## Ledbetter's IRELAND UPDATE

4.7 million people...
...who need the Gospel more than ever



For the weapons of our warfare are not carnal, but mighty

through God to the pulling down of strong holds. 2 Corinthians 10:4

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I can't thank you all enough for praying for my wife and I as we serve the Lord Jesus here in Ireland! Nita and I are so thankful for all the opportunities that God constantly gives us to minister the Gospel of the grace of God – and believe me, there are many opportunities! Your support and prayer for us keeps us here and ensures that the powerful work of the Gospel continues to go AGAINST the world system, and breaks through the confusion and darkness of so many of the Irish people! By the way, we were very blessed by all the Christmas cards we received from so many churches and individuals in December! Thank you for your love and kindness!

The best news... Two souls saved so far this year! A man named Brian asked all the right questions at our Freedom from Addictions meetings, and wanted to know that he really could ask Jesus to save HIM from his sins and give him a whole new life! Also, another name named Sylvester was led to Christ by one of our men!

**Two other new people just started Discipleship.** Besides all that goes with being a missionary, I, and a few others are discipling **14 people** every week in my First Principles Discipleship Bible Study Course. I love discipling new believers, and I love preparing mature believers to disciple new believers! There are several more waiting to start the course! And that is a good thing!

**Upcoming Gospel witness during the annual Patrick's Day Parade.** This year, our float will be a huge *Lion's Den*, with Daniel himself resting in the midst of some loudly roaring, hungry, life-sized, beautifully painted lions that God had marvellously protected Daniel from! We have two teams of people from the States coming over to help us give the Gospel door to door here in Ballincollig, and then in the Parade! We will be using specially written tracts we designed and had printed. I can't wait for Patrick's Day!



Our Christian Men's Camp is coming up at the end of April, and we are preparing to learn the hard truths about TRUSTING God from the life of Abraham's son *Isaac*! Too many people only "believe in God" but do not trust Him enough to obey Him. This year's nationwide camp aims to change that! Please pray we have a great attendance and for a great work of God in all our hearts!

We are getting ready to celebrate our Church's 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary in June of this year! This is going to be BIG! Evangelist Bruce Frye will be here, preaching all week! We will have the main church service OUTSIDE in an open field (Lord willing and the weather holding), and are inviting an unbelievable number of people to come to hear the Gospel at this special Church Service! Following the Anniversary Service, Bruce Frye will continue preaching throughout the week, and then help us reach teens during our Target the Heart evangelism blitz!

WOULD YOU PRAY FOR THESE NEEDS? 1) For 2019 to be the most fruitful year ever here in Ireland. 2) For our Patrick's Day evangelism outreach. 3) For our Church's 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Services. 4) For these precious people to trust in Christ: Mari, Declan, Shannon, Joe P, David S, and Kerri M. 5) For these new Christians to grow: Ino B, Obi F, Mikey C, and Chris M, Paddy C, Allen S, James M, and Darlene E. And 6) for several un-named people who are really struggling with life right now. God knows!

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Craig & Nita Ledbetter in Ireland

