

*Dear Friends,*



We are glad to inform you again about what God is doing here, fulfilling the vision He gave us last year.

We had the 3rd **Exchanged Life Conference** this year in May, in the **Gyál Reformed (Presbyterian) Church**, with very receptive audience and zealous responses. The next one will be in the summer camp of Living Word Fellowship July 12-15. László Beregi is taking more and more part in both Internship and Conference lectures. He has interesting personal approach to the topics, and to the usage of PP presentation. He is a great treasure.

Another fulfillment of our vision is that we organized an **experimental follow-up conference** (Grace in Practice) to the Exchanged Life conference with 9 participants. We wanted to make the message more personal for them using small-group discussions and prayer. The **members of the Team** took important part in it being small-group facilitators. According to the responses and our evaluation it was useful, God could touch the lives of the participants. The next one in the autumn in Gyal, following up the conference we had there. I must mention what an improvement of our ministry is the part the volunteer Team is playing this year. We discuss and pray together twice a month, Eszter Laborczi is starting personal counseling (beside handling the homepage), Peter Hargita is doing co-counseling, Krisztina Kádár and Zoltán Laborczi do a great help with administration, and I already spoke of László Beregi.



We finished our **Internship Training** also in May with four participants. It was a weekend setting, which was demanding for them, who all live in other towns. Nevertheless all of them endured to the end, and expressed their willingness to participate in our work in the future. After the celebration the Team evaluated the Internship and we decided to make some changes in the organizing to make it more effective. We start the next Internship in September.

Also enclosed you find the vision of our new project: the **evangelizing concert version of “The Taste of Grace” musical album** in September-October. It is a thrilling new thing that has not been made yet in Hungary. Please read it and decide if you want to be part of it!

Some words of **my family**. Eszter was struggling with several sicknesses, sciatica in March, and then herpes zoster in April-May. More than these she lost her father on Easter Monday (you find also enclosed a story of his life, that is a great testimony of Christ to me). She still has pains and weakness. Nevertheless she is doing faithfully her duty at her workplace and at home, and we also try to help her as we can. She is my greatest treasure after Christ! Ábel (28), the eldest is already married, works as a teacher. The second son, Máté (26) successfully

finished his exams and became a doctor last week! He has a beautiful, lovely fiancée, they will marry next year. Bálint (24) and Boglárka (22) are also doing well in the university, and together with Máté they are very active in the youth of the church. Soma (16) is one of the best of his age in the Hungarian Dance Academy, he will be sent to a 3 weeks summer course in Madrid with a scholarship in August. Thank God for my children!

**Please pray:**

- For the complete recovery of Eszter's health
- For vision and growth in the ministry
- For God's blessings in our conferences and the preparations for the next Internship
- For God's renewing work in the life of counselees
- For the preparations of the Taste of Grace concert
- For the strengthening of the work of the Team, and for more workers to take part

We are thankful for all those faithful friends who support us in prayer and/or financially. You are with us in whatever we do!

May you experience the fullness of God's grace for you:

Erno Kerekes and the GMB-Team