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Greetings in the Name of the Lord Jesus Christ from Eastern Europe:

We are so very thankful to all of you who have prayed for us during this time of recovery. By the grace of God we are already in the seventh month since the car accident and I am improving each day, but not yet fully recovered. We are thankful to all of you who continue to support the work of the ministry here in Eastern Europe and would like to share with you some of the fruit of what the Lord is accomplishing.



In spite of the difficulty and challenges of walking on crutches and not wanting to remain in bed, wasting my time, I started to travel again by the grace of God to different places where I have been invited to participate with some of the churches that GMI has supported. We are so very thankful to the Lord for these great opportunities. In the town of Drochia where we helped plant the church many years ago and have spoken about many times in past newsletters, we witnessed that they are still bearing much fruit for the Kingdom of God. Working alongside the national missionary, brother Edic and his team, we were invited to share the message at their water baptismal service. Even then I had to preach the Word of God from a chair (above),



but it has been a great privilege for us to be able to minister and participate in their service.

We were able to stop on the way to purchase some food (left) for the



widows and at the same time to visit some of them in the village, which has been a great blessing and opportunity for us these past few years. This trip we were able to visit with a group of young disciples from Iasi. We visited sister Ana (above with the walker), whom you well know from our newsletters. She is one of the widows who has diligently prayed for our partners of the ministry every day and one we have supported with monthly food supplements. Because



of our friends and partners like you, we have also once again been able to supply them with wood and coal for the winter. These precious saints have been

praying for me to be able to walk since the accident, so it was such a sweet privilege and honor to see them with tears and a special love that they have for us and all of you, as I arrived on crutches.



From there we were able to also visit sister Nina (left) who has been paralyzed and bed ridden going on 11 years. It was an honor and

privilege to be an encouragement to her, singing songs and praying along with her. What a great blessing it was for us to stop and visit her. ***We want to encourage our young people from Iasi, Romania to step forward and move towards the ministry of compassion.***

We are so very thankful to the Lord that we had the opportunity during this time to be able to love on these precious saints and provide them with food. All of these things are possible only because of friends like you who have stayed alongside us and the ministry and continue to enable us to be a blessing to them and helping us to make a difference in this community.



The following Sunday we were invited by the pastor of the church in the city of Drochia that we have worked alongside for many years as well as the evangelists who reach out to the people in this area where the Romanian and Russian population live together. This is a mixed congregation and we praise God for the opportunity to deliver the main message at their water baptismal service. **Five people followed the Lord Jesus Christ's example and were baptized.** You can see from the picture after ministering the Word of God, they were baptized. It was a great honor to be a part where these precious new saints in the Lord made a commitment to follow the Lord Jesus Christ. In our part of the world here and myself coming from an Orthodox background and then receiving the Lord Jesus Christ as my Savior, this is a major step to recognize, to be baptized as an adult. All of the children of the Orthodox faith are baptized as children, but here they are being baptized as adults and it is a great breakthrough. We thank God for this great opportunity and privilege to be able to fulfill the Word of the Lord that says, **"He that believes and is baptized shall be saved"**, Mark 16:15-16.



Now that we are approaching the harsh, cold European winters, we ask that you would pray along with us that once again the Lord, by the grace of God would help us to make a difference in the lives of the orphans and poor children in large families, providing them with a pair of winter boots or shoes.

As many of you know, we receive these at cost and are very high quality (\$35 per pair). We appreciate all of you who continue to support the work of the ministry here in this area as you can see that God is doing wonderful things through the national missionaries and pastors. We are so very thankful for the opportunity to continue to minister in these various towns and villages throughout Romania, Moldova, Transnistria and Ukraine.



As we travel through the roads of the Republic of Moldova, you can see by the pictures of our surrounding scenery that they still use horse and wagon to carry the hay they have gathered for the winter. Even if you may not be able to come and visit yourself, we wanted to share with you what we encounter daily.



We love and appreciate all of you who continue to support us and we pray that we will all be able to prepare ourselves for the soon coming of our Lord Jesus Christ. Thank you for being alongside with us and helping us to make a difference in the lives of the widows, orphans, the elderly, those in the rehabilitation centers and who are in great need. We want to say from the bottom of our hearts **because of you** we are able to continue to do the work of the ministry. May the Lord Jesus Christ bless all of you abundantly in Him.

In Christ

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