

Rummeys in Romania

February 2012

Dear Missions Committee at West Highland,

During the first few weeks of February the weather was very unstable. Thanks to those of you who heard the news of the snow in Romania and contacted us to see if we were okay. Our city itself received a good portion of snow but not like some cities / villages on the other side of the Danube where snow covered the houses up to their roof. Of course now that the weather is warming up the authorities are issuing warnings of possible flooding as the snow melts quickly. Due to the unfavorable weather the meeting in Galati and the National Teacher's conference were postponed. As well there were a few times Mike was unable to go to the smaller churches in the county to do the study with the men due to road closures. We trust that spring is now on its way!

Thank you for your prayers for those involved in the discipleship group, they continue to grow and have some good questions. Mike has been enjoying teaching Bible study methods with a few men in two smaller churches in the county.

Mike taught a CMI course this past month and there was a good number that attended and participated. He was also able to introduce the Good Soil material (ABWE's evangelism and discipleship material) to a group of leaders from the church in Tulcea as well as those from the churches in the county.

Upcoming activities:

March 2-3: Mike teaching a course in Olanesti (for workers/ leaders in the Valcea county)

March 6-8: Team meetings in Bucharest

March 17: John Taylor, a teammate from Ukraine, teaching a CMI course in Tulcea

March 23-24: Couples' conference in Tulcea (Bethel Baptist Church)

March 31: Sunday school teacher training for the teachers here in Tulcea as well as those in the county churches

We would ask you to pray for safety as we have some traveling to do over the next couple of weeks. Thanks for your prayers and your interest in the ministry here in Romania.

With the hope of eternity,

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