Update from Leann and Kevin Woelk

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Eurasia 2023 RECAP

Romans 10:15

And how will anyone go and tell them without being sent? That is why the scriptures say, "How beautiful are the feet of messengers who bring good news!"









God is sending us to Eurasia to bring the good news of Jesus to the children. Click the large picture for a short video. Partner with us in prayer and financial support by clicking the links below.

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EURASIA

God allowed me to meet with these amazing people who are equipping and training disciples of Jesus and who see the importance of reaching the children for Christ.



PAUL AND LYNN KOHLS

Paul and Lynn Kohls are Global Workers for the PAOC and were my hosts in Nitra. Paul is the President of Gateway College and they are both professors. We shared ideas of what a Children's Ministry Course could look like that gives practical applications in children's discipleship that would assist church leaders.



STEPHEN AND PATTI HERTZOG

Pastor <u>Stephen and Patti Hertzog</u> are the Eurasia Regional Directors with the PAOC. They were the most gracious hosts and helped me make all my connections with others in Europe. They showered me with gifts of traditional foods and sweets. Their hospitality and kindness were such an example to me.



PASHO ZSOLNAI

Pasho and Monika Zsolnai have two kids.

He is the newly elected Bishop of the
Apostolic Church in Slovakia. I talked to
him about my desire for children to learn
how God speaks to their hearts and to teach
CM Leaders ways to reach and teach the
children about Jesus. He smiled big and
agreed with how important it is for children
to encounter God for themselves.

SLOVAKIA

I am called to train, support and care for Children's Ministry Leaders. I was in awe of God's faithfulness to provide opportunities to minister on the trip.



DOMI, PETRA, LYNN VERONIKA, ILDI, BARBI, BABY MIRIAM

Children's Ministry Leaders from
Equippers Church in the town of Nove'
Zamky and city of Nitra. I loved their
passion to raise children as disciples of
Christ! They had many creative ideas
and so much energy!

THE GOSPEL MESSAGE WITH SKITTLES

In Kids Ministry, we have to find ways to be relevant to them in our teaching. I love finding everyday items that I can use to share the gospel because the kids can then share the message with friends. I was delighted to find Skittles in a gas station in Slovakia!



KIDS MINISTRY

I had the privilege to work alongside
Petra in Equippers Nitra. It is the first
time I have ever worked with a translator.
I learned that in planning a 30 minute
teaching time, I would only get to do 15
minutes because of the translation time. It
is helping me refine the teaching to
include only the most important parts.

HUNGARY

In Hungary, these men and women of God are evangelizing in parks, gathering people and building the church. Equippers Budapest meets in a Jazz Club that is open for business when the church service is happening!



MIRO AND MARTA TOTH

Miro & Marta Tóth are lead pastors of Equippers SVK and Equippers Budapest. They are planting churches all over Slovakia and now in Hungary. Their son Tobias and his wife Kristina are working with them at the Equippers Church in Budapest.

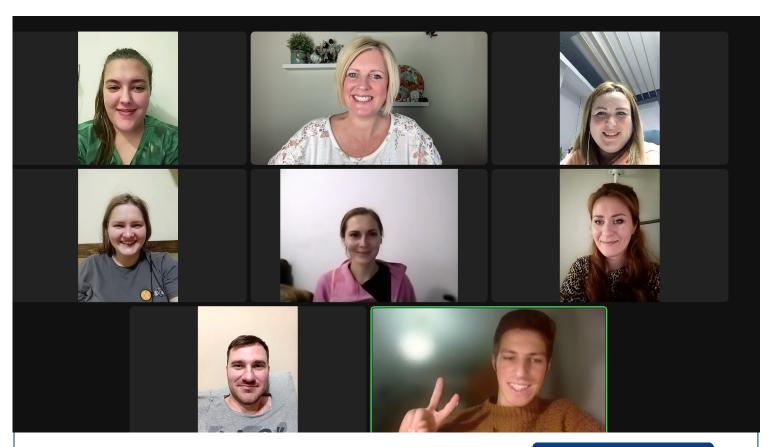
PETER PRESINSKY

This is "one of the Peters" who goes out with teams from Equippers to the parks in Budapest. They share Jesus with whoever will listen and they are seeing many come to faith in Jesus Christ. Peter really enjoyed my "skittles" gospel illustration and said he was going to use it to evangelize at the parks!



MELINDA, SHOSHI, AMANDA AND CALEB

This is the kids ministry team at Equippers
Budapest. Melinda speaks Hungarian,
German and English and is the leading the
kids ministry after the Holy Spirit spoke to
her heart to lead the children. In this
international church, Amanda taught in
English, while Shoshi translated in
Hungarian, and Caleb translated to Spanish
ALL AT THE SAME TIME!





This is the Children's Ministry team from Poltava, Ukraine that I have the privilege of coaching in a monthly zoom call. This training includes prayer, practical application, and teaching as well as a Q&A time. Pastor Bob Jones went to the Ukraine in November and got to meet some of them in person. The Ukrainian Team is eager for me to add them to my itinerary so I can join them as they minister to the children in the 18 surrounding villages.

HWC TRAINING



GOOD THINGS ARE COMING

Praise Reports:

- I made great connections in many places in Eurasia.
- People are excited for me to return with CM training.
- I have a lot of content to use and a way to have it translated.

Prayer Requests:

- Who does God want us to connect with for the next trip?
- What regions does God want us to go to for the next trip?
- What content does God want me to translate and use for training?

Goals:

- Develop a online training network for those working with children in Eurasia.
- Collaborate with the Bible Collage and translators to create content and a course.
- Raise \$7000 for the trip to Eurasia.

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