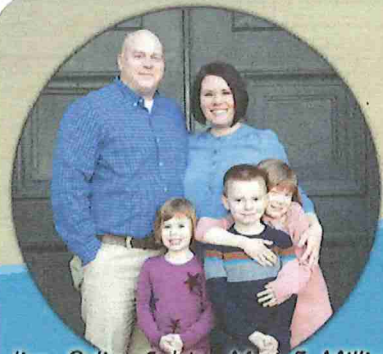


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France The White Family



Jim, Adie, Cubie, Mac & Millie



It's been good to be back in France! It's hard to believe that we've been back nearly three months already. We've been keeping busy filling in for our friend, James Carney, at his church in a village named Hierges, while he and his family were away on a short furlough.

We were blessed to have a wonderful Easter service at the church in Hierges and it was good to see a few familiar faces who have been out of church lately. The spirit was very sweet, and we had a short fellowship after the service. A few weeks later, we celebrated Ascension. While this is typically a Catholic holiday celebrated 40 days after Easter and marked by a national day off here in France, we used it as an opportunity to gather, praise the Lord, and reflect on His resurrection and promised return! We had a couple people attend that don't often come. One lady who came, Karine is an unsaved friend of a faithful member, Yvette, and we were thankful she was able to hear the gospel! Our prayer is that more folks will be reached, saved, and disciplined through the work in Hierges. It was a privilege to spend time serving there!

Damien used to be a Sunday school teacher and a faithful church member in Hierges but due to some poor decisions, he stepped out of church and now only comes on special days with his girlfriend, Ludivine, and their four-year-old son. Our prayer is that God will touch his heart and that he'll start walking faithfully with the Lord once more. Please pray for Ludivine. She and Damien contacted me a few weeks ago to tell me that her father, Michel, was gravely ill and close to death. Less than 14 hours later, they let me know that he'd slipped off into Eternity. While Michel had heard the gospel it's uncertain if he ever trusted in Christ. Damien asked if we could hold a service for Michel at the

church. A few days later we held his funeral and while only two people outside his immediate family and the church family were present, they certainly heard a straightforward presentation of the gospel. Our prayer is that the lost who attended will accept Christ and be saved!

Our family is doing well but we have a couple of prayer requests for health. Millie has her ups and downs as a Type 1 Diabetic. We've had several weeks of her numbers really fluctuating more than usual and that has been difficult as it's affected the way she feels and can even change our plans someday. Please keep Mac in your prayers as well. We found out in February that he has a rare condition where the nerves in the bottom of his stomach can get irritated and lead to cycles of stomach aches and vomiting. This unfortunately usually happens in the early hours of the morning and can last up to four hours at a time. Thankfully, his doctor in the US has prescribed some medications for when flare ups occur but sadly, they have no permanent cure and said this could be an issue he struggles with for life. We're praying he grows out of it which they said is a possibility! Thankfully, he doesn't struggle with this all the time as it comes and goes in cycles. Please pray we can determine some triggers, as the doctor said that the cycles are usually brought on by various causes. So far, we haven't put our finger on anything definite. We've just finished up our time at the church in Hierges and are now back at our church in Charleville-Mezieres with our ministry partners, the Flowers. It's good to be back in our church again and we are excited to see what the Lord will do this summer through the church and various other outreach opportunities.

Thanks again for all your constant prayers and support. We are grateful for them all!