

#### FRONTLINE

**Prayer Letter** February 2024

# Pirkko Home Liberation Center Ministry

Ilya Ignatov, Dyatkovo Pirkko Home: In our center today there are 5 men in the rehab program. Winter means there is usually no work, hence also a lack of funds. But at such times. God's love and care for us through His Church are especially visible. Brothers and sisters from local churches help us by donating food, warm clothing, etc., covering our



needs. Despite the lack of work, there is plenty to be done in the center. This winter it's quite snowy, so the brothers are constantly clearing the rehab center's property from snow drifts.



These 5 men have been living with us for about two months. But during this time, three of them already have turned to Jesus Christ in repentance! They had all previously been through rehabilitation in other centers, but they left God. Pray with us that they will stay on this path and never stray from it again. We thank the Lord for them and pray for the repentance of the others.

Especially pray for Igor's repentance (sitting at the right in the picture above). He comes from Bryansk, he is 60 years old, and he completely refuses to believe in God. When Igor came to our center, he immediately said, honestly: "I'm here only until the New Year." But the New Year has passed, and Igor is in no hurry to leave us. We see the hand of God in this. Who knows how long it takes to melt this heart? Only the Lord. Therefore, we give Igor into His hands and continue to pray with faith.

We are also still in need of an assistant for me.

## The Gospel Behind Barbed Wire (GBBW) Magazine Ministry

Eduard Zavedeyev: Last December, we received from the printer the 6th issue of the magazine for 2023 with the theme "Earth and Heaven" and the long-awaited collection of sermons by Earl Poysti: "The Misconception of Christ." The prisoners really look forward to Earl Poysti's sermons and hope that the magazine will never stop coming. Here is a recent letter from Belarus, just before they just started banning Christian literature there:

"Beloved editors, I am very glad to hold your magazine The Gospel Behind Barbed Wire in my hands again! Thank you all very much for your work! I really like the magazine. After reading it twice, I give it to other convicts, and they read it with great joy, even those who do not believe in God. Some of the testimonies move me to tears. We all love it and cannot imagine what will happen to us if the publication of the magazine stops. Thank you, God!" Denis B. (Grodno region, Belarus)



Pray that prison ministers will be able to continue to visit prisons to preach the Gospel in 2024; and that through our magazines the Holy Spirit will touch hearts of unbelievers and bring them to repentance.

### **RCR Recording Studio Ministry**

Ayur Vanzhilov: Last year was an inspiration for all of us - the channel's audience has multiplied several times, praise God! All this took a lot of effort and working without days off. Through your prayers and support, you help us:

- preserve and provide access to the legacy of Earl Nikolaevich Poysti on the website rcr.ru:
- evangelize through the YouTube channel "RCR Studio" (the "Choice" program and other programs, shorts);
- evangelize on the streets of Moscow, giving out Bibles and inspiring others to personal evangelism;
- respond to thousands of comments in order to draw the attention of unbelieving viewers to Jesus Christ;
- develop audio podcasts (available on Yandex Music and Spotify).

#### **Praise and Prayer Requests**

- Praise God for his provision for the RCR ministries in Russia during this difficult time.
- Pray about Belarus, where it is now prohibited to send Christian literature to, and for Christians to visit, prisons.
- Pray for the Ukrainian refugees and all the Christian groups helping them. Pray for an end to this war.



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