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Dear Friends and Family,

Season's greetings! I hope this message finds you well. Here at CAYU, our family programs are underway for a new year, and it's exciting to see God at work in Central Alberta. I've been encouraged already by the strong engagement of our moms in the program. Some of our more seasoned moms have stepped up to take on leadership roles, sharing kitchen skills or personal stories with others. Watching these family communities deepen and grow each year is truly beautiful, and I feel privileged to support such a passionate team.

Housing continues to be another area of ministry that I am honored to direct. This summer and fall, we supported two families as the mothers secured permanent housing. After their transitions, CAYU made the decision to sell our two large homes in Lacombe. We are currently exploring a new housing model that could allow us to increase the number of families we can serve. We now operate two suites in Blackfalds that provide support to young people and young families in need. Our intent is to offer refuge for youth and young families so that they may be empowered towards hope and wholeness through relational, practical, and spiritual care while increasing their capacity for independence. Please pray for us to reach those who need support.

This October, I was incredibly blessed to join 51 other leaders from YFC Canada on a 10-day biblical study tour in Türkiye, focusing on the seven churches of Revelation. This journey has given me a fresh perspective on what it means to be a household of faith (Oikos). I'm also grateful to my family for keeping things running smoothly while I was away! Chris has been busy working as a technician with Volkswagen. Averi, in her final year of high school, is already looking forward to attending Capernwray Australia Bible School. Isaac, now in grade 9, is loving hockey and school sports.

Thank you so much for your ongoing support and encouragement in my ministry role. If you'd like to hear more or connect, I would love to meet with you. Additionally, I would be grateful if you'd consider partnering with me to bring hope and wholeness to the young families of Central Alberta. Would you be willing to donate a one-time financial gift to my ministry? You can scan the QR code below or visit cayu.ca/give and find my name in the dropdown menu.

We pray that you and your family have a rich and blessed season ahead.

With gratitude,

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