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"(Jesus said,) 'Go into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature.'"Márk 16:15

CHRISTMAS IS LONG GONE...

but we are very grateful to God for the blessed occasions, the Children's Christmas, and the Christmas program in Baracska. We are grateful that we were able to hold this program, which required a lot of preparation but was very successful, for the children and their families at the Bárdos School again. We also see that the range of programs on offer is growing, and despite many invitations, fewer people are coming.

Unfortunately, getting into the prison was still a lengthy process, but a grateful audience awaited us. The preparations were also exciting because we came from more and more places and we couldn't rehearse the songs together even once. But the Lord knew all this, and it was good to experience His help in this too.



PRISON MINISTRY

We are very grateful that the visit of our German brothers and sisters to the 35th anniversary celebration of ÉRA and MEB also brought back the prison ministry programs that had been suspended for a long time. The prison administration remains very open to the program, but it is often difficult to get inmates to participate in Bible studies. Upcoming events: A group of nine Germans will visit the Márianosztra Penitentiary and Prison at 10 a.m. on March 7 and the Vác Penitentiary and Prison at 3 p.m. A group of 20 Germans will hold evangelization events in 10 prisons between May 3 and 8. Please keep them in your prayers!



UKRAINE

We are in constant contact with our brother Bálint in Transcarpathia, Ukraine. It is difficult to hear that in Beregszász, even 600 meals a day are often not enough for those in need. The need remains great in all areas, and our brothers are doing tremendous work there. We are looking for a date when we can send another aid shipment. Based on our discussions, we are planning for March 21. Attached to our circular letter is Negro Valentine (Bálint)'s report on their work/mission in Ukraine. We will share photos separately.

THE FAMILY, TEMPORARY HOME

Bea was laid off from her job at the beginning of the summer, but after several months she found a new job, which is much better. Móni, her daughter is studying hard, and the results are showing. Fanni will remain in kindergarten next year.

Rózsika is struggling with many illnesses and needs more and more care.

After several unreported jobs, J. Zoli has now been given an excellent opportunity, and it is important that he be a good witness among his colleagues.

T. Zsolt works as a security guard. When he is at home, it is a joy to see him actively participating in the community. Unfortunately, Rózsa slipped and broke her leg during the first heavy snowfall. She is better now, but she still cannot put weight on it. Their granddaughter Marina, whom they are raising, moved in with her parents in Tótkomlós after Christmas.

After many setbacks, Ny. Laci was given one last chance, under stricter conditions.

Gy. Attila has been living in the house since autumn and immediately found a job, where he diligently took on his tasks and performed so well that he was exhausted and went home almost only to sleep. He recently moved to another place, so he can participate more in Bible classes, church services, and the life of the house. M. Szabolcs lives in a rented apartment and raises his children alone, as their mother gave them up. His health is unstable, he suffers from several illnesses, which often prevent him from working. He wants to apply for disability benefits, but would like to continue working.

We are also grateful that, despite the bitter cold, we always had heating and hot water in the house. Although the pellet boiler requires a lot of work and smells of smoke, we don't have to spend money on deodorant..

JÓHÍR PUBLISHING

Thank you for the many two-page calendars. We distributed more than a thousand of them in prisons and in our city, and almost everyone received them with great joy. It was a great opportunity to build relationships and talk about God's love. Please pray for the publisher and its leader, Vera, who also cares for her father with all her heart, which requires a lot of strength and time.



Thank you for praying for us so far, and please continue to do so,
because we really need it.

Szabó József és Éva (Jóska & Vicus)



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Short testimony about the ministry of our church. Our church is located very close to the border with Hungary. At the beginning of Russia's aggression, hundreds of thousands of Ukrainians were fleeing the war and have passed through our city. Understanding the responsibilities placed by God, our church has opened the doors for refugees. It didn't matter to us that our number was very small and our resources are very limited, we have decided to start doing the job. It started with trying to find accommodation, shelters, and shared all that was necessary. And from Monday, February 28 we started cooking food and feeding refugees. This is the 4th year that we still do this ministry. The first couple of months the majority of people we served were people seeking protection. Shortly after that, some local poor people started coming and getting food. With time the number of refugees had decreased, but the number of locals who needed help has increased. As of now our kitchen works 5 days a week, serving up to 600 portions of food per day. In addition to food we also share clothes, cleaning supplies, and if somebody needs medical support, we try to arrange that as well. But the most important is that we preach the gospel to them, and we do it regularly, both in Ukrainian and Hungarian (most of the poor people that we serve are local Hungarian population). Our goal is not to just help people, but to practically show The Love of God to sinners.

We pray that through our actions those people can see Jesus and believe in Him and get salvation. We are very thankful to you all, brothers and sisters, for your prayers and financial support. Big part of the money you send goes towards the needs of our Kitchen. Through your help we also feel God's care towards us and poor people of our town. Apart from kitchen, our church has got a storage for humanitarian aid, through which we accept aid from abroad, and we distribute it among those in need, as well as with other churches involved with similar ministry, and we also send it to other parts of Ukraine, when they express their need of aid. We are also involved with Kindergarten and Elderly House, our church is also active in prison ministry (preaching gospel to prisoners, help them with supplies of goods they need) and thankfully to our Swiss partners, we have built a sports yard for some prisoners. We are also involved in Chaplain Ministry.

Occasionally we (us and/or our partners from other churches) visit frontline, specifically medical facilities. We help and preach wounded soldiers, and we also help the medical staff. This war is a massive tragedy for our country. It is very difficult to go through. But at the same time it is a great opportunity for the Church of Christ to show the Love of Jesus to the people. It is very difficult, but we are very thankful for this honor to be God's servants in this moment. We also are very thankful for His faithful servants from abroad who help us. May God bless you, and may He pay you back from His generous hand. Thank you very much, and we invite you to visit us, when you have a chance. If you have any further questions, you can always talk to our dear brother Joseph. Or text me on WhatsApp.

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