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# **Prayer and Newsletter July 2015**

### **News from continuing Bible Delivery**



#### Cirencester.

AND THEN THERE WERE TWO!!

It is seldom we have a team of only two, because the team are terribly committed; not only because Bible Distribution is fruitful, but because it is a way of the church going out to people.

I have taken the liberty of changing our names! Naomi and I met in the upstairs room at New Life Church and discovered there were two of us. We asked the Lord to speak to us as to whether to go out or not. He said "go" and, to me, to be brave and courageous like Joshua and Caleb. I love this work but can feel a trifle apprehensive before we set off. Also the Lord said to Naomi "I will turn back the battle at the gates".

Wonderful time of praise and worship and intercession ending with breaking of bread and specific prayer for the area we had done, and this new area.

The Lord gave us such a sweet time! Bibles accepted at each house and young parents keen to listen and each was told the Gospel message, to one we gently explained the difference to the JWs. A mechanic who was very open and I told him his greasy hands reminded me of my sin, he heard the prayer and said he would think about it. One door, such a very angry man, but we had had the warning so were unmoved and the presence of the Lord was tangible. His huge Alsatian came right to the doorway beside him yet was completely soft - did he recognise that presence even though his master didn't?!

Then a family visit where the son who had survived throwing himself off a building has given his life to the Lord. Such peace in that home now, all the team have ministered there.

We came back praising the Lord for His faithfulness to us and His favour. We prayed for them all, tidied up and went home!

Ever grateful to Keith and Pauline for the training and they were praying for us when we went out.

To God be the glory!

Ruth!

#### Hornsea.

Here in Hornsea we are still sowing seeds. The good weather has been a blessing. This year we have been distributing the Bibles under the auspices of the Churches Together in Hornsea, and have felt that people were much more responsive to us. I get the feeling that many folk who do not go to Church have given up on denominations, but are happy to simply talk about Jesus and His love. We are also having the table of free Christian literature in Newbegin again, and especially this last week we had some good conversations.

It was a blessing and an inspiration to attend the Thanksgiving and committal service for Joyce (Matthew's Grandma) last Friday. Viv read three of her poems and they said it all. We pray that those members of her family for whom she has been praying for so long, will really have a confrontation with Jesus.

Joyce, who recently went to be with Jesus at the age of 91, came to faith in her 70's after Keith had visited her, shared Jesus with her, and given her a Bible. She made a commitment to Jesus and believes that her faith began to make real sense after listening to UCB radio. Joyce went onto express her faith in poetry and after a while began to share prophetically with folks through the poems the Lord gave her for other people.

Keith and Pauline, personally, thank Jesus for the honour and blessing of knowing Joyce. The Lord has told you what is good, To do what is right, to love mercy,



To do what is right, to love mei

## **Diary**



## **August**

1<sup>st</sup> – 7<sup>th</sup> Creation Fest KnP attending.

9<sup>th</sup> Keith preaching at Shekinah Church Penzance 11am and 7pm.

16<sup>th</sup> Pauline taking the service at Escalls Chapel 11am

28<sup>th</sup> – 31<sup>st</sup> One Event Micah with a stand at this event.

### **September**

1<sup>st</sup> One Event Micah with a stand at this event.

2<sup>nd</sup> – 30<sup>th</sup> Micah working in evangelism with KAN church Burton

#### October

1<sup>st</sup> – 31<sup>st</sup> Micah working in evangelism with KAN church Burton

2<sup>nd</sup> - 4<sup>th</sup> Trustees meeting.

#### November

13<sup>th</sup> – 27<sup>th</sup> Micah going to Vijayawada, India to take part in a training conference, and evangelism.

#### 2016

<u>February</u> Micah working in Bible Delivery in Camborne Cornwall



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## Please pray for:-

- All the items listed on the diary, both this year, and those proposed for next year.
- Continued health and strength for all the Micah team.
- Continued safety in travelling in the UK and abroad.
- The continued expansion of the work of Micah and the provision of extra personnel, in both the areas of admin and evangelism.
- The church would continue to see the vital importance of sharing the Good News of Jesus in the areas where they are; also that we would GO and reach people WHERE THEY ARE!



#### The blessing of not being superstitious

When Nigel Turner began to make enquiries concerning the purchase of tickets for going to Vijayawada, India, he was expecting to pay around £750 per ticket. In the course of conversation with the booking agent he was told that if we were willing to travel out on Friday November the 13<sup>th</sup> the tickets would be only just over £500 each!

As we are all Christians who know that our times are in His hand, we happily accepted the kind offer!