2025 FTTA Gospel Trips Report and Prayer Burdens 13 February 5, 2025

EUROPE

France (Toulouse / Bordeaux)

February 4

Today, we distributed Bibles at a nearby university for the first time. The response was so overwhelming that we had to go back to get more Bibles. During the entire time, each team member was engaged in a meaningful conversation. The Lord really answered our prayer to declare His victory over the young people in Toulouse.

In the evening, we joined a gospel meeting for college students. Someone new who was contacted last week joined the meeting and got baptized! We are very encouraged that the Lord answered our prayer for multiple baptisms during our time in Toulouse and Bordeaux.

Prayer burdens:

- 1. To release shepherds for consistent appointments with all the new ones we have met.
- 2. That two families would migrate to Toulouse to strengthen the church life here.

France (Paris 4 - Palaiseau)

February 5

Today, we visited a brother at the Polytechnic Institute of Paris campus. In the evening, two new contacts came to dinner, including the young man we met yesterday. We had very sweet fellowship on how to eat Jesus, and everyone left knowing that God is good for food!

Prayer burdens:

- 1. That the local saints and serving ones would be supplied superabundantly to shepherd the students met this week.
- 2. That these students would continue to meet with the saints and that some would be remaining fruit.

Germany (Hamburg)

February 1-3

We distributed many Bibles in the middle of a popular shopping district that is near the Hamburg City Hall. We handed out invitations to the Christian Students in Hamburg's welcome dinner in the evening. On Monday (February 3), we distributed Bibles at the University of Hamburg. In the evening, we joined the student meeting.

February 4

We had gospel conversations with people over lunch at a cafeteria at University of Hamburg. In the evening, two sisters spent time with two high school sisters who grew up in the church life in Hamburg. They

fellowshipped about being burdened for friends and praying for them. One of the brothers on the team met with a middle school brother and sang hymns with him.

Statistics: Bibles: 65

"Mystery of Human Life" Tracts: 255

Meaningful conversations: 50 Second appointments: 3 Students at gospel dinner: 2



Norway

February 4

Today was our last day preaching the gospel at the universities. We had two subgroups go to both of the University of Agder campuses in Grimstad and Kristiansand. It has been a little difficult to meet open students, but the Lord has been faithful to send some seeking ones our way. In Grimstad, we met a master's student who opened up about the stress he was experiencing, and we encouraged him to pray to receive the Lord in his spirit if he wanted to experience true peace. He was eager to try contacting the Lord himself and asked us to pray for him too.

Statistics: Bibles: 24 Tracts: 62

Conversations: 24

Contacts: 4

Prayed to receive the Lord: 6

February 5

In the morning, our team went to the Kristiansand city center to pass out tracts and speak to people downtown. In the evening, we had dinner at a family's house with the team and the saints in the church in Grimstad. It was a sweet time of mutual shepherding, and we were cherished by the saints and the Lord for everything that He planned and prepared for us during this gospel trip.

Statistics: Tracts: 49 Bibles: 5

Conversations: 8

Contacts: 1

Spain

February 4-5

We are now in Madrid. After coordination, we went to preach the gospel near the center of Madrid outside of a metro and bus station. The Lord sent many young people who were wide open to read the Word. The next day, we attended the prayer meeting in Madrid, where we prayed for what the Lord is doing in Spain and all of Europe.

Statistics: Bibles: 91 Tracts: 427

Conversations longer than 30 seconds: 42

Contacts: 4

Prayed to receive the Lord: 3

Prayer burdens:

- 1. That the young people in Spain would be companionized.
- 2. That the Lord would raise up lampstands in Bilbao, Valladolid, and A Coruña.
- 3. That the saints would be strengthened in Barcelona, Murcia, and Valencia.

Switzerland (Geneva / Lausanne)

February 5

Yesterday, we distributed Bibles in the city center for the last time. Today was our last day in Geneva. The brothers had two appointments with two different contacts. In the afternoon, we had lunch with a local family from Lausanne. In the evening, we had two home meetings. In one of them, a new contact joined us and was very encouraged as we sang hymns on Christ as our bread and drink.

Prayer burdens:

- 1. That the saints would continue to fight the battle in the Body.
- 2. That the trainees would keep praying for the Lord's move in Geneva and Lausanne even after going back home.
- 3. That some localities would be burdened to pray for the Lord's move in Geneva and Lausanne.
- 4. That we would arrive safely in Paris for the overflow time with the other teams.



NORTH AMERICA

Mid-Atlantic

Washington, D.C.

February 3-4

On both days, we enjoyed coordination and then tabled at George Mason University (GMU). On Tuesday (February 4), one of the families in Fairfax hosted a home meeting. We had sweet fellowship and shared personal experiences in response to various questions concerning the full-time training.

