



HOPE FOR Youth- MINISTRIES

SPRING/SUMMER 2022

PRAYER LETTER

- 40 x 40-foot lorries sent to Ukraine
- Summer Camps in Poland
- School Bible Clubs resume after 2 years
- New Book on the Old Testament



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Areas in Poland & Ukraine where the aid from Northern Ireland has arrived



OVER 40 LORRIES
DRIVE TO POLAND



"Rejoice evermore,
pray without ceasing. In everything give thanks,
for this is the will of God."

1 Thessalonians 5:16-18



In February this year, we conducted children's camps in Warsaw, Gdynia and near Wroclaw in Poland. We were really blessed and encouraged by the efforts of our volunteers and most of all, it was a privilege to witness the salvation of many Polish children. We have now taken 63 teams to Poland and God-willing, we plan to return this summer to do more!



With the war in Ukraine breaking out during our 3 weeks

of children's camps in Poland, we found ourselves well-positioned to be a link between Polish churches seeking to help refugees and kind-hearted folks in Northern Ireland offering help.

We shared details on how people could donate essential items or money on social

media and within a fortnight, the items received filled over 40 x 40-foot articulated lorries and over £250,000 was received. Together with our ministry colleagues in Poland we planned the logistics in Poland and Ukraine, so 12 of the lorries went to various churches / refugee centres around Poland and the rest had their cargo transferred to Ukrainian trucks that took the aid directly to the areas worst affected by the war in Ukraine.

We have been completely overwhelmed by the concern, kindness and generosity of people from all backgrounds and communities in Northern Ireland. It was also a surprise to be contacted by the BBC and UTV news teams to give reports on the operation. We trust those who watched the articles were encouraged that Christianity is very practical and there are many kind people in Northern Ireland!



School Bible Clubs & Assemblies have now returned after 2 years. Delighted to be back doing live Bible Clubs in Schools. Our online ministry still puts out 6 programmes per week. This includes a Sunday School and five daily School Assemblies.



2022 is a special year for us as we celebrate 25 years of Christian ministry as a couple, and also 15 years working under the banner of Hope for Youth Ministries. To celebrate this occasion with our volunteers and friends, we have organised a special dinner in Armagh City Hotel on Friday 6th May. If you would like to purchase a ticket please contact us.

Colin & Joanna's Double Celebration
25 YEARS IN MINISTRY
15 YEARS OF HOPE FOR YOUTH MINISTRIES

4 Course Dinner
Armagh City Hotel
Smart Casual

Friday 6th May 7:30pm
Age 16+ Tickets £30

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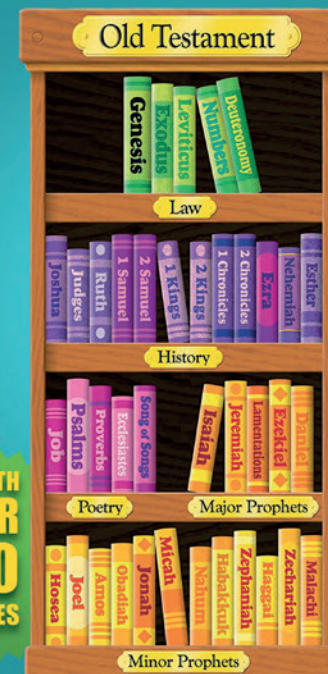


In addition to recording daily school assemblies for our YouTube channel in recent times, we also did an online Sunday School, looking at the books of the Old Testament. Many parents fed back that both they and their children found the series really increased their knowledge, understanding and

appreciation of the Bible. Subsequently, we published a new book as a written version of the series, with over 1,000 colourful pictures to highlight the major events and common themes of the Old Testament. I pray that as a result of reading this book, children, teens and adults will have a greater desire to read the Bible themselves.

Books of the Bible

THE OLD TESTAMENT EXPLORED



WITH
**OVER
1000
PICTURES**

BY
COLIN
TINSLEY

This book is available in Christian book shops or online at
www.hopeforyouthministries/books.

Tollymore Bible Camps July 2022

- Camp 1** 8-10 (Family)
- Camp 2** 11-14 (Kids)
- Camp 3** 15-17 (Youth)
- Camp 4** 18-21 (Kids)
- Camp 5** 22-24 (Family)
- Camp 6** 25-29 (kids)



Kids Camp Ages 8-14
Youth Camp Ages high school plus

Applications
available
ONLINE from
Easter Monday
18th April



DATES FOR summer camps IN **POLAND** 2022

25th June - 3rd July
6th - 14th August
13th - 20th August
23rd - 29th August
1st - 4th September



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