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Children's address for Spring Blaze Digital Dispatch *with Rosie Kennedy*

Note to minister or others taking children's address

Below are ideas for how to top and tail the Digital Dispatch from Rosie Kennedy to be used this spring. The Dispatch is part of the next set of resources for the Blaze the Bee initiative.

****DO NOT MENTION BEFORE THE VIDEO THAT ROSIE IS IN ROMANIA****

Do any of you know anyone in our church who can say "hello" or "good morning" in a different language?

See if there is anyone in the congregation who can speak another language.

Some people may be able to say hello/good morning or maybe lots more in different languages in our church but we also all understand English and the words that are spoken from the front. In some countries though, the congregation may be made up of people who all speak different languages and do not necessarily all understand the language spoken by the minister.

Blaze the Bee has gone on a trip in the last couple of weeks to meet one of our global mission workers and learn what they have been doing to help others where they live, using their gifts and talents.

Let's watch the video and see where Blaze has been!

****video of Digital Dispatch****

Steve and Rosie Kennedy are using their gifts that God has given them to help those in Cluj-Napoca to learn about God but in some services in the church they support, the sermon and prayers and other parts of the service have to be translated into their language – Romanian, Hungarian or English. Steve and Rosie also run an English-speaking service for those in the city for whom English is their main language. It must be amazing to hear all the different voices and words spoken in the city and in the church.

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We may all speak the same language, but what can we do to help people understand church and what the Bible says better?

(Get some ideas from the children.)

Let's pray for Steve and Rosie in Romania using the prayer points from the end of the video:

1. Thank God for the translation work done every Sunday.
2. Pray for all those in the city, who are making Cluj-Napoca their new home.
3. Pray for the children in the kindergarten and the Ukrainian After school Club, for their English classes, and the opportunities for us to share the love of Jesus.