

Csaba and Ilona Veres

Location: **BODASZOLO, Hungary**
Mission: **Church Planting and Outreach**



Jeremiah 29:7 'But seek the welfare of the city where I have sent you into exile, and pray to the LORD on its behalf...'

As we look to the year ahead with prayer, planning and mission committee meetings, we wish to take up the challenge of Jeremiah 29:7 to be faithful intercessors for our 'city' to take to our heart the residents of Bodaszőlő to pray and earnestly seek their salvation and welfare.

As we meet to pray, we have been concentrating on praying for salvation of individuals and families, peace with God, peace with one another, just leaders, just laws and a thriving community of people in Bodaszőlő.

In February our small group gathered for Bible study on two occasions and twice for Sunday worship. The team have a strong focus on serving those on the margins and three Saturdays were taken up cooking food for over 100 each week, delivering the food and sharing with those we met.

Ilona enjoyed an hour subbing in the local kindergarten and helping in the afterschool program with children from grades 1-8. We have started door to door work in the village and family visits have been a time of welcome and blessing.



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March 2024

As we look towards Easter and make plans for outreach and services, we pray for opportunities to build relationships and break down barriers. In March we will begin a weekly women's group and pray it will be a welcoming group where we grow closer together and are challenged by Women in the Easter story.



Prayer Points

- Give thanks that our residency papers were obtained quickly and that we had a joyful experience sharing our calling at the immigration office.
- Give thanks for new friendships formed and building of relationships in Bodaszőlő with both the team and families and individuals.
- On March 9th together with a group from Bodaszőlő we will attend the annual National Gypsy mission reunion in Budapest. Pray for an encouraging time of worship, prayer and celebration of what God is doing in Roma communities.
- Pray that many in Bodaszőlő will take up our Lenten bible reading/audio challenge focussing on a passage from the book of Mark each day and that this will open up opportunities for deeper conversations.
- Pray for many to attend the women's group and that God's living and active word would speak to our hearts.
- Pray that God would prepare the hearts of those we meet in door to door visitation, for deep conversations and an openness for the gospel.