



Dear Pastor and Church,

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My how the time passes so quickly these days! It's another year already and we know that it is another year closer to our Lord's return. Jesus words are recorded in John 9:4, *"I must work the works of him that sent me, while it is day: the night cometh, when no man can work."* May we all be about bringing people to Jesus in the time that He has given us.

It has been another month with first-time guests and returning guests as well. Vid has begun to bring his mother Irma. When we first met her, before she ever came to our meetings, she essentially blew us off. But she promised that when Vid got his driver's license she would come with him to our meetings because they live more than an hour away. She followed through on her promise and her view of what we do instantly changed and she has returned again, even testifying that she actually likes our approach of basing everything we do simply on what the Bible says. **Pray for Irma!**

In the last letter I reported about Nik's salvation. This month I can report his request for baptism. He is still burning hot for the Lord and we give all glory to God! I mentioned the meeting for young people that we have been planning – we will have our first meeting March 6 starting with at least 4 young people. We hope that this becomes a vehicle for these young people to invite their friends to come and learn about Jesus. **Pray for us and this youth meeting.**

This week I ordered our second printing of the new, faithful translation of the Bible in the Slovenian language, this time funded by Cornerstone Baptist Church in Missouri City, Texas, Pastored by Russell Ellis. Thank you, Cornerstone Baptist Church for your special offering for this purpose. It is scheduled to arrive next week. It will come just in time as I gave away the last one from our first printing today. It went to a young lady that Krista and I are trying to reach. She is a hair stylist who has a place of business directly across the walkway from the church. Her name is Kaja (Kaya). **Please pray for Kaja and this second printing of the Slovenian Bibles.**

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Finally, some more great news! We have asked for many months for your prayers for the Cook family and their preparation for coming to Slovenia. We have asked you to pray for their fundraising and their paperwork. On February 27, Eli and Mackenzie arrived in Slovenia with all three of their children and Mackenzie's mother for a few days of helping in their transition. Hallelujah! It will take some time for them to fully settle but they have hit the ground running. **Continue to pray for their adjustment and thank you for your prayers for their arrival!**

Until next time, May the Lord richly bless you as you serve Him,

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