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“OPEN YOUR EYES AND LOOK AT THE FIELDS!
THEY ARE RIPE FOR HARVEST.” JOHN 4:35



The Process Prepares Us for the Next Chapter

The last few months have been so busy and a lot has taken place. The biggest news is that we have our tickets purchased and will be leaving America on June 1st. We will have several things planned, so we will not arrive in Krivoy Rog until the week of June 13th. We sold our house in a way that only God could have put together. I (Phil) quit my job on May 11th and we have been busier than ever as we prepare to leave the country.

We cannot wait to get to our new home city. Our friends there are just as anxious for us to arrive.

It seems so long ago that we started the process. While it has been difficult for a variety of reasons - a lot of work, an emotional roller coaster, and quite stressful - we also know that there are things that we have learned that will help us in Ukraine.

We have enjoyed watching God work and provide for our needs over and over again. We have been so blessed as we have made new friends in the churches where we have visited.

We had a great time at the Guy Penrod concert (he was part of the Gaither Vocal Band for years) in Sioux Falls, SD in April. It was a great opportunity to play piano before concert and to share our heart for Ukraine.

I (Phil) preached at Waseca Christian Assembly for our farewell service and we were overwhelmed by love and kindness at our open houses. Thank you!

I (Phil) should be getting his Certificate of Ministry with the Assemblies of God before the end of summer (it is the lowest level of licensing) and will continue working towards getting ordained in a few years.

We held our last service on Sunday May 23rd after a very full schedule during the last three months. We had no car problems during all of our traveling, for which we are very thankful.

As we prepare to leave the country and we look back on where we started, we are reminded once again that absolutely nothing is too hard for God! When He calls, He provides!

We would like to say a special “thanks” to Pastor Brad Wickersheim for his support, encouragement, and helping us to follow God’s call for our lives.

If you did not receive this newsletter via e-mail and you have an e-mail address, please send us an e-mail and we will add you to our e-mail distribution list.

If you have any questions, please send us an e-mail. We would love to hear from you!!

Support Information

In Philippians 1:3-5, the Apostle Paul wrote “I thank my God every time I remember you. In all my prayers for all of you, I always pray with joy because of your partnership.” We thank God for you and how you have partnered with us in prayer, in words of encouragement, and in financial partnership.

Our budget is now raised. Thanks to everyone who has partnered with us to make that possible. Praise

God! Churches and individuals contributed about 60% of our budget, while we are planning to cover the rest. If you would like to make a tax deductible donation, please check out the [Support](#) link on our website for more specifics, or mail your check to: A/G World Missions 1445 North Boonville Ave Springfield, MO 65802 Please make sure that you reference our account number: **294736-4**.

It is humbling to hear from people that they pray for us on a regular basis. We do not take that for granted. Prayer changes things. And God is bigger than the things we have faced or will face. Please keep praying!

Saying thanks does not seem like enough, but we want you to know that we appreciate you. We pray that God will continue to bless and prosper you.

Thank you!!!

PRAISE REPORTS

- ◆ Budget raised
- ◆ House sold
- ◆ Protection in travel

PRAYER REQUESTS

- ◆ Health
- ◆ Safe travel and no fears
- ◆ Understanding as we learn Russian
- ◆ Direction and wisdom
- ◆ Our family and the many transitions ahead
- ◆ Prepare opportunities for ministry in Ukraine
- ◆ Housing in Krivoy Rog

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