

I am sitting in front of the computer, in awe before our God who can do everything. Nothing is impossible to God. He gave water from the rock, He gave manna in the dessert. He is the same faithful God who does the same today for His children.

I am writing to you after the shoe boxes from N Ireland arrived...969 boxes...collected one by one by people who love God and love children, adults and elderly people from Romania....
In the middle of the recession, we received the biggest ever number of shoe boxes. Lord, we stay in awe before YOU. God touched Wendy and Phil McConnel from N Ireland to take this responsibility and they have been working so hard for the last few months. God, bless their obedience to YOU. Also, our friends from Blythswood under hard work of Finlay, organized the transport. Isn't God amazing bringing all the hearts together for His plans?!
Lord, You are Worthy!

My friend, our Lord is Almighty and All powerful. He can solve any problem, He can fulfill any needs...why are we so worried? He told us" ***to look for His kingdom first and His righteousness and the rest will be added to us***"(Matt 6:33)...this is His promise and our Abba Father will fulfill it.

1. We had the **medical mission in Biled**. This time, 10 doctors came in the team. They gave their time and knowledge for the Lord, serving the people in that village of 3600 members. Come and take part in the medical mission sometimes. Is there where you can see the pain on the body of patients, where you can also see the damage of sin ...where you can see how the families are devastated by problems, needs and have no hope. The Medical team went there to consult for free, to give medication for free, but most of all to tell about the **GRACE THAT IS OFFERED AS A FREE GIFT FROM OUR GOD.**

Thank you for being in prayer for this mission, for the protection of the team members: Dani and Angi Cociuba-the family that leads the church there.
For Dr Florica, Dr Magda, Dr Roxana, Dr Norica, Dr Elisabeta, for Dr Heshmat, Dr Cornel, Dr Cristi, Dr Benson and me - please, pray for protection against any spiritual attack.
For my husband and all the counselors that were teaching the Word of God.
For the patients that came for consultation.
Medication was received from CrossLink International and the rest of it was bought here. Praise God...His manna is given to us in times of recession as it was given for His people of Israel in the dessert.

2. **Castle project** is taking place these days. **Dawn** from Greater European Mission is the leader of all of us. The team includes: **Amanda and Jennifer** (from Australia-International Teams), **Kait and Kari**(from Canada-Greater European Mission), **Jill and Mary**(from N Ireland-Chosen N Ireland), along with our youth from **Potter's House: Tabita, Mioara, Lavinia, Paul, Adi, Cristina, Adelina, Florina, Gianina, the psychologist NUTI, together with Nelu and me.**
Castle project is done by the team who is doing activities for children in Hunedoara. The mayor allowed the activity to take place in the historical castle of IANCU DE HUNEDOARA. Many NGO's take part in this national project, with the goal to do something different and joyful for children at Christmas time.

Nelu and I had fellowship last night with the youth. We were challenged by the Word of God to motivate the team be different and present the Lord Jesus as the gift from God for our salvation. I personally felt so much gratitude to the Lord for the ways He has worked in these young lives, so that today each one of them is a missionary that goes and teaches the Word of God. I had in my mind an image of Potter's House being a place where children-youth are prepared by God to go and spread the Gospel. Our hearts were melted by the privilege and the responsibility to do this. Please, continue to **pray for the youth and children from Potter's House to walk with God.**

3. **Christmas mission** will begin next week. For the last nine years, we have gone with the children and a message for Christmas to people who don't have the Lord in their hearts. We continue fulfilling the goal this year, going to the lost with a play, songs and shoeboxes.

The schedule is:

Dec 16: Tuesday at 2m- program at the Business Center in Timisoara

Dec 18-Friday at 10 am-program at the Elkana Institution

Dec 18-Friday at 3 am-program at the prison in Buzias

Dec 19-Saturday at 3 pm-program with 250 children from Ukraine in a village called Pietroasa. There will be: children songs, youth play, Bible lesson, craft, games, meal and shoeboxes given. Children will be invited to join the Sunday school class.

Dec 20-Sunday-after church, at 3 pm -program at the nursing home where 78 elderly people will enjoy the smiles of the children and the hugs, as well as the gifts

Dec 20th-Sunday at 8 pm-dinner for all the Potter's House team (staff and volunteers)

Dec 21st-Monday-Bioclinica institution at 4 pm

Dec 21st-Monday-Christmas at the Potter's House

We pray for:

- anointing of the Holy Spirit that everywhere we go, the Lord will speak through each one of us.

-protection on driving.

-resources for every place

...and **good news**: the Project for Extension of Potter's House is going through different steps of approvals...Please, remember this project in prayer daily.

We are grateful to the Lord that you are looking for God's Kingdom and you are a team with us here in extending His kingdom. After the loss of our baby and the car accident, Nelu and I learned that nothing is ours...life, things we own, energy...all comes from above. We give back all to HIM...where are fruits, it is worth all the effort from each one of us there and here.

We are grateful to the Lord for the good teamwork of Chosen N Ireland (Andy and Pauline Fleming), Chosen Germany (Klaus and Christa Schroettel) and Chosen USA (Bonnie Zogby) and Romanian Mission Society (Livius and Mariana Percy) .

Lord, we are giving the glory to YOU...

We remember 1 Cor. 2: 9 and we are humbled to see how God is working, how God is changing our hearts and is blessing us. Everything began at the CROSS where the Lord Jesus died. There is the place we want to go to confess, to praise, to get strength and wisdom...and the Lord will bless us all as He has good plans for us, plans to prosper and give us a hope...(Jer 29:11). **All the glory belongs to HIM.**

Be blessed with His peace and joy.

From Timisoara,
Oana and Nelu Ciucure, Potter's House