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*ROMANIA*

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Dear Pastors and Friends,

We appreciate your prayers for us for the almost 17 years that we have been here in Romania. As most of you would have been notified, we have made the difficult decision that it is time for us to return to Australia. The church here in Moldova Noua is ready to be handed over to Nicu Dimitrovici as pastor. It is much better to allow the younger man to pursue the work that God has called him to and time for me to allow him to do that. We are returning in August, after the summer camps, and will need some time to re-settle, and then we will wait to see the Lord's leading for whatever the future lays ahead for us.

We appreciate the support we have received and we pray that the work in Moldova Noua will continue to be supported. My wife and I intend to come back to Romania every summer to continue the camp ministry.

We are currently working towards what needs to be completed by August.

At the beginning of May, we invited a brother in Lord, Viktor Ignatiev to preach at our church for an evangelistic outreach that we held. Viktor is from Ukraine and his wife is from Moldova. You may recall that they were at camp last summer. Viktor is from a church in Odesa but has gone as a missionary to work in Moldova (Mark Priem, an American missionary is his pastor). Viktor returned to Odesa at the start of the war to help the church people there to leave Ukraine and get to Moldova. He managed to leave only hours before the law restricting males from leaving came into place. He cannot return as he will be kept there, but he can approach the border and has continued to help others in Ukraine as well as help those who have managed to escape. We received some monetary gifts for the Ukrainian refugees and those were handed to Viktor when he visited. We also offered to hold a camp in early July for the Ukrainian refugees as they are scattered all over Romania, and a time together for fellowship, sharing, and preaching in their language would be beneficial for them. This will be held from the 4th-8th of July. Our usual youth camp is scheduled for 25th-29th July. In June we have planned to hold a Vacation Bible School from 22nd-24th.



Viktor and Billy

Please be in prayer for these events, for the planning, and for hearts to be challenged or ministered to.

For unknown reasons, we have had no children at the church for the past 2 weeks. We are in prayer about this but they have likely gone to the Pentecostal church with its worldly attractions. We are praying for a new group of children through the VBS.

There are some finishing renovations to complete on the camp building and I would like to see as much as possible completed before I leave. I have purchased solar hot water systems to be installed on the roof. The unfinished projects are those that require others to come and help as they aren't jobs, I can do myself. Thank you, for your love and prayers,

In His service, Bro Billy and Annette.

Philippians 4:19

"But my God shall supply all your need according to his riches in glory by Christ Jesus."



Ukrainian visitors