Prayer burdens:

- 1. For all the students who received the Lord and signed up for Bible study to be open to join club events and to come into the church life.
- 2. For a newly-saved GMU freshman to be open to meet with a full-timer for one-on-one Bible reading appointments.
- 3. For an open student who is a believer to come to Bible study and be blended with the club students.



Pennsylvania

February 3-4

On both days, we had coordination in the morning. On Monday, we went to the University of Pennsylvania to pass out flyers and preach the gospel. We had dinner at a saint's home. The next day, we went to Temple University to pass out flyers and preach the gospel. We went out to have dinner with a saint.

Prayer burden:

1. For the Lord to operate in every student that received a flyer and bring them to the University of Pennsylvania Bible study on Thursday.

St. Louis, MO / Urbana, IL

February 4

In the morning, the gospel team and one college student drove to Normal, IL for a blending time with local saints and full-timers from Chicago and St. Louis. We enjoyed the Lord and fellowshipped about the burden for

Illinois State University (ISU). The campus has a good pool of students from Illinois and a positive atmosphere. The church in Normal currently consists of a handful of families but no full-timers.

In the afternoon, the team went out to the campus to contact students. We had encouraging encounters with ISU students who stopped to have conversations with us about the Lord. We felt that there are open students on this campus, but not enough manpower yet. The fellowship is that full-timers in Urbana may commute to ISU campus for weekly appointments.

Prayer burdens:

- 1. That the Lord would gain some seekers at ISU for regular appointments.
- 2. That the weather would not hinder student outreach for the rest of the week in Urbana.
- 3. For follow-up appointments to be released at the University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign campus during the rest of the week.

Ann Arbor, MI / West Lafayette, IN

February 4-5

On Tuesday (February 4), we had sweet coordination. In the afternoon, we tabled on campus at Purdue University. In the evening, we prayed for the strengthening of the Lord's testimony in Lafayette, successful follow-up meetings with students, and the continued progress of all gospel trips.

On Wednesday (February 5), the Midwest teams overflowed our enjoyment of Christ and the ministry. In the evening, we went to dinner in various homes. During one of the dinners, 3 John 1:14b was mentioned, "The friends greet you. Greet the friends by name." Then, we prayed for our friends.

Statistics (February 4):

Tracts: 433 Bibles: 2

Meaningful conversations: 39

Statistics (February 5):

Tracts: 134 Contacts: 9

Prayer burdens:

- 1. For the health of all the trainees and local saints.
- 2. That each one of us would spend personal time with the Lord.
- 3. That the Lord would release more sons of peace to have contact with us.
- 4. For the contacts of the trainees' and saints' friends in Lafayette.



New England

Providence, RI / Worcester, MA

February 4

In the morning, we joined a joint coordination time with the other gospel teams in New England and the full-timers in Boston, and then we got into the ministry with the local saints. Afterwards, we went to preach the gospel at Worcester State University and Worcester Polytechnic Institute with the saints. On both campuses, the students were quite open and many received gospel tracts, Bibles, and invites to the community fellowship dinner at the meeting hall on Wednesday. In the evening, we visited a couple at their home for dinner and received their testimonies of how they initially met the saints and were later recovered to the church life.

Statistics: Tracts: 50

Bibles: 10

Conversations: 19

Prayer burden:

1. That the Lord would have a way for the saints to continue with the saints in their gospel times at Worcester State University and Worcester Polytechnic Institute.



Northeast

New York

February 3

We traveled from Ithaca to Albany. In the evening, we had dinner and fellowship with local saints and students from Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute (RPI). We enjoyed singing with the students, sharing about the jubilee, and testifying about our experience of being in the Full-time Training in Anaheim. We are encouraged that the saints here are faithfully shepherding the students, a majority of whom are new to the church life.



Southeast

Columbia, SC / Raleigh, NC

February 1-3

On Saturday (February 1), we attended the last message of the blending conference in Myrtle Beach, had lunch with saints. We traveled to Chapel Hill, NC where we had a welcome meeting with the saints in the Research Triangle Park area. On Sunday (February 2), we had coordination with the serving saints in the Research Triangle Park area and tabled for Bibles for America on the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill (UNC) campus. At night, we had a Bibles for America seminar with the topic "Are the soul and the spirit the same?" where 15 UNC students joined. On Monday (February 3), we tabled at Duke University and invited contacts to join the Bibles for America seminar on Wednesday night.

Statistics (February 2):

Bibles: 81 Contacts: 47

Prayed to receive the Lord: 1

Statistics (February 3):

Contacts: 15

Confirmed to attend seminar: 8

Prayer burden:

1. For one or two remaining