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UPCOMING EVENTS

Conference Meetings:

- Beaver Creek – Saturday, January 17, 2026, Parkway Free Will Baptist Church, Boiling Springs, SC. Registration starts at 9:30, with the meeting starting at 10:00 and service at 11:00.
- Central – Saturday, January 10, 2026, Cornerstone FWB Church, Whiteville, NC
- Eastern – Saturday, December 13, Cornerstone-Fellowship FWB, Manning, SC
- South Carolina – January 22-23, 2026, Cyprus Grove Church, Effingham, SC
- True Life – Saturday, January 17, 2026, Bethel FWB Church, Fort Mill, SC
- **2026 STATE** Association Meeting – February 26-27, 2026, Turning Point FWB, 104 Fairview Church Rd, Spartanburg, SC 29303
- [For more details and events, click here](#)

*"...his name shall be called Wonderful, Counsellor,
The mighty God, The everlasting Father,
The Prince of Peace" Isaiah 9:6*



Missionary Updates

Jonathan and Amy Postlewaite (Bulgaria)

Greetings from Bulgaria

Here are some ways that you can be praying for our ministry in the city of Pleven and the surrounding region:

Please pray for our church in the village of Odurne. While we have been encouraged by some real discipleship that has happened among the small group of believers in the church, we would love to see more disciples made among others in the village. Please be praying that God would tear down the spiritual strongholds that are preventing people from seeing their need for true repentance in order to find salvation in Jesus Christ. Pray that the people in our church would be emboldened to share their faith with their family members and neighbors as well.

Please be praying for "I". He was suspicious of our church when his long-time girlfriend and son started coming to church, but has recently attended a couple of events. We are hoping that he will join us when we share a Thanksgiving meal with our weekly Bible study group. Pray that "I" will come to understand his need for Christ. Pray also that he will understand that it is God's will for he and his girlfriend to raise their son together as husband and wife, instead of in their current arrangement.

Thank you so much for praying!

Please let us know if you have any questions about our ministry.

In Christ,
Jonathan Postlewaite



The Morgans (Spain)

We recently had a Nerf event in our town and had 45 kids register! It was such a blessing to meet so many new people. Please pray that we will be able to build relationships with these families and share about Jesus.

Our next big ministry event is our kids' Christmas program, entitled The Best Gift. We will be advertising the drama throughout the town. Pray that we will have visitors come so they may hear about the gift of salvation—the very "best gift." On a personal note, please pray for our oldest daughter as she finishes her semester at college and travels to Spain to see us. It has been a year since we have seen her, and we are so very excited!

Thanks for your prayers and your support.

Serving Him in Spain,
The Morgans

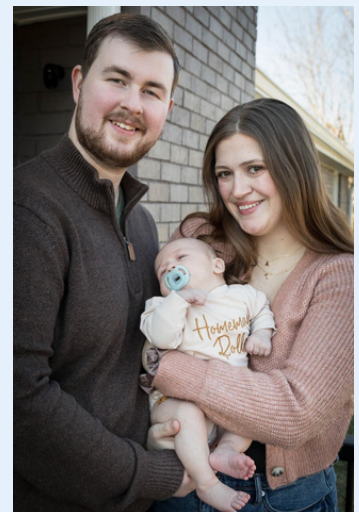


Alejandro and Breanna Johnson (France)

Partners in ministry,

We hope you had a great Thanksgiving with your loved ones. In the spirit of thankfulness, we are excited to be able to share a few pieces of good news with you all! The first is that Alejandro received news from the French government that his visa is being renewed! Praise the Lord! This approval of his renewal means he will not have to go through applying for another visa, which is a great weight off our shoulders, since we've had such difficulty getting Breanna's. Our second item of praise surrounds Breanna's visa! We recently found out that there is a French language study program that has a flexible start date and is willing to help with the paperwork needed for applying for a student visa! Before, a student visa was not possible, as it has a hard start date in September, and as you all know, Theodore was born in September. However, with Theodore being here now and this program allowing people to start their studies at any time, this option for a student visa is on the table for Breanna! Finally, we are grateful for receiving Theodore's birth certificate, as this means we can start applying for his passport! Slowly, we feel as though things are moving again, and we're very grateful for God's provision and timing, as well as your support and prayers. We hope you all have a wonderful holiday season with your loved ones!

The Johnsons



IM News

Join us in praising God for the way He has worked around the world this year through the ministries of IM. YOUR faithful gifts and prayerful support have made a difference. Each number represents ways that the IM General Fund is an investment in getting the Light to a dark world.

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2025 Gifts to the IM General Fund: 278 churches, 11 associations, 8 WAC groups (As of October 16, 2025)

3 New IM Global Partners – North Africa, Mexico, and Togo


WOW! The first French National Association was held in September

CMP 61 students to 16 fields

35 attended the IM missionary retreat

28 WMO Ambassadors representing 14 different states

NEW Bradley & Madison Mercer were appointed as career missionaries.

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PRAISE Jonathan Chereau (IM missionary in France) was ordained

8 New missionaries and field workers

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Give to the General Fund.

THP 10 teams, 56 team members, 8 countries

3 IM missionary kids born this year: Milo White, Theodore Johnson, and Barrett Mercer

5 Missionaries/field workers on the field for the first time: Daniel & Karah (THP), Billy & Sunni Champion, and Faith (THP)

ETeam 98 students, 22 leaders, 11 different fields

2 THP visits to explore opportunities in Italy and Morocco

2025 Leadership Conference

The Neighborhood Church 

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