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Dear Praying Friends,

Linda and I would once again like to thank each of you for your faithful prayers, encouragement, and financial support. We are continually reminded that the work here in Britain is only possible because of the Lord's grace and the partnership of God's people.

We are thankful to report that our outreach into the local community continues to provide many opportunities to make Christ known. Cake Day continues to go well with new faces coming in through the doors, and our New Testament distribution ministry has seen over three thousand copies given away. It has been a while since someone has attended a service through this ministry, but many have expressed genuine appreciation for receiving a copy of God's Word—though, one gentleman accused me of handing out propaganda for Donald Trump, until I pointed out that the Scriptures came first!

Within the church, it has been encouraging to continue spending time discipling those who have recently trusted Christ and teaching others through regular Bible studies. One young man, Gabriel, will be baptised at our church camp at the end of this month. We value your prayers for him as he prepares to take this significant step in his new life with Jesus.

The theme for the camp itself is 'Running The Race'. Our prayer is that believers will be strengthened in their walk with Christ and that those who have never trusted the Saviour will respond to the Gospel. Please pray that the Lord would work powerfully during these few days together (31 Jul—3 Aug).

Following the camp, Linda and I are planning a trip to Japan to visit several supporting churches before travelling onto Thailand. As many of you know, Linda has continued to experience significant health difficulties over recent months with deep pelvic pain, and while she has been referred to a gynaecologist here, the process is very slow. As Linda is a Thai citizen, we hope to explore specialist treatment options in her home country and, if appropriate, begin treatment there. We would greatly appreciate your prayers that the Lord would provide wisdom for every decision, and undertake for every aspect of the journey. We are, of course, looking forward to renewing fellowship with our sending church, New Life Baptist Church, and sharing what the Lord has been doing here in England.

We also have some wonderful family news: Both Mai and Nattacha have graduated this summer! Nattacha achieved First Class Honours in her Biomedical Science Degree and will be relocating home after the ceremony. She has some big decisions to make for her future and I know she appreciates your prayerful support. Mai, now having got his degree in Business Studies, is planning a trip overseas—likely with a Christian based 'work abroad' scheme where he can learn some new skills and see a bit of the world. Until then, he's been teaching in church and has been an encouragement to us all.

We continue to thank the Lord for those giving toward our future building fund. While there is still a long way to go, every gift brings us one step closer to establishing a permanent home for the church.

Thank you again for standing with us through your prayers, encouragement, and faithful support. Several of you also helped us through a recent financial need. Your kindness was a tremendous encouragement... so thank you, again. We count it a privilege to serve the Lord together with you.

In Christ,
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