

Rummey's in Romania

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Dear Friends,

December 2011

Thank you for your prayers with regard to our move. We are now settled in our apartment and have had many people over for meals in order to get to know them. Since we have been here there have been three baby dedications. We also rejoiced together with the church when eight adults from Tulcea as well as three adults from the newest church plant were baptized on Sunday, November 27! It was a great celebration and encouragement for the church! Two couples are from the same family. Dana had received Christ a



couple of years ago and when asked if she wanted to be baptized she said no because she didn't want to divide her family and wanted to wait until her husband and son and daughter-in-law were ready. At that point her husband was only coming to church periodically and her son and his wife were not attending church at all. Praise the Lord, He answered her prayers and all four of them were baptized that Sunday! We have begun meeting with these people in our home to go through a 12 week discipleship course. Please pray the Lord will use this time to ground them in their faith and to show them how He wants them to be involved in His work.

Mike was able to teach a CMI course here in Tulcea in November. We also gathered together with all of our teammates here in Romania for team meetings. Our team leader, Tom Graef, is doing a good job of helping us come together and be united as one team. This year we have seen two career and one short term missionary join our ranks on the field.

It has been a privilege once again to be involved in the distribution of the Samaritan's Purse shoe boxes. Tulcea county received just about 7,000 shoe boxes and we helped distribute hundreds of these gifts to needy children. The gospel was presented in each location where the shoe boxes were distributed. We prepared a few teens to present the gospel through puppets in 6 of these locations. What a joy it was to see many children's faces light up as they went through their gifts! Please continue to pray for these children and their teachers. Pray that the Good News will remain in their hearts and the Holy Spirit will use it to bring them to Christ for salvation.



If you would like to see some pictures we took, please go to <https://picasaweb.google.com/107107109838961918397/SamaritanSPurseTulceaCounty2011#>

May 2012 be filled with many blessings and spiritual victories to the praise of our Saviour.

With the hope of eternity,

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