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Quick Fact
The world-famous Tunnel of Love is located near Kiev, the capital of Ukraine.



**Upcoming
Events**

Passover
April 18th

**Resurrection
Sunday**
April 21st

**Sending
Church**

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Ministering in March

Vivian, Cherith, and their cousin are pictured here "helping" with the congregational singing. Best to start them young! Praise the Lord for the opportunity to begin training them.



"... But God gave the increase." This verse is an encouragement when we go out soulwinning. Fruit is not always readily seen but God is faithful to reward in eternity for obedience to His Word.



This month, Jonathan was able to continue practicing the art of preaching in the Russian language. The message, preparing the people for the Passover, was translated into Russian sign language for the deaf.



For the March 8th banquet, we had 28 ladies attend. Our landlord and her daughter came, as well as a few other first-time visitors. The youngest lady present was about two years old and the oldest almost ninety.



We praise the Lord that Jonathan's friend Zhenya came to church. He said that it was the first time in his life he had ever held a Bible in his hands. He later told us that he would read the New Testament that we gifted him. After 10

months, it good to see how relationship-building is beginning to bloom. Pray for fruit! We want to see him get saved.

Update from Ukraine

This is a very important time in Ukraine right now! And we get to be here. On Sunday, March 31st, the first round of the Presidential elections took place. So much hinges, it seems, on which candidate is chosen. How will Ukraine's relationship with Russia and the United States improve or worsen? How will the laws concerning religious liberty change, if at all?

One of the noteworthy incidents this month was an attempted bombing in the city's subway system by someone whom authorities claim was acting on behalf of a nearby government. Who knows how many would have been killed if he had been successful. There is suspicion that he is not alone. Thank you to all who have been faithfully praying for us! We do not want to think about what might happen if people stop praying.

Nonetheless, we have continued as best we can to remain busy doing the Lord's work here in Eastern Ukraine. We have taken every opportunity given us to participate in the ministries of the local church here. I have been able to verbally witness to people that I have met. One was the lady who cut my hair [risky, I know!] and another was a young man that I asked to help me translate a paper I have been writing for an upcoming event. In three pages the text include many of the Biblical references talking about Christ as the passover lamb, sacrificial lamb, and "Lamb of God." At the end of reading through it, he had some awesome questions which turned into a conversation that lasted after the cafe we were sitting in closed. Pray for him. He is an atheist named Igor.

Earlier this month Katrina was able to exchange phone numbers with another mother and they plan to meet once school is out. English is a tool that we can use, but ultimately it is to then introduce them to the Gospel. We are excited about what God has done this month, and what He will do next month. So much has been planned - pray with us!

Prayer Requests

- For Russia's religious freedom
- For the ministry here in Kharkov
- **For language learning**
- **For a peaceful end to the war**
- For the health of a supporting pastor's wife

Jonathan
Skean &
Family