

Immanuel

May 2021 Update

The last month has brought a renewal of joy in one area, and we pray that you are experiencing your version of the same. Namely, we are attending in-person services again, spending time with friends, and I preached at two in-person church services. Online fatigue and distancing have taken their toll on us all, but we have also discovered new virtual tools to reach and train more people. God knows that we need one another "in-person," which reflects a more profound truth in that He wants to be present with us, in us, and work *through us*.

"... and they shall name Him, Immanuel," which translated means, "God with us." (Matt. 1:23 NASB)



As we reported in our last update, Myra is finishing up our Every Nation course on Social Responsibility (SR), and she is halfway through filming. She is also gathering video examples of SR from all over our Every Nation world. This course shows what "Immanuel" means *through us*, as we love our neighbors as ourselves, as we are salt and light and the healing hands of Jesus, speaking and demonstrating truth and compassion to those in need. The gospel begins

with our personal redemption, but it ripples outward from changed lives to healing all that sin has touched.



l doxa aniki ston Theo (Glory belongs to God) Η αγάπη Του μένει για πάντα I agapi Tu meni ya panda

Η δόξα ανήκει στον Θεό

(His love endures forever)

Our teams on the field are doing well, even as some are overcoming health challenges. New team members will be arriving throughout June and July at our church plants in Romania and Croatia, and we continue our online training for most of our leaders. I recently preached online at our church in Nicosia, Cyprus – another 4 am service for me – and the team has been exemplary in studying Greek and translating all our resources into Greek.

Thank you for standing with us as we move forward into greater endeavors.

God bless! Mike and Myra Join Our Partnership Team! Mail support to:

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Prayer Requests

- 1. New & sustained financial provision
- 2. Peace for Ukraine
- 3. Team development for projects in Romania, Czech Republic, Croatia, & Greece
- 4. Visas and registration for new teams in these nations

