



CHURCH PLANTING IN UKRAINE, ANATOLY KOSYANCHUK

4th Quarter 2010 Report

October 2010 Borivka

This month, the Lord opened the door to Provedeny with our first two meetings. About 20 children 10-15 years old gathered. We hope that through these meetings we can establish friendships and be able to show them the path to Christ. Please pray for this outreach. In November, Lord willing we plan to dig a well near the church.

Komarivka

This month many various events took place. Harvest holidays were held this month. About 65 people, of whom 20 were unbelievers, and other guests from 4 churches and a choir from Bilogorodka. There were many sermons, singing and thanksgiving to God.

We began to conduct studies in discipleship, and noticed women interested to grow more in Christ. The women of the church study the Scriptures from house to house and invite to their neighbors to these studies. Also Lord opened the doors to the school and for the past 3 weeks we have meetings with more than 20 young people 14-16 years old. We ask you to pray for these two projects.

In November, we want to conduct work with alcoholics since almost all the men of both villages are lost in this sin. Several of those who repented are attending meetings, but they are harassed by relatives that many have surrendered.

Many thanks to all for your prayers and blessed support. The Lord blessed me with a computer notebook, and I already print these reports myself. Praise the Lord.



November 2010 Borivka

Glory to Jesus Christ. Here we have started real winter. The bell has not yet rung, but it's in the air. The classes at school continues, although the enemy is trying to array children and neighbors against us. About 15 teenagers agreed to try their hand at a theater production. This week will be the first meeting; we will begin to practice for the Christmas play. We want to put on an evangelistic play for the Christmas holiday.

The Sunday school and music schools are continuing. The number of kids is still small, but they attend happily, knowing that here people wait for them and love them.

And God supports His children in different ways and feeds and clothes and cleans up abundantly. Please pray that in winter we could go with the Gospel to another village. In this village is a very strong resistance, but we know that the Lord will win.

Thank you dear brothers and sisters. Praise the Lord.

Komarivka

Praise the Lord for your prayers for the village and our family. This month, as always the Lord Jesus richly blessed both the labor and gave protection against any attacks from different enemies. In the church there continues to operate a music school, which four students (2 young ladies and 2 small children) attend. They already are learning a Christian hymn and learning to pray.

There also continues to operate an apprenticeship program so that nurses have begun to understand more about nature and purpose for each of them in Christ. In December, we want to try to start another group for adults, with whom the ladies of our church are already working with our support, and it is beginning to grow disciples.

I've begun to work with men, who are alcohol-dependent. Right now 3 people are coming, but they have a great desire to continue our meetings and they want to invite other men as well. We talk concerning the topics that interest them, drink tea, read the Bible and watch useful videos (the laptop-computer is very helpful, both here at school and even at services). Their names are Ivan, Nick, and Victor; please pray for them. Ivan expressed his desire to turn his life away from alcohol and smoking. I'm looking into opportunities to get him into the rehab center.

In the school we continue to hold a class. Already not just the students but the teachers, too, wait for us; they have been asking many questions about the Bible. In December, we want to start a theatrical circle with children and invite them to get involved with a Christmas play. Please pray to you for these projects and for the opportunity to find gifts for Christmas evangelism.

And we hosted the Day of the Bible with the support of the Ukrainian Bible Society in which we learned a lot about the past and the future of our Bible.

Thank God for everything and for you.



December 2010

Borivka

Praise the Lord for His mercy and care. We thank you for your prayers. Through joyful testimonies, we want to share about how the Lord expands His borders through a school.

This month we began a teenage theater group for 12 - 16 kids ranging in age from 12 to 16 years. After a few rehearsals, children began to attend Sunday school and some joined the music circle. Concerning us, they say that various people say various things, and these teens, not knowing us, were afraid to go to church. Although in the summer almost all of them were in the camp. We do not know why they are afraid; only time will tell. But I want to believe that this is their sincere desire. Although for a long time in services we heard mostly adult voices, recent meetings have heard noisy and joyous praises to Christ. Three children already pray independently, and the eldest girl Tanya opens her heart to the Lord, but she has "friends" who are trying to hold her back. We ask you to pray for her and other teenagers.



On December 27 at the school will put on a performance called "Grandpa Kolya's Christmas." We pray that guests will be open to receive the good news of the birth of the Messiah. Thank you all for your prayers. The Lord took care of the opportunity to make small gifts for all the children. With love in Christ,