



FRONTLINE Prayer Letter November 2023

Pirkko Home Liberation Centers

Kokino Pirkko Home, Bryansk region, Oleg Murashev: Today we have 8 people for drug & alcohol rehabilitation at our center. Brothers from the Bryansk City Church visit us on an ongoing basis and provide spiritual care to us. In the summer we worked in a children's camp with this church in the village of Bezhat, where children from Christian families, children from disadvantaged families and disabled children were invited. We actively visit nearby churches; we have already attended four festive "Harvest" church services this fall. A big event and encouragement to us was the recent baptism of a graduate who completed the Pirkko Home rehabilitation course in our center. Please pray for the health of me and my wife Oksana, for the repentance of the men in the center and for the repair of the van that we use to travel to church and work.



RCR Recording Studio Ministry

Ayur Vanzhilov: Praise God! In October there was huge interest in the videos from RCR's Studio! In just the past month, our YouTube channel has gained 7.5 million views and acquired 16,000 new subscribers, bringing the total number of subscribers to over 100,000. Most of the views are of our "video shorts" - short excerpts from the testimonies of the "Choice" and "Life" programs.

Several new videos are released on the channel every week. The 365th episode of the "Choice" program was recently released. What that means is that consistently, for about 7 years, a full-length testimony program has been published weekly. You can watch one program every day for a whole year now!

Here is more good news: now you can listen to RCR audio programs (Sermons by Earl Poysti, "Choice" programs, & Bible Studies) - in Russian - on Spotify! Pray that we can continue to develop this platform (Spotify) for Russian speakers around the world with the message of salvation in Christ Jesus. We thank God and everyone who has helped in the updating of the RCR Studio so we can do these things!

Here are a couple recent comments on the "Choice" programs:

- I have severe depression. I was scrolling through videos on my phone. When I heard [Mikhail] talk about his weapon and two cartridges [contemplating suicide], I burst into tears. I'm sitting here, writing a comment and I can't even see the letters because of my tears. - Yulia (comment under the testimony of Mikhail Kotlan)
- Thank you for your testimony! I just sent this video to one girl, Lena, who is on methadone and suffering; I ask for prayers for her so that she will know Jesus Christ. - Elena

The Gospel Behind Barbed Wire (GBBW) Magazine Ministry



Eduard Zavedeyev: As we approach the end of the year, we realize that without God's help and your prayers we would not be able to publish and distribute *The Gospel Behind Barbed Wire* magazines in a timely manner. Praise God, we are now working on the last issue of the magazine for 2023 (No. 6) with the theme "Earth and Heaven." Please pray for us as we work on materials for this issue.

We regularly receive reports on visits to prisons and rehabilitation centers up north in the Komi Republic from prison minister Vyacheslav Kozlov, pictured here visiting women's prison colony IK-31 (Mikun, Komi Republic). He has been distributing our magazines for many years, preaching the gospel to prisoners and their relatives, as well as employees of the prison administration. Pray for our prison ministers.

"I received a letter and a brochure with a sermon by Earl Poysti from you, thank you from the bottom of my heart. The magazines you send me are read by the entire cell, and some make an attempt to read the Bible. I want to ask you to please send the next issue." Alexey N. (Krasnoyarsk region)

Other Prayer Requests

- Pray for God's care and provision for the RCR ministries and for all our employees during this difficult time.
- Pray that more addicts & alcoholics with a desire to be freed will come to the Pirkko Homes for help.
- Pray for an end to the war in Ukraine, and for the physical and spiritual needs of the refugees.



"RCR" - Russian Christian Radio, Inc.
PO Box 1667 - Estes Park, CO 80517-1667 - USA

770-864-6464 (English) or 970-586-8638 (Russian) - www.rcr-us.org - info@rcr-us.org

11/2023