Dear Prayer Partners,

Here we are already not only in a new year but a new decade. It seems like time keeps moving faster, which also means we are closer to the rapture. However, before we share about 2020, we want to let you know about Dec. of 2019. December was a blessed month, including the salvation of two ladies who had been attending our services for some time. We are now praying they will continue to grow and be strong testimonies to their families.

We also had the joy of attending the wedding of our first grandchild to get married. Both she and her new husband give clear testimonies of their salvation in Christ and their desire to serve Him. This occasion also brought about a family reunion with all our children and grandchildren. We had not all been together for seven years, so this was an extraordinary blessing in many ways. While in Colorado for the wedding, we were also able to visit five of our supporting churches. Each one was an encouragement to us in their loving and generous care for us. The group of supporting churches our Lord has given us is a precious blessing and we are thankful for each one.

Also, in December, we heard four of our young men preach the short sermons on Sunday morning. In our Sunday services, we have two sermons. One shorter sermon while the children are in with the adults, and one longer one when the children are in Sunday School classes. We are praying the Lord will call some of these young men into His service to become preachers and church-builders in the future.

The calendar of 2020 is already getting full. We are thankful for our continued good health and for all the opportunities the Lord gives us. We would ask your prayers for one particular event. March 20-21, we will be hosting a German Ladies Retreat. We will invite various churches to join us. Our prayer is that souls that are lost will find Christ, and the saved who have become indifferent will return to their First Love, their Lord. Satan always tries to interfere and block these meetings, so we do need you all to pray with us.

May our Lord bless and guide each of you as we all pray and work together for the cause of Christ wherever the Lord puts us. Thank you for your faithful support, not only financially, but most of all, with your prayers.

	Yours for European Souls
thankfully received for the months of	Tom and Sandy Hastings
thankfully received for the months of	Phil. 4:13!

P.S. IMPORTANT: If you ever go several months without hearing from us, PLEASE contact either us directly (by Email or phone) or our sending church! Within the last couple of weeks two churches that had not heard from us since Summer did so let us know and we were able to get email addresses cleared up.

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