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### **Prayer Letter**

Greetings from Pericei, Romania!

Another Summer is over, school year just started, and it is time to summarize God's blessings we experienced last summer.

### **Evangelism in Ukraine, February 2013.**

Twice this year we had the opportunity to preach among the Hungarian population of Transcarpathia,

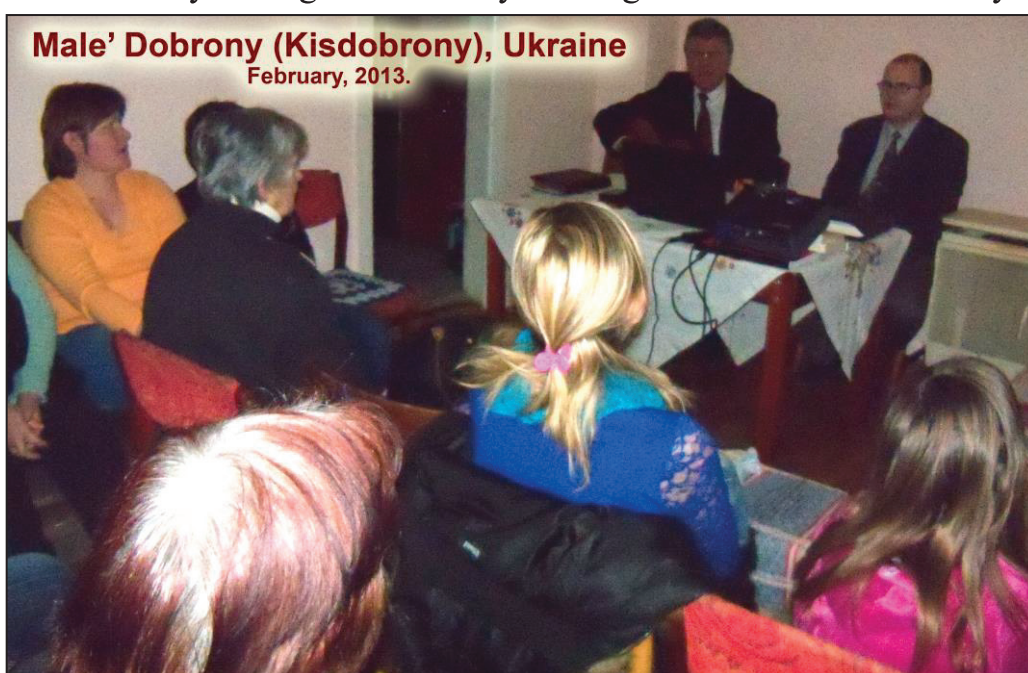
Ukraine. In the end of February we led a week of evangelistic services in Kisdobrony (Male' Dobrony), at evenings, and in the afternoon we had a couple of Hungarian services in Ungvár (Uzhgorod) also, in the basement of the Ukrainean Baptist Church building.

For these meetings Szabolcs and Krisztina Kelemen, invited us,

who are missionaries sent from Romania to work here. Szabolcs was converted and sent to the Seminary during our ministry in Targu Mures. In Kisdobrony this was the third time



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when we had evangelistic week. There is no evangelical church in this locality. A lady was converted, and seriously decided to follow Christ. There is much opposition both religious and social, and the need for your prayers is great.

Our Convention was able to

purchase a house here, where Szabolcs and Krisztina are living now, and in another building we can have proper place for the services.



## Camp and Evangelism in Ukraine, August 2013.

In August we visited Ukraine again, this time to organize a week of Vacation Bible Club,



which was like a camp for about 25 children. We had intensive teaching program each day, and on Sunday we preached the Gospel to the parents, both in Kisdobrony, and in Ungvár. Six new parents came, who never came before to our services. It was encouraging to see the lady who was converted one year ago, is still very dedicated.



**Uzhgorod**  
August 2013.



**Male' Dobrony, Ukraine**  
August 2013.



## Children's Camp, July 2013.

In July we had the children's Camp, in the Western Carpathian Mountains. More than half of these children decided to follow Christ, or rededicated their life to Him! The children were mostly from Pericei and Luna de Sus.

**Children's Camp, 2013.**



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## Youth Camp, August 2013.

In August we had a youth camp also, with tents, in the Western Carpathian Mountains.





The young people were mostly from Pericei Baptist Church, but two others came from Lupeni, from the South. Through the following pictures you can feel a little from the atmosphere, and the experiences we had in this camp:



Most of the days we had a hiking tour to the surrounding very beautiful sights of these mountains, which sometimes lasted until late afternoon. In the evening we had a Bible study with much singing, until midnight.



## Vacation Bible Club – Pericei

Our daughter, Johanna, being a missionary at Child Evangelism Fellowship, organized several weeks of Vacation Bible Clubs, in Galospetreu, Targusor, Aghires, Varsolt,



Suplacu de Barcau, Ipp and Pericei. In Pericei more than 150 children came! More than half of these children were not related to our church, so each day there was an opportunity for evangelism also.



## Radio work and Brass Band Festival

The weekly radio programs broadcasted in several radios for now we increased with one hour live program in ALT FM Radio, Arad, from time to time. There are one hour programmes prepared, but after a series of sermons it is useful to have a live discussion, when the listeners may ask questions and tell their opinions. The next live program will be on 29<sup>th</sup> October, and its main topic is the Reformation. Please pray for the effectiveness of this radio work, and the online broadcast of our services!

The 5<sup>th</sup> Brass Band Festival will be organized in Pericei, next weekend (28<sup>th</sup> September). With more than 400 instruments and players, this occasion will be a wonderful tool to make known publicly in the society who we are and what we believe. After individual and common pieces being played, there will be preaching also, in the morning and in the evening. Next year we are planning to celebrate 100 years of the existence of our Choir, which could be another occasion for such a gathering.

This year new members were added to our mandolin and violin orchestra, and beginning with this autumn we are going to start a new class of children, teaching to read music and play these instruments. It is a good educational tool for upbringing them in faith.



## Family matters

Regarding our family: Tábita and her husband. Efraim, continue their studies in Aberdeen, while in the same time they are trying to raise our first grand daughter, Emma. They were able to come home for a short visit this summer, which was great! Mírjám will start her third year at Emanuel University, studying music pedagogy. Since I am not teaching any more at Emanuel, she has to pay for her tuition, which is quite a challenge for all of us. Johanna works with children, as I mentioned above, being helped by Márta, her mother. Márta is unemployed beginning with last October, but is full time in the Lord's vineyard... We are thankful that our entire household serves the Lord. Thank you for praying for our family! The church in Pericei and Varsolt continues to be very supportive to us, in spite of the troubles of last year.



We are grateful that the Lord miraculously provided for all our needs. Thank you for your prayers and support!

Your fellow labourers in the Lord's vineyard,



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