

# Mark Morrison

## Prayer Letter

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### *Coming in for a landing...*

I began as a church planter back in the mid -1970's. The mission church was located in rural Nebraska over 150 miles from the nearest city of any size. My regional superintendent would come to visit me in his small airplane. At times I rode with him to get a "bird's eye view" of the area. It was on one of these flights that he explained the importance of a soft landing.

**Now that over 45 years have passed, I am thinking about a "soft landing," as retirement is beginning to appear just over the horizon.** My passion for planting new churches has not waned. However, my involvement will be changing.



First of all, I am blessed to continue my involvement with CROSSroads BFC at Elverson, PA. It has been a blessing to work with Tim Radcliff in the transition to his leadership as the church planter pastor. Tim and Kaylena moved into Elverson in August. In September Tim began his ministry assisting me with the church plant.

In January we officially recognized

his call as a church planter and we served together as co-laborers. Then in April, Tim took the lead as pastor of the mission church with me assisting. I will continue in this role through the end of the year and possibly assisting in some way for a few months in 2023.

**Second, I am excited to share with you the new opportunity I have to serve with Church Extension as Development Manager** (more on that on the next page.)

*PRAY* that we would see new people and conversions.

*PRAY* with us that God would send us people that would commit to attend and assist this mission for one year.

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~ **Ministry News** ~



Tim Radcliff and I in January 2022 at a special service to recognize Tim's call to ministry at CROSSroads

On June 1st, 2022, I began serving as the Development Manager for Church Extension Ministries. In this role I will be looking for opportunities to share about our mission and vision for starting new church plants. One of my goals is to meet with supporters of our ministry, and share a variety of options of how one can plan to give, ensuring that we are reaching the next generation with the gospel.

**Thank you for supporting me over the years and thank you for your continued support as I assist at CROSSroads and begin this new Development Manager position.**

Church planting must focus on birthing churches. We desire to see our mission churches to become healthy particular churches. In order to continue to make it our mission to multiply, Church Extension must continue to plan for ways to financially support our mission churches.



Angela and Ben Morrison



Nate and Rachel Morrison

~ **Family News** ~

Barb has retired from working at Lancaster County Christian School because of her extra responsibility as executor of her parent's estate and caring for her mother's sister, Aunt Veda, in our home. During the spring of each year, she continues to offer homeschooling evaluations and achievement testing to families. In addition, she teaches children's church and plays for worship. Our son, Ben, continues to work at Eurofins Lancaster Laboratories as a Chemist and Angela teaches preschool for Lancaster Mennonite. God graciously gave them a townhouse which they purchased in September 2021 in Lancaster. Our second son, Nate, and his wife, Rachel, moved to Keene, New Hampshire where Nate is doing free-lancing as a videographer, and Rachel works full-time for Ashby and Gabriel, a marketing agency.