



the Pinson Family

Missionaries to the US Military in Europe

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Dear Co-laborers in Christ,

Proverbs 22:6 says, "Train up a child in the way he should go and when he is old, he will not depart from it." On May 23, our oldest son, Joel, graduated from high school. He has been homeschooled his entire life, so we held a graduation ceremony at our church. Several first time visitors attended. Our missionary friends, the Williams and the Taylors came to help translate for eight Belgium families who attended, but could not speak English. Several people that Joel has met at his job, bagging groceries, came to the service as well. The gospel was clearly given in Joel's speech and in my sermon. No professions of faith were made that day; however, the seed was planted. Joel is planning to attend West Coast Baptist College in the fall. Pray for him as he continues to seek the Lord's will for his life. Also, pray for us as we will be leaving a child in the US and returning to the mission field. Joel has literally been my "right hand man" for the past few years. He is the Jr. Church teacher, song director, sings specials, and does many other tasks. He will be greatly missed!



Our church is doing well. Several visitors have attended, and our Sunday evening and Wednesday attendance is doing great. Praise the Lord our people are realizing the importance of faithfulness. A few weeks ago I was able to lead Jared to the Lord. He has been attending church sporadically for several months. It was such a blessing to see him trust Christ for salvation. We just finished up our first year of Master Clubs. Many of the children have grown so much in the Lord. It is a joy to see them memorizing Scripture. During the summer, many of our faithful workers will be returning to the States to live. Please pray with us that God will provide the necessary workers to continue all of our ministries. In the last month, two new families have joined the church. Both families are from Independent Baptist churches, and are very faithful. In a military ministry, it is not often that we have two good families arrive at the same time. Praise the Lord for this blessing!



Our next big activity will be VBS. Throughout our years of ministry, this is without a doubt the outreach that yields the most results. Our people are beginning to get excited about helping out. Please pray with us that many souls will be saved and families reached with the Gospel.



Thank you so much for your continued prayer and financial support. So many of you are a great encouragement to us. All the birthday cards, e-mails, etc. are greatly appreciated. May God richly bless you as you serve our wonderful Saviour.

In His Service,

Mike Pinson