

The Buck Family

Summer 2017

Summer of Glory

The Tour de France national bike race had a stop in our city of Troyes this summer, and the Holy Spirit prompted us to organize a street outreach to the race fans. We spoke with local

pastors, trained believers in evangelism, stocked up on water bottles (it was hot!), ordered tracts, and we were ready to go. Surprise! God's plans are always bigger than our plans! The streets were packed with thousands of people, and our team of 14 faithful saints was filled with joy to meet an entire team of evangelists from



the Netherlands who had come to share the Good News! We didn't know they were coming, and they didn't expect us, but there was joy



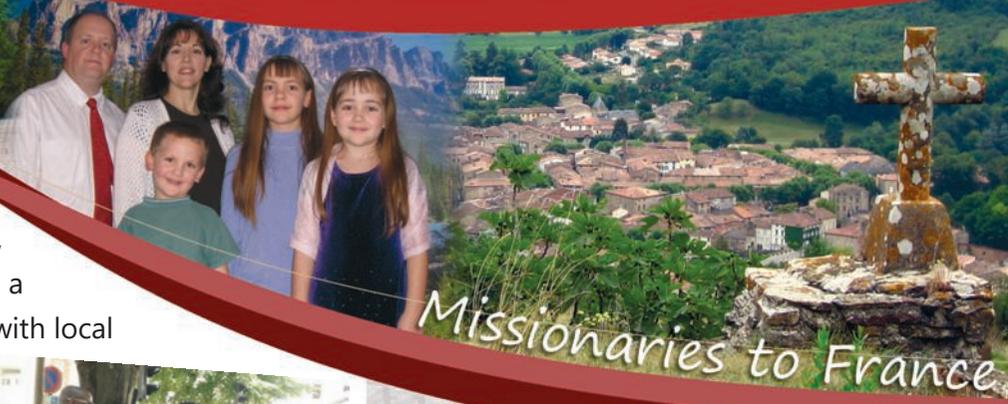
and unity as we joined together and coordinated our efforts. They even brought neon yellow vests to wear. The vests were just like those of the official Tour de France workers, and opened so many hearts to us. Over two days, we gave out over 5000

tracts and had many conversations. The event also strengthened bonds between churches in Troyes. How good and pleasant it is when brothers dwell together in unity!!! (Ps 133:1)



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Missionaries to France

Word on the Street

In Strasbourg, our team of street evangelists found themselves involved in ministry to prostitutes when sharing the gospel near our café bus. Not only were the prostitutes in awe of the power and mercy of God shining through His people, but the believers who were sharing the gospel were awed by God's ability to work with them to do the impossible. Hearts were touched, tears flowed, lives were changed! We serve a God of miracles!



Bursting at the seams

Children's ministry is growing here in Troyes. We have so many children that we couldn't fit them in, and we're using space in the building next door for children's services now. Also, a minister in this city donated a projector - what a blessing!



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Rebecca and friend playing at missions conference



Laughing with friends and family



Buckshots



Water Baptisms



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Thoughts

Each and every prayer is a tiny piece of a great cosmic puzzle, which when fitted together will allow for the completion of the grand picture of the Almighty Lord's plan for humanity and the universe. - **Jason Mandryk**



Believers Unite!

Believers continue to unite at city-wide prayer meetings to seek God's face and to pray for a move of our God in this region and in our nation. Truly the Holy Spirit is at work, and we rejoice to work with Him and see His light shine in France.



As children's ministry here continues to grow, please pray for the transforming power of the Holy Spirit in the lives of these children.

There are open doors for ministry here in France. Please pray that God would send workers into this harvest field.

For wisdom and insight as we continue to produce television programs to reach the lost and to train believers to reach the lost.

Please pray for Rebecca and Jeanne as they work in Children's ministry, that they will experience the joy of working together with the Holy Spirit.

For the moving of the Holy Spirit in France to turn the lost to Christ.