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News from family Cozaru

... let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father who is in heaven. - Matthew 5:16

Hello dear friends!

We hope you are doing well. A new year started and we hope you had a good start! Although the new year is only one month old, we have done already many different things. A flying start... Many good things are happening in Lozova, the youth in Micleuseni is getting active again, the children in Huzum continue to grow, etc. Praise God for all that is happening. We appreciate very much your prayers and emails. Thank you for being alongside in prayer and finances! God bless you! Greetings from Micleuseni,
Spiridon and Stefanie

Church service in Lozova



18 February 2015

We would like to ask your special prayers for an evangelism event we plan to organize Wednesday 18 February. We observed that many ladies come to church but their partners do not yet come. Maybe out of fear what their friends might say or maybe there are other motives why they do not come but to get to know them and for them to get to know us, we decided to organize a trip to Chisinau. We hope to travel together with the different couples from the churches in Micleuseni, Lozova and the Nisporeni-area to Chisinau. In the morning there will be some seminars at the OM Centre about family life and in the afternoon we will take the couples bowling. We pray that God will bless this day, may He bless the couples that will come and work in their families.

Church building in Lozova

As we continue to gather at the church in Lozova, we see new people come every Sunday. At the moment around 25 adults and 20 children attend the church. We got blessed with finances to buy more chairs and praise God all the chairs are filled! We are encouraged to see more people come to the church but we also realize that in the future we need more space. After a time of searching through Lozova which buildings and/ or pieces of land are for sale, we still think that the best option is to purchase the public bathroom in the middle of the village. Since we talked last summer with the owner, he raised the prize with 7000€ and the building now costs 20 000€. We pray that God will provide in all the money to take the first step and buy the building.



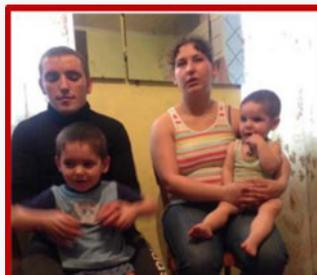
No more investing in houses



Lilia defiantly likes to talk a lot! From when we meet her until we leave her house she talks and talks... Together with her husband, she raises her 3 small boys: Valeras (4), Gheorghe (3) and Nicu (2). As she herself and her husband grew up in an orphanage, she wants to provide a happy and

warm home for her boys. But because they do not have their own house, they have lived in many different places and every time after she made the house comfortable, they got thrown out of the house. So Lilia came to the conclusion that she is not going to invest anymore in any house that is not hers and she better uses the little money she has to invest in her boys. Lilia started to attend the church in Lozova a couple

of months ago. In the orphanage where she grew up, she heard many stories from the Bible and last week she asked if we could give her a children Bible so she can read to her boys stories from the Bible. Also she asked for a Bible for herself.



Fellowship time with the brothers and sisters of the church in Micleuseni



A bathroom for Tanea?

Tanea is a 35 year old lady who lives in Micleuseni. Since childhood she sits in a wheelchair. For many years her mother looked after her but 3 months ago her mother passed away. Now her sister Viorica looks after her. Viorica had to give up her job and so now the family has to live from a budget of 50€ per month. Although their situation is not easy, they try to make the best of it. While talking to Tanea and her sister about their living situation, we came up with the idea to dig a well near their house so Viorica doesn't have to bring water from a well far away. If they would have their own water resource, life would be much easier. There would be even a possibility to make an indoor bathroom and in this way Tanea would be able to take a bath much easier. We pray for Tanea and Viorica that they will recognize how God looks after them.



23 February & 8 March

The above dates are two celebration days in MD. On the 23rd of February it is mens day and the 8th of March it is women day. The church in Micleuseni is organizing two evangelistic meetings. Let's pray that many men and women will come and may God work in their hearts as they will hear Gods Word.

Teenagers club

Every Saturday at 16 hour we gather with a group of 5-10 teenagers. We study the Word of God together and we play games. We pray that God will work in their hearts.



Children from Huzum



As the school year passes by we continue to invest in the children that come to the Day Centre in Huzum. Please keep praying with us for a worker who will work with the children daily.

Youth of Micleuseni

As the new year started we handed out new Bible reading plans and we pray that this will be a help for the youth to read the Bible. We also discussed with each one how things are going and asked how he/ she wants to be involved in the different activities going on at the church and the villages around us. God bless the youth!

Supporting the work:

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