

"as many as were willing hearted" - Ex. 35:22

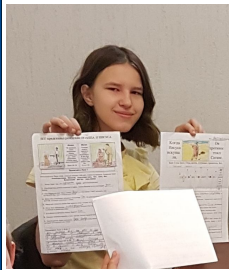
Greetings from war-torn eastern Ukraine! Our busiest time of year has kicked off with our annual **Passover Seder** which brought new deaf visitors! Our neighbor on our south side suffered half their home being burned down during a **blizzard**. Thankfully our church building - though very close by - suffered no damage. God has used this incident to open their hearts and allow us to minister God's love and message of hope to their family. Late May I traveled to **Ireland** to preach all week to Russian immigrants there. God saw fit to **save one** woman who was under deep conviction by the 4th day. Sadly there are no Russian-speaking works in Ireland. Maybe God will send a missionary to them. June I celebrated my 31st spiritual birthday and remain eternally grateful for the Lord's mercies toward me! We are now in full swing with the warm weather out on the streets evangelizing and getting the Gospel to needy souls! Late June I blew out my L4 & L5 **disks** (pic below)! Never experienced that kind of pain before. Please pray for **HEALING!** Preaching till He comes!!



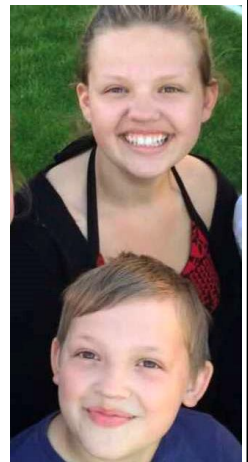
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Isa 55:8 "For my thoughts *are* not your thoughts, neither *are* your ways my ways, saith the LORD." For years our family & church have worked to reach souls in our neighborhood, with the result usually being rejection. Our VBS last summer brought in two neighborhood girls, Margarita and Lilia, yet reaching more folks in the neighborhood has simply been a block wall. All this effort would seem to be in vain, but God is faithful & blesses diligence. We needed a miracle. At 4 a.m. on April 19, during a late winter blizzard, John was awakened to the sound of fire! Indeed! Our neighbor's house a-joining the church property on the south end was on **fire!** John & Steven used our pool water to battle the flames while God dropped down the snow. The fire truck arrived saving the main dwelling of the house but it's addition was destroyed. The next day God put it on John's heart to make a visit & he was greatly received and told that no one else had inquired to see if they were even alive. They were touched by the care & help provided over the next few days. Though the adults still won't come to church, now they send their children, Nastia and Kiril to every single event we have. Please pray for the salvation of Margarita, Lilia, Nastia and Kiril.



Passover & Resurrection Sunday services were blessed. Praise for high attendance!

Dima passed away 2 days after this picture in church. With great sorrow, he died lost.

Kendon made a surprise visit home after safely returning from deployment! Joy unspeakable to see my baby boy! Physically and professionally he is doing exceedingly well, but spiritually he is hurting and needing the steadfast prayers of those who care.



July 7th the **Skean family (4)** fly to Kharkov! Please pray for safe travels & pray we are able to get Jonathan and Katrina registered in time for Jonathan to start school.

Your servants in Christ: John, Cathy, Brittaini, Noelle, John-Steven & Kendon