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Greetings Friends,

We want to thank you all for your continued prayers/support for the work here in the Netherlands. God has been blessing in mighty ways since the last report. We have seen spiritual growth in many, and God has brought several visitors. We are expecting more visitors as the Christmas season is upon us and are looking forward to our street evangelism during this time. We have some Christmas themed Chick tracts to hand out over the next few weeks. Psalm 126:5, "They that sow in tears shall reap in joy." Pray we be burdened for the lost as we go! By God's grace, we have battled through some physical and spiritual attacks, and are ready to see what the Lord will do through the New Year. We have some things upcoming, and in the works, that are very exciting.

This year, since New Years Eve Day is on Sunday, we are planning a special "Praise and Prayer" service. I have been teaching on the topic of prayer and this Sunday will end that series. We are praying that the Lord will really help the church see the value and importance of a prayer life. Lisa and I have started discipleship with 2 couples recently, and it is really a blessing to see the growth in them. There are also others now involved in discipling. We have a young man that believes the Lord has called him to preach, so I have matched him with another young man. This will give him an opportunity to grow in his ministry skills. I am also hoping that I will be able to begin discipleship with the new convert in the upcoming week, and Lisa will begin discipleship with the woman that was saved soon as well. I have mentioned in past reports about the man in our church that works at a refugee camp. There is now a possibility for us to be able to have a Bible study with these refugees. I believe this will be a great opportunity for some of the men to grow in their preaching and ministry skills, as we train them to have their own ministries. There was a family that had contacted me over a year ago (March 2022) about the church and said they would be coming. You get a lot of that, but every time I get an email about a family coming, I add it to the church prayer list. Two weeks ago, they actually came. It was a real encouragement for the church to see another prayer answered.

As the season changes here, there's always needed prayers for our health. We are out in the weather a lot. Yesterday we walked nearly 6 miles putting church tracts in mailboxes. We are systematically inviting the whole city of Hilverum to church through this method. So far, this has been the most effective way to see people come, at least once. We are continuing street preaching through the winter, pray for souls to be saved through the tracts and street preaching. As we witness on the streets, pray that we have the wisdom to show people that all the problems going on in the world are not caused by our Lord, but by the sinfulness of mankind, and that the Bible has predicted all these events. Pray for the discipleship ministry to continue to grow and more to commit to discipling others. Please petition the Lord to give us wisdom in the ministry. With new people comes new challenges and I am not always good at handling some of these things. Pray for each other as we see the day approaching.

Love in Christ, Eric & Lisa

