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Thank You

Dear Pastor,

We have no idea how YOU are doing today. Are you discouraged or encouraged in the work of the ministry? We have no way of knowing the answer to that for the vast majority of those who will read this short email. But we do want you to know that we appreciate you. Obviously we are not able to personally address this to each individual, but most of you are pastors we have met or interacted with in some way. And we want you to know that we appreciate your faithful ministry.

We don't know your ministry struggles, but everyone has them; so we know it is true for every one who reads this letter. Maybe this email finds you doing well with ministry moving forward and with relatively few challenges. Or maybe you are in the midst of incredibly difficult and stretching issues. In any event, please know, again, that we appreciate you.

We are grateful for every pastor and every pastor's family that is seeking to faithfully minister the Gospel and shepherd God's people. We know that isn't always easy. We know that sheep can be stubborn, or lazy, or complacent. We also know that God has called all of us to not be weary in well-doing for we will reap in due season if we do not faint (Gal. 6:9).



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So again, from the bottom of our hearts, we say thank you to you for your ministry and for your desire to be used by God as under-shepherds. We know that you have the best interests of your people at heart. We hold you in high esteem in love for your work's sake (Cf. I Thess. 5:13).

Most importantly, however, remember that the Great Shepherd of the sheep knows you and your labor of love. So today, be encouraged by this wonderful truth in Hebrews 6:10: **“For God is not unjust to forget your work and labor of love which you have shown toward His name, in that you have ministered to the saints and do minister.”** Let the truth of that verse be an encouragement and blessing to you today.

Pray this week for:

Representative Joel Kitchens, Sturgeon Bay
Representative David Bowen, Milwaukee
Senator Tim Carpenter, Milwaukee

In Christ,

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PS: There is still time to sign up for The Engagement Project. Wisconsin Family Council has partnered with [Dr. Del Tackett](#) to bring *The Engagement Project* to Wisconsin. Pastors, small group leaders and anyone interested in leading a small group will want to participate in the training session that is being hosted by Wisconsin Family Council at Calvary Bible Church in Neenah, Wisconsin, on **Saturday, October 16**. Dr. Del Tackett will personally share his burden about how to use this small group study to create a practical framework for reaching our neighbors and communities with the Gospel. You can get more details and register [HERE](#).

PPS: The Engagement Project will help us evangelize our neighbors. And to make a difference for good in our communities we recommend our **Going Local: Making Communities Great Again** which will provide insight and strategy to effectively counter extreme and absurd policies such as Critical Race Theory, transgender policies that negatively impact our children, and unconstitutional mandates that violate our basic freedoms. The next training session is this Thursday, October 14, at DaySpring Church in Pewaukee. More details and registration for this Thursday and the remaining two training sessions is located [HERE](#).