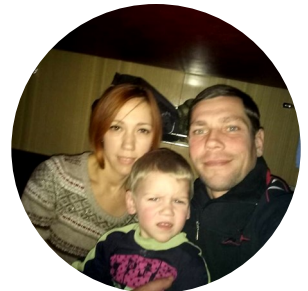




Andrew & Katie
Green



Slavic & Katya
Krishyevskiy



Vova & Marina
Krivoraz

Nikopol Evangelism is official!

We have finally received tax exempt status for Nikopol Evangelism, after playing document tag with the IRS for several months. We have started the process of transferring the operations from Bemidji church of Christ to Nikopol Evangelism, which will take about a month. Those who wish to contribute can now do so by making checks to 'Nikopol Evangelism' and mailing it to: Nikopol Evangelism, 1200 E. Moreland Blvd, Waukesha, WI, 53186

I have been busy updating the Waukesha church of Christ's website, but hopefully I will shortly be able to turn my attention to the Nikopol website which is dreadfully outdated.



January baptisms; (l. of center) Zhenya, and (r. of center) Lena

Eugene's father attended a service. Galina was ecstatic to see him come. There has been a connection between the two families for a long time. Galina was in the same maternity ward as Eugene's mother, Polina. Galina's daughter, Natasha, and Eugene were born on the same day, and later were baptized on the same day in 2005. His parents coming to Christ has been Eugene's great desire since then, and it appears that they may be opening up to the gospel.

Studies and converts

Since January there have been 6 baptisms. In January, Lena and Zhenya were baptized. In March, Tolik, Sasha, Misha, and Edward were baptized. The rehab center continues to have dramatic impact on growth the church.

Recently, a great development occurred when



March baptisms; (l-r), Misha, Sasha, Tolik, and Edward

Construction projects

With the weather picking up, construction has continued. So far, this year they have sealed the foundation, and are beginning the stages of the main structure. The goal is to have the hull of the building and roof, so that it is weatherproof by winter, then continue working on the inside during the winter with the goal to finish by summer of next year. The hull and roof is estimated to cost 4,000-6,000 dollars and probably the interior and furnishing will be at least that much.

The zoning paperwork has been filed and we await completion of that process. (for comparison, the addition we started in 2014 only recently was finalized)



In addition to the church building project, Vova, along with the men and women in the rehab centers, has been renovating the women's rehab center.

other news

There is a possibility that Galina's cancer has returned. She is waiting for results. Her doctor is considering surgery instead of chemotherapy, if that is the case.

In the last newsletter, I mentioned that Eugene's friend, Zhenya, was potentially in some legal trouble. It appears that he is going to be given probation only. Since his baptism in December, he has been giving short communion thoughts and lessons. Recently, he visited Eugene in Kiev, and is considering attending Ukrainian Bible Institute, where Eugene translates. UBI is operated by Sunset International Bible Institute.



Bible study at the rehab center

Finances (January - March 2017)

Account Balance 12/31 \$ 5,004.48
Credits \$ 2,102.00
Total Debits: \$ 4,236.08
 Cash Withdrawn Nikopol \$ 4,055.65
 Wells Fargo Fees \$ 180.43

Account Balance 3/31 \$ 2,870.40

Nikopol Cash on hand 8/31 \$ 185
Withdrawn (Jan-Mar) \$ 4,056
Total cash: \$ 4,241
Spnditures (Jan-Mar) \$ 4,093
 Administrative \$ 3,153
 Supplies/Construction \$ 600
 Transportation \$ 300
 Benevolent \$ 40
Cash on hand 12/31 \$ 148

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