



the SAMPSONS

To open their eyes, to turn them from darkness to light ... that they may receive forgiveness of sins... Acts 26:18

April - July 2016

* Stateside



From the months of April to June, we took a short furlough. This gave us the opportunity to raise more support and to see our daughter, Corissa, graduate from high school with honors. In this time, we were able to report to eleven churches, three of them being new churches. Pray that God will touch their hearts for the need in Eastern Europe and take us on for support. Before heading back to Estonia, we said our tearful goodbyes to our girls Candice and Corissa. Though it pains us to leave them, we praise God for the opportunities they have to pursue a greater education in college. Our short furlough came to a close, and on the first of July Lisa, Phillip, and I flew back to Estonia.

* Kids Day Camp



After being back in Estonia for a week we were still groggy from jet lag, but had our work cut out for us with the kid's summer camp. Every afternoon we were given a chance to teach them a thirty minute English lesson. Every two days had a specific learning concept. The first concept was why we need salvation, then the fruit a Christian should make, and the last was telling others about Jesus using the wordless book. We sent each camper home with lessons in Russian/English and a wordless book. With this we are hoping that the children can reach their family and friends with the gospel. Pray that the seeds which were planted will sprout and grow!

*Family News



As much as we enjoy being able to spread the good news in Estonia, there are times when going back to the field is tough. We have to leave our kids, sick family, and aging parents in another country, and it takes a toll on our hearts. I am blessed with my mom and dad, Janet and Chester; they are godly parents and grandparents and I thank God everyday for them. But, as time goes on, it will get to the point where it is difficult for them to live on their own. My mom is having both hips replaced. Please pray the surgery and recovery goes well and they can live independently a while longer.

**PRAISE
THE
LORD!!!**

1. Reported to churches with 3 being for new support
2. Corissa graduated with honors
3. Taught the gospel at kids day camp
4. Thankful for godly parents

For lost Russian souls,

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