

SPRING reminds us Christ's Millennial Kingdom is coming: "For as the earth bringeth forth her bud, and as the garden causeth the things that are sown in it to spring forth; so the Lord GOD

will cause righteousness & praise to spring forth before all the nations," Isaiah 61:11. But that

redemptive work has already begun in those Christ saves, and we have the joy of reporting some

of that work of God to you from the UK! We also have some news to share about this summer!

Dear Pastors and Praying Friends,

In February we were thrilled to welcome

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January - March, 2023

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BIRTHDAYS
Jonathan, 3rd December
Natalie, 2nd June
Laura, 11th March
Anniversary, 27th July

GOALS

- To glorify God in all we do.
- To follow Christ in evangelism and discipleship.
- To plant / replant New Testament Churches.

again Barry and Cheryl Webb for a Family Gospel Mission, with preaching, singing, instrumentals, puppets, and Gospel Chalk Art. We praise God for three souls saved and others speaking with us about assurance! In March, Natalie hosted a tenth annual Ladies Tea, with a "Heavenly" theme. It was well attended, including by a number of visitors, who all heard a lovely ladies' message about Heaven. We also hosted a recent Irish Men's Breakfast with Irish breakfast items and a message on forgiving our enemies and sharing the Gospel, illustrated by the real story of Saint Patrick. I have just returned home from a week of Gospel Missions in the Netherlands. It was an honour to support the efforts of Crown Christian Heritage Trust, preaching the Gospel in five cities and in the classrooms of six schools. There were a number of souls saved and we were able to share the Gospel clearly and plainly with countless people, including students from Alphen aan den Rijn, the town where my father was from before he moved to the USA. It was an incredibly blessed trip!

Coming and Going

It was wonderful to see friend **Brian Stoutt**, who was on a trip with his two boys after his wife died. We enjoyed their ministry of preaching and singing. We've had a number of **new visitors** coming to church lately (keep praying about that building!!). But we were sad to say goodbye this week to Andrew and Jennifer Taylor who are **moving to Australia**.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Popather, Matalie, + Laura V.
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Summer Announcement

This summer, most of June, all of July, and August, we will come to the USA and are extremely thankful and honoured that Scott and Cassie

Caudill have felt led of God to come to Peterborough six of those weeks to fill in for us. The church here will be helped, I know, by their experienced ministry and Christlike demeanor, and by Brother Caudill's

Christlike demeanor, and by Brother Caudill's powerful preaching and singing. We only wish that we could be two places at once to experience it as well. If you or your church has a mission conference or special meeting during the summer you'd like us to take part in, let me know straightaway, and we can try to work our other furlough stops around it.

Praise:

- Souls saved in February and March
- Three young people baptised in March
- Natalie finished our UK taxes for the year
- An encouraging Vision Meeting
- An encouraging Winter Retreat in Wales
- Recovery from a number of illnesses
- Rob & Amanda Smith's safe arrival at CBC Hartlepool to assist the Pavitts

















