The Buck Family

Fall 2016

It's harvest time!

Driving home from our last outreach, we saw wheat fields ready for harvesting. What a reminder of the work God is doing here in France! Here are some highlights from the four bus outreaches:

Argenteuil – An Imam comes on the bus for discussion about God, as a result, many other Muslims also hear the Gospel and receive the Jesus film in French and Arabic.

Mornant – Over 300 discussions and prayer with many people who have no hope. The home group continues to grow, and the believers are looking for a larger meeting place for the new church plant.

Wasselonne – Woman prays asking God, "If you exist, send someone to me!" 30 minutes later a team knocks on her door, and she commits her life to Christ in her living room.

Loudéac – A witch doctor is convicted of his sin and weeping, kneels in the middle of a parking lot to repent and give his life to the true God.

Media ministry:

An evangelism training series will soon be available online. Once the editing is complete, French speakers around the world can be trained to reach their communities.

However, *we still need $3200 for the video editing system*. Your gift of any amount will help get this training online, and also help us produce additional training materials.

Word on the Street

City-wide prayer meetings! Believers in Troyes unite now to pray for our city! These meetings, called "Brûle en moi" (Burn in me), began in September. Christians from various churches across the county join together for a time of teaching on the Holy Spirit and prayer for our city and each other. The first meeting had 40 people from five different churches/denominations. Four people were baptized in the Holy Spirit, two people were healed, and many were energized to pray. These meetings will continue every month. Join with us in praying for the fires of revival to ignite in Troyes, and all over France!

Thank you, Ken and Peggy McGowen, MAPS workers who helped remodel the chapel, installed lights in the new TV studio, ran cables for internet throughout the ministry center, and many other maintenance items.

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1 Pray for the children saved during the VBS outreach in Marseille, that they would continue to grow in their faith in Jesus.

2 Pray for the city of Troyes, that God will pour out His Spirit here, and that this city will be transformed.

3 Pray for the towns of Argenteuil, Mornant, Wasselonne, and Loudéac, that these new church plants will grow and prosper.

4 Pray for the leaders who will use the evangelism training, that they will reach their cities.

5 Pray for the funds needed for the media ministry to train French-speaking believers and reach the lost with the Good News.

Thoughts

"Someone asked, Will the heathen who have never heard the Gospel be saved? It is more a question with me whether we – who have the Gospel and fail to give it to those who have not – can be saved."
Charles Spurgeon

Changed Lives

The last week of October we were in Marseille for a Vacation Bible School outreach. We'll give a full report in our next newsletter, but please pray now that the children who made a decision for Christ will continue to grow as they are discipled in weekly Bible clubs.

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