

THE WARNER FAMILY SOUTH DAKOTA

July – September 2026

In the book of Romans, the Apostle Paul spoke of his "great heaviness and continual sorrow in his heart for his brethren" who had rejected Jesus as Lord and Savior. In Genesis, Joseph promoted by Pharaoh during the famine had opportunity to deal with his family and the deceit of his brothers in selling him into slavery. Remarkable account showing his desire; that his brothers would repent of their sin so that God could use them. Neither Paul nor Joseph willing to leave them go in their unbelief and disobedience. The exhortation in 2 Corinthians 4 to "faint not...nor handling the word of God deceitfully; but by manifestation of the truth, commending ourselves to ever man's conscience in the sight of God." Paul reveals the importance living a holy life, practicing sound doctrine so that we can be used of God in troublesome times.

Church attendance has been good with several visitors. I had opportunity to visit with a young man from South Africa that David, my son, talked with at work. I visited with Brian on a Thursday evening and David brought him to our Sunday Church Service. Brian, his family and friends living like most lost people: seeing the destruction of sin was concerned: knowing that there had to be something better - said to me, "I would like to change direction, like to be someone who could change the direction in my life and the lives of my friends and family". That Thursday I gave him the Gospel and God's plan for believers to separate from the world and serve the Lord. Sunday, Evangelist Ken Lynch gave his testimony how the Lord saved him and Brian came forward to trust Jesus as his Savior. Last Sunday he came to church with another South African friend. The past few weeks we have had the Vandervorst family, and another young man, Brett attending Church. Also have had four native Americans attending with one young woman that was under conviction. Many of the new families attending have great spiritual needs. Pray that they will trust Jesus and for spiritual growth.

Our ministries continue with Bowdle and Selby Nursing Homes. Every first Friday of the month we minister in the Nursing Home with a great number of residents that attend with their family members. This summer we have had opportunity to share the Gospel after the services with people questioning what they think against what they are hearing in the Word of God. Please pray for their salvation.

Appreciate your prayers for us as we minister. We appreciate hearing from you all and for the special gifts that are a great blessing to us. Thank you for your support in prayers and finances.

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