



Prayer Needs

- ❑ Thank the Lord for providing our monthly needs and a new church to support us!
- ❑ Thank Him for His great care for us.
- ❑ Pray for Bible Studies every Tuesday!
- ❑ Pray we find a permanent place to meet!
- ❑ Pray for Branks' financial needs (housing and ministry)

How You Can Help

- ❑ Pray for our church plant
- ❑ Pray for good attendance to Bible Studies
- ❑ Bring a weekend work team!
- ❑ Support the Branks through CBM (67%)

Please remember our building fund! We currently have \$100,000 toward the purchase of a "fixer-upper"

Corktown's abandoned and abused buildings are perfect for a place to hold church but are sold for cash, paid-in-full!



We thought we would send you a summer update! We hope you are getting our email updates as well, if not please send us an email so we can put you on our list for updates,

prayer requests a newsletters.
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As we continue to search for a suitable place throughout the tattered blocks of Corktown, we have been blessed by the many gospel conversations we have had. The Lord continues to assemble a diverse group of truth seekers and each meeting is a blessing as we watch these folks put together the truth that



salvation is within their reach. For the summer, we have been allowed back into the hotel conference room which is about 90% remodeled (as you may remembered, we were asked to relocate a year ago because of major renovations) this room is quite suitable as a meeting place with the visibility and accessibility we need for our aged and disabled. They are unwilling to commit long term to us being there, so we will be meeting there on a week-to-week basis.

A team from Eden Baptist Church spent a week of hard labor for us here in Detroit. They did repairs at a home of a woman from our Bible Study, conducted a VBS at a low-income housing complex in Corktown where about 30 kids attended. Because of their VBS efforts, a lady

who stopped attending our Bible Study many months ago, joined to help with VBS and decided to return to the Bible Study that very Tuesday and she brought her grandson! We praise God for the slow but sure process of building relationships, one by one, for the Kingdom! We do have new leads on buildings so *please continue to ask the Lord to provide our own place in Corktown!*



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