

FUTO FORUM

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Dearest family, friends, and prayer partners,



Thank you so much for partnering with us and praying for us. We often sense we are being prayed for and often sense our overwhelming need of prayer for the church plant. Without the Lord softening the hearts of people in Hungary and making them receptive to the gospel, all of our work is in vain. Please join with us in asking the Lord for great things. We continue to see lots of people come to the Sunday service -about 100 people, as well as new people coming, but please pray with us for God to do a miracle and cause people to become born again! Let us pray together until the light breaks through the darkness.

1. Our worship leader had to step down two weeks ago because of issues in his life. He really needs to find healing and reconciliation with past hurts. Please ask the Lord to continue to speak with him and encourage his heart. Our piano player is on staff with CRU, so she has to skip worship services often

because of conferences, etc. Another gal who is a wonderful singer, her mother was just diagnosed with cancer, so she will have to step out for the next months as well. So **please pray for the Lord to send musicians and people to help with worship.** This is such an important part of the church. Tündi and Hajni have been doing a great job in the meantime of filling in, but Tündi seems to be filling in everywhere.

2. There are 8 wonderful men in the church who have just stepped into positions of taking on important responsibilities and 4 others who are also serving our church in many different ways. The Lord has brought 12 excellent men to the church these past months. Please pray that the Lord will continue to shape them and form them to become a team of future leaders for the church. Please ask the Lord to give me much

wisdom and courage as I initiate the discipleship process with them and that they would all want to go through the membership process. I am hoping to start meeting with them as a group once a month and then meet individually with them as well. Our young church plant desperately needs male leadership. **Please ask the Lord to do a miracle and raise up men after His own heart who will become the future shepherds of God's people.**

3. Please pray for our youth group that the Lord would bless us with young people who become born again. Right now we have about 20-30 high school kids in some way involved in our youth program. Many of them have come through my daughters -Hajni and Csenge -inviting them. We have some believers, but for the most part, the kids are either religious in their background or nihilists in their worldview and not too interested in coming to the worship service Sunday morning. **Please pray for the Lord to do a mighty work in the hearts and minds of the youth, and cause many to become born again.** Please pray especially for Hajni as she is 17 yrs. old and right in the center of the battle and surrounded with darkness in her school. Tündi and Hajni are trying to read the Bible every night together. Please ask the Lord to speak mightily to them during this time. Praise God, Csenge is doing much better in her faith. Please pray for the Lord to do a miracle and raise up many young people who become wonderful friends and want to reach their classmates for Christ. This coming Saturday I will be teaching on whether true happiness is something that can be found or not. Many of the youth in Hungary don't

believe it exists anymore. The soil in Hungary is very hard. Please pray for these young people. I am trying to spend as much time as I can with the youth and we will take them to Austria for our youth camp August 12-17th.

4. Please pray for Tündi as she is in the midst of making a decision of whether or not to pursue an online degree from Westminster seminary in counseling. The program looks excellent and she is very excited. This would be a huge commitment of time and money. She is thinking about this degree, because she already does so much counseling and enjoys helping people. In the meantime, between 8-12 people are coming regularly to the choir practice on Friday nights. That is difficult for Tündi after having so many people singing in the choir for years here in Biatorbagy. Please pray for the Lord to encourage her and to lead her to the next step. Currently she is intensely preparing to take the TOEFL test, which is the English examination required for the diploma. It is a very rigorous examination.

5. **Pray for me that I will be able to boldly proclaim the gospel and preach it in such a way as it ought to be preached.** Ephesians 6:20

With lots of love, from Hungary and the girls too,

Rob

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