

Ledbetter's IRELAND UPDATE

4.7 million
people...



...who need the
Gospel more
than ever



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For the weapons of our warfare are not carnal, but mighty

through God to the pulling down of strong holds. 2 Corinthians 10:4

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Greetings in Jesus' most wonderful name! We arrived back into Ireland in mid-June, and after a bit of adjustment and recovery from the 14,000 miles of travel for the previous 3 months, we dived back into the Gospel ministry here at full speed. We had such a great time in the United States with our children and grandchildren, and were blessed with many good church meetings and safety as we travelled! Summer has been absolutely amazing so far this year here as well. The Irish sun is spectacular – it never gets and stays this warm like it has for the past 3 weeks! We are so blessed.

The state of things in Ireland and Europe. As predicted, the Covid “digital passport” is being rapidly implemented across Europe. Intense restrictions are being put into place for anyone not complying with vaccination. It is so sad that the kind of Europe that came out of World War II has been quite deliberately changed from freedom to fear, and no matter how many people get the vaccine, the variants will keep coming, and the governments will continue to abuse their powers in preparation for the coming Tribulation. I am so glad to be listening for the shout (1Thessalonians 4:16), but grieve that so many people are looking **to men** for their freedoms, instead of looking to Jesus! This all means that Gospel ministry here is only going to get harder to do, but it only proves that the Gospel ministry is needed more than ever.

Church News. Church attendance is about 75% of what it should be, but we have a great spirit and are committed to growing our outreach and our influence here with the Gospel! We continue to develop our church building and are using it more and more for so many things as a church family. It feels good being together again! And the best news is that two of my grandchildren here in Ireland have gotten saved just this month!

Big Evangelistic Effort... Our Summer Bible Camp begins in a week (Aug 2-6)! We took the idea from Answers in Genesis and wrote up our own program, and it is going to be great! On Mystery Island, the children will discover there really is a God in heaven who made them, loves them and died to save them! They will discover they are more than a body – they are a soul, made in God's image! They will discover what eternal life is like, and what treasures are found in the Bible; and they will discover how to defeat their fiercest enemy, the devil! Would you pray for this week of teaching and fun for children?



So, We Just Keep Going. Sunday Preaching, Weekly Discipleships, Children's Church, evangelism in downtown Cork City, and our Children's Summer Bible Club! I am always humbled and grateful for all that the Lord allows us to do for Him!

Some things to Pray about... 1) Thank you for praying for our daughter Sarah! She graduated from Pensacola Christian College in May, and is now working FULL-TIME (Hallelujah) and in a good place as she transitions to “real life”! 2) Our Bible Club starting next week – for good weather and kids to understand the Gospel and get saved! 3) For several families that recently started attending – to get saved and get disciplined!

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We love and appreciate all your sacrifices for us!
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