

"Stand up and bless the LORD your God for ever and ever" - Neh 9:5

Summer is upon John-Steven, Nina & I here in eastern Ukraine! I'm very thankful for their continued outreach to area youth & vast hours working on the church building before Cathy's return. After her parent's 50th Anniversary in Tucson, Cathy went to Pennsylvania to spend time with Brittaini at her birthday (25) before shipping her car off from New Jersey. Then Cathy went with Brittaini to OKC for Noelle's **graduation** from Heartland Baptist College. Very proud of Noelle's diligence & perseverance and we're excited to see the Lord's leading as she begins post-College life. Truly we can do all things through Christ which strengtheneth!

PRAISES: At May's end, Cathy returned with Kendon! What a joyous time reuniting, hearing of his 1st year at Heartland and how God is working in his life. **After 2 months of prayer, fasting & supplication, John received his **1-yr registration!** Now that Cathy is home, we begin the same arduous process for her too. **The Deaf Group has sprouted again now that Cathy is here to translate! We've had numerous **1st-time deaf visitors** already and the Lord is doing a real work with them.

***BUILDING:** Working on the exterior walls of the *building* with insulation board & stucco to seal it all up before winter.
PRAYERS: Gas document, still need that last paper. **Co-laborers:** continue to pray for the Faulkner Family on Deputation. Brian & Juanita are planning a 3-week refresher trip here in July. Their permanent help is needed!



Cathy's Corner

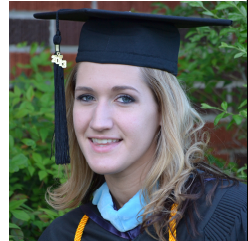
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May 1 - While making preparations to return to Ukraine, I was blessed to stay with Jonathan and Brittaini Katrina through her birthday - May 6th! They helped me to-and-from N.J. to send off the supplies and the car. I was also able to visit several churches which I missed out on when I stayed behind in Ukraine to oversee the gas connection for the church. Unfortunately, during this time here, as a spectator my left leg was injured at a church baseball game and the rest of my Stateside trip was on crutches and in a cast. Our son Kendon helped me get through three airports and a bus station in a wheel chair to get me back to Ukraine.

Noelle - 2013 graduate with honors! God allowed me to be present for our daughter Noelle's graduation ceremony from Heartland Baptist Bible College (Education Major). We are very thankful for her devotion to show herself approved unto God, rightly dividing the Word of Truth. I was able to assist her (my cast and all) moving off campus. I was in OKC with Noelle & Kendon when both of those deadly tornadoes hit. We were not far from it's path. This made me even more thankful to God for His constant protection over us wherever we go. Both Noelle & Kendon are staying in OKC so please pray for safety & Kendon's study @ Heartland.



May 21st I arrived back in Ukraine ready to translate and teach our deaf. John and I visited Lena, our deaf partner, and she has agreed to take the Bible lessons and together we will begin building a deaf Sunday School class. God has been working in our absence and preparing hungry souls for His Word. Already one new deaf man plus three usual deaf are attending. Steven continues to give Sergey and Nina (excellent students!) Bible Lessons. Pasha, please pray for him, is getting closer to Calvary in Steven's Sunday School Class. Thank you! *Cathy!*

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