

Encourage & Equip

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Please pray...

Praise for:

- Wonderful time at NextGen18.
- Precious time with family and friends during our travels.
- Generosity of all those who hosted us.
- Safety on the roads.
- The opportunities to share our vision for ministry.
- All those who have joined our support team.
- Luca's improved health and a clear blood test result.

Prayer for:

- Patience and grace as we seek to raise Anna and Luca to love and serve our Lord.
- Upcoming events in Sydney and Temora.
- Further opportunities to share with churches and Bible studies.
- More prayer and financial supporters to join us.
- For peace and patience as we continue to wait for God's perfect timing for our return to Romania.

Dear Friends and Family,

The new year has started in full force and we have so much to share, so let's get straight to it!

The Grand Tour.....

What a joy it has been travelling and spending such precious time with family, friends, SMBC alumni and even old teammates from Romania since the beginning of the year. The travelling was tiring, but we are so thankful for everyone who hosted us and generously cared for us at our various stops. We were so thankful to be able to share in so many locations.

- Orange Evangelical Church
- Young Baptist
- Yamba Presbyterian
- Maclean Presbyterian
- Ballina Baptist
- Open Event in Canberra



Family time in Yamba

People at each church signed up to receive our prayer letter and join us in prayer. This was greatly encouraging and essential for ministry. A few individuals and families have also committed to supporting us financially and we greatly appreciate their sacrificial generosity in doing so. It was a pleasure to be able to share our desire to encourage and equip the local Romanian church to share the gospel with children in their communities. If your church or Bible study would like us to share our vision for ministry, we would be more than happy to come. Please contact us to organise a visit.

Let's Sing Sydney!

A great encouragement to our family has been our local church, Burwood Presbyterian and their support of our return to Romania. The music coordinator at our church has generously organised a music event to raise awareness and financial support. We are looking forward to praising our awesome God as well as sharing our vision for ministry.

Saturday 10th March
Burwood Presbyterian Church
3:30pm
Everyone is welcome

One generation commends your works to another; they tell of your mighty acts.
PSALM 145:4

Family Matters



With all of Luca's health concerns, we are happy to share that the paediatrician is happy with how Luca is currently 'tracking'. Whilst she'd love him to bulk up a bit more, we were all relieved when his latest blood test came back clear. We are trying to get as much food into him as possible, but we are thankful that he is developing well. He is generally a very happy, content child who loves to charm onlookers with his adorable smile.

Anna's gregarious, extroverted nature did her well on our travels. She was happy to meet new people and see new sights at each stop along the way. She particularly enjoyed all the

time she got to play in the water, especially daily trips to the beach when we were in Yamba. It was a long time away though, and by the end, even she was asking, "Can we go home now?". She was very excited to dive back into her toys and dress ups when we finally arrived back in Sydney.



When ARE you leaving?

As we have travelled and shared, one question always comes up. When are you planning on leaving? And the answer is always the same. When we have 100% of our support raised and only God knows when that will be. As you may already know, we are reliant on the support and generosity of churches and individuals to make it possible to be able to minister full time in Romania. In short, we are not able to leave Australia until 100% of our monthly support is pledged.

Since the beginning of the year some more individuals have come on board, so we are currently sitting on 57% at the moment. In the last prayer letter we shared that we were hoping to return by April, as ECM is holding their biennial conference in Spain in April. Unfortunately, we have had to give up that idea as our support levels are not high enough to be depart by April. Once our support hits 80% we are able to book tickets and prepare to leave, trusting that by the time we leave, our support will be at 100%.

So, if you have been considering joining us through regular prayer and financial support and would like to know more about supporting us in this way, please follow the directions at the bottom of this prayer letter, contact us or the ECM office and we'll be able to show you how. There are even ways for our friends in the USA, UK, NZ and Europe to be able to give, just ask and we'll tell you how. It doesn't matter how big or small the contribution is; every little bit counts and it all adds up and enables us to return to Romania.

Thanks so much for taking the time to read this newsletter and joining us on our journey back to Romania. We would love to hear from you, and feel free to let us know how we can be praying for you. Once again, if your church or Bible study would like us to share our vision for ministry, we would be more than happy to come. Feel free to contact us to organise a visit.

God Bless,

Adi, Jennifer, Anna & Luca

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