SUMMER

O'Brien's Prayers & News

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COVID19 lockdown! What a mess this corona virus is making all over the world. Here's the digest: Cathy's lungs continue to heal after her double-pneumonia and viral attack on her heart. A cardio-specialist over in kiev has tested her heart and she indeed has suffered damage to it. Problem? The virus is still in her system and continues to affect her heart, so we're looking for solutions to that. The church has gone "online" and the quarantines have made evangelism practically impossible, as folks are deathly afraid of you handing them anything. So ... back to stuffing mailboxes everywhere. Our deaf have been hit the worst economically, so we decided to engage in humanitarian work, like providing masks, gift cards for groceries, medicines and more. We've even begun a phone drive to get some phones for some of our deaf, else they cant watch the services. When your total monthly income is less than \$100, you need some help. Gal.6:10 & 1Jn.3:18 are our theme verses. AMEN





Cathy's Corner

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Tough summer!! We lost 2 folks in 24hrs, bro Sasha's parents Peter (96) and Luda (82). Things are slightly different here: after the police come to certify no foul play - everything else is your problem. So you clean the bodies and dress them. Family comes to pay respects (Sasha was their only child). John-Steven & I carried the bodies down 5 stories of stairs in 95-degree heat & placed them in waiting open coffins on the street. You wait while the neighbors pay respects, then take them to the cemetery, where we conduct a graveside service. Luda was saved & baptized in August 2006, Peter was saved 2 years later during an evangelism marathon by Sasha & Kendon.

Your missionaries in Ukraine - John and Cathy O'Brien