

The Jobes

Church Planters to Fluvanna County, Virginia

Sending church:

*Albemarle Baptist Church
1685 Roslyn Ridge Rd.
Charlottesville, VA 22901
Pastor Marc Deloach*

February 10, 2025



Dear Pastor and Church,

Evangelism

In January we finished up our goal of reaching all 10,000 homes in Fluvanna County with the gospel. Praise the Lord! We also began implementing our focus for 2025: “Go, Sow, and Grow.” In addition to a renewed emphasis on our regular attenders giving out tracts, this year we are saturating some areas by sending postcards, leaving door hangers with gospel booklets and an invitation, and following up with personal visits.

In the past month, we have started to meet a few people in the new area. One was a man named Logan, who worships God in nature. He was friendly and took our literature, but was unconcerned about his soul. We also met Grace, an unchurched, depressed young lady who needs Christ but who didn’t have time that day to listen to a gospel presentation. She did take gospel literature and promised to read it. We are praying that at another visit Grace might understand and be saved. Scot also spoke to a man named Johnny who recently moved to Fluvanna from Rochester, New York. After a brief conversation, he took a tract and promised to come to the Grand Opening service. Please pray as we follow up with these people, and others like them who desperately need our Saviour!

We also met Peggy, who prefers to worship God in her hayfield, but who did attend our Grand Opening Sunday on February 9. She was glad to find a church that still sings hymns as she does not care for contemporary praise songs. Pray for Peggy and her husband, Fred, as we follow up, that they might understand the importance of being part of a church family

with other believers.

New Building

We are still rejoicing in the blessing of being in a permanent location and are adjusting to the new space. The landlord approved a sign on the side of the building. It was installed right before our Grand Opening Sunday February 9.

The sign company quoted us an additional \$394 to install the sign, but Julie's brother was able to install it for free. What a blessing! We've also been blessed by several donations of time and money to help with buying furniture for the new building as well as the new sign.



Prayer Requests

Currently we are renting only half of the building. Please pray with us for growth of the church body and increased financial support, that we might be able to rent the entire building. Pray, too, that the landlord would not rent out the other portion of the building before we are able to afford it. It would be a blessing to have the additional space for a children's classroom separate from the nursery, as well as to have a dedicated space for a fellowship/Sunday school room.

Pray also for the spiritual growth of our regular attenders. One man needs to be scripturally baptized, but has put it off. Please pray that he would see the need to be obedient and follow the Lord. Also, we need more men to be faithful and active. We are holding a split Sunday school called Foundations in Genesis once a month where Scot has the opportunity to talk just with the men and Julie with the ladies. Pray for fruit from the teaching there.

We so appreciate your prayers for our family and for Foundations Bible Baptist Church as we seek to reach Fluvanna County, Virginia, with the gospel!

In His service,
Scot and Julie Jobe

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