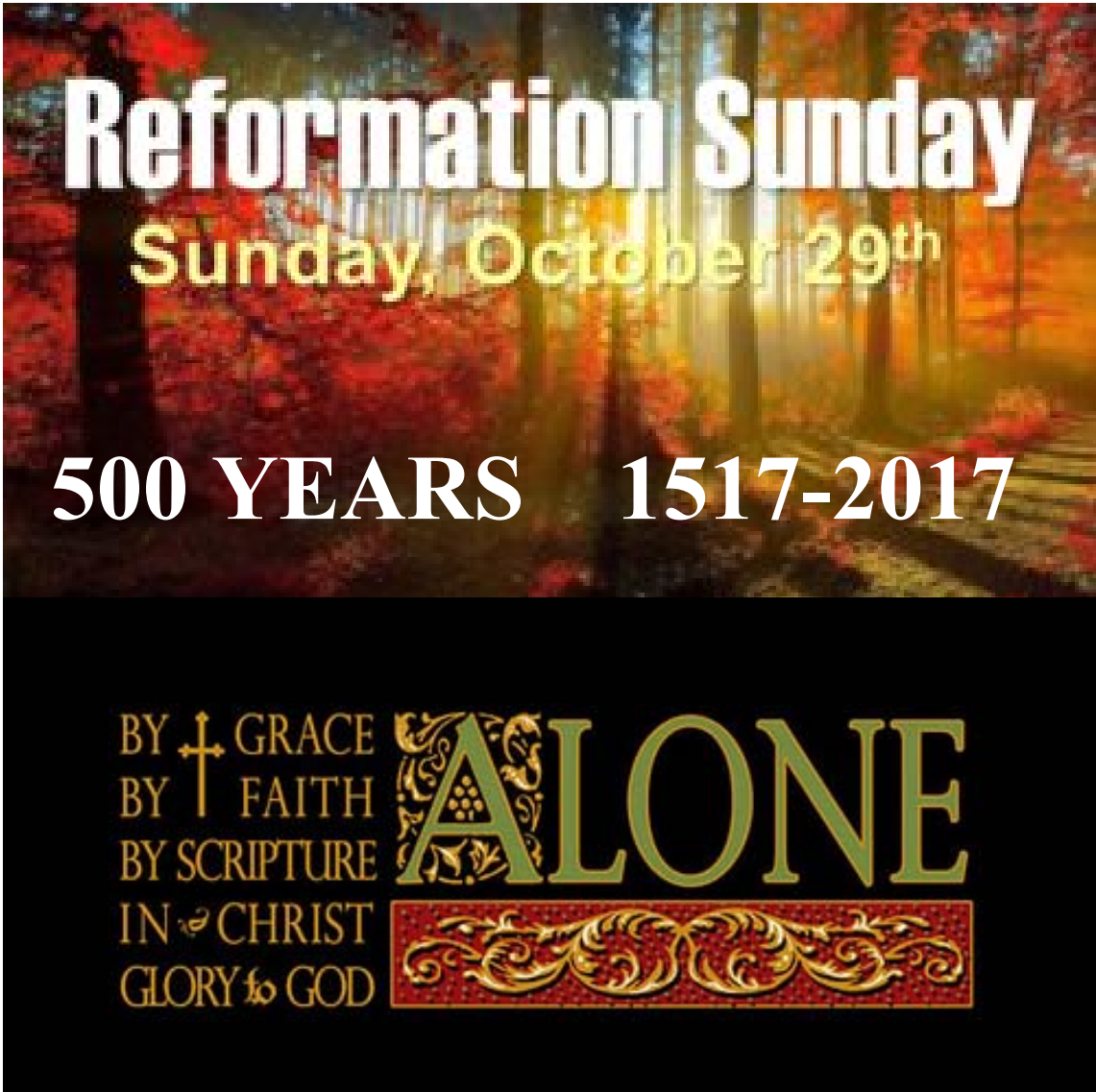
Tim Keep Director, Bible Methodist Missions



THRIVE

PSALM 1:3

Youth Challenge - October 26-28



Reformation Sunday

Sunday, October 29th

500 YEARS 1517-2017

BY ✝ GRACE
BY ✝ FAITH
BY SCRIPTURE
IN ✝ CHRIST
GLORY ✝ GOD

ALONE



Muir's Mission Tour through Great Lakes -- UPDATED



November 5	AM PM	Evart Bible Methodist Grawn and Garfield Bible Methodist
November 7		Bristolwood Bible Methodist
November 8		Greenville Bible Methodist
November 9		Rock Lake Bible Methodist
November 10		Port Huron- Pollina Ave. Holiness Church
November 12	AM PM	Vandercook Bible Methodist Hilltop and Hillsdale Bible Methodist

I have asked Bro Cravens to include Ironwood in Muir's Heartland tour. Dawn Valley will be in revival with Dr. Stephen Smith over the second weekend.

EACH HOSTING PASTOR IS RESPONSIBLE TO KEEP THE MUIRS UNTIL THEIR NEXT SCHEDULED SERVICE UNLESS OTHER ARRANGEMENTS HAVE BEEN MADE.



Saundy and I visited my mother in Ontario prior to her 93rd birthday and then spent Sunday with Pastor and Mrs. Tucker and the Pollina Avenue Holiness Church. We enjoyed a refreshing time of worship and accompanied the church family to a nursing home for their evening service.

The next week we traveled to Palestine, Illinois, to preach for a revival at the Pilgrim Holiness Church there. Rev. and Mrs. Paul Gray were the host pastor and we had a wonderful time sharing a "Knowing God" series and making new acquaintances.

Just prior to Family Retreat, Steve and Angela Bills met the conference licensing committee and Steve was granted a Conference Preachers License. They have just begun

missionary service in Blind River, Ontario. Their family was introduced during Family Retreat.

Jonathan and Abigail Langstaff and Rev. and Mrs. David Ward led the 2017 Retreat. Their theme, "Home Grown" stressed the importance of instilling spiritual values at an early age and the joy of interacting together as a family. There was great attendance for the teaching ministry of Rev. John Forsee.

With October comes the annual fall meetings for Bible Methodist Missions and the General Connectional Committee. This year we met in the Oswald Chambers Room at God's Bible School. How blessed I am to participate in these special times of planning and fellowship. I am very, very honored to be a Bible Methodist!



Director Tim Keep talking to the Missions Board and Regional Conference Representatives.

GOD BLESS YOU!



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