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“It is of the LORD’s mercies that we are not consumed, because his compassions fail not. They are new every morning: great is thy faithfulness” (Lamentations 3:22–23).

Dear Praying Friends and Family,

These words spoken by the prophet Jeremiah as everything around him seemed to crumble and his soul was downcast within him, remind us that the mercies and the compassions of the Lord are ever constant. If we doubt it, it is because our heart is not looking in the right place. In the previous verse, the prophet made the choice to recall to his mind what God did for him in order to find the necessary hope in the midst of trials and difficulties.

Thus, we praise the Lord for his goodness and compassions for our family and for the ministry in Amiens. Since Sunday July 11, we’ve been meeting in our new premises in downtown Amiens. We had the joy of receiving several visitors, some of whom are now coming on a regular basis.

Emily is a sister in Christ who came from Ireland to teach French at the Jules Verne University in Amiens. **Romain** lives a hundred meters from the church. He had attended the Mormon church for a while and left it a long time ago but unfortunately still has a lot of ties to it. I’ve had the opportunity on various occasions to present the gospel to him. Please pray for this man whose soul is quite tormented. **Guillaume** comes from an atheistic family. He happens to be one of my neighbors and is seeking answers which science was not able to give him. Please also pray for **Mathurin**, a close friend of Joshua Abbett. He’s returned to the teen club last Saturday and participated well in the Bible study which Brother Abbett taught. Pray as we resume our children Bible Clubs, that families would be willing to come.

In August, we went down to Larodde to help the camp Rainbow ministry. We were happy to be able to bring my nephews Lémuel and Néthanaël there and to spend these two weeks together. Unfortunately, although all the required protocol had been followed, several cases of Covid occurred among campers and counsellors. Wisdom led us to sadly end early the August camp session. The atmosphere became very emotional as the campers heard the news. Two teen girls even had panic attacks that evening. We are grateful to the Lord for the nurses who were able to provide medical help and for the pastors who were able to spiritually care for these young women as well as for the other campers. Please pray for these young people so they can truly experience the peace of the Lord, to grow in their faith and for the seeds that have been planted to bear spiritual fruit. Although the session was shorter than expected, we know that God has worked in the lives of many young people and we are grateful for the time we were able to spend at camp!

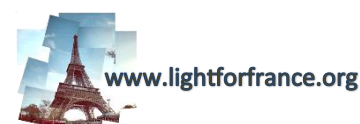
We have been receiving more and more requests for Bibles and booklets through our website. Thus, we ask you to please pray with us that the Lord would continue to financially provide for their expedition.

By God’s grace, our family is doing well. Adam (14) is in 9th grade and would like to study computer programming. Abel (8) is in 3rd grade and he decided this year he wanted to learn how to play the trumpet. Anthony (4) is in Pre-K. He brings much animation to the household and loves to play with his brothers.

We thank you for your faithful prayers and for your generosity towards us.

In His service and in yours,

Jeremie, Damaris, Adam, Abel and Anthony



“I am come a light into the world, that whosoever believeth on me should not abide in darkness.” (John 12:46)

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