#### **BIBLES FOR EUROPE UPDATE**

#### **WINTER 2018**

In the book *The World Situation and the Direction of the Lord's Move* Brother Lee says, "The spreading of the divine truths will bring in the Lord's restoration. According to Isaiah 11, the restoration will come because 'the earth will be full of the knowledge of Jehovah / As the waters cover the sea' (v. 9)." (pp. 31- 32)

This autumn has been highlighted by the physical Bible distribution in Europe, especially in the UK. Specifically, in Hall 6 of the church in London, the FTTL trainees, full-time serving ones, and the local saints have been going out every Tuesday and Friday in five locations in the Romford area. From this consistent physical distribution in the same locations twice per week, over 2,000 Bibles per month have been given out. Many personal contacts have been made as well as a number of salvations and several baptisms. The saints have been actively inviting the Bible recipients to Bible studies in local homes, and several recipients have already attended the Lord's table meeting.

# **Internet Orders**

We continue to receive many orders from the internet. We are working through internet advertising to increase the orders in the various countries:

### Germany, Austria, and Switzerland (German Recovery Version)

In addition to the physical distribution, we are working on different ways to advertise for internet orders. This process takes time, but we feel that 2019 should see a great increase in the internet orders in Germany.

### France, Belgium, and Switzerland (French Recovery Version)

In addition to the physical distribution taking place in French-speaking Europe, we have been receiving approximately 1,200 internet orders per month from France, Belgium, and Switzerland.

# Spain and Poland (Spanish and Polish Recovery Versions)

The physical distribution has been continuing in these two countries. Due to some unforeseen delays, we have not been able to advertise for the internet orders; however, these delays have now been rectified, and we will start the internet orders in the next few weeks. In 2019 we should see a great increase in these countries. Because the supply of Polish Recovery Versions is almost depleted, we will have a new printing of 50,000 in early 2019.

The total number of Bibles being distributed in Europe is averaging well over 5,000 per month. We fully expect this number to increase to over 6,000 per month in 2019.

# Giving

To give for the distribution of Bibles in Europe, please send your gift to LME and designate your gift "Distribution of Bibles in Europe" (visit www.lordsmove.org for more information).

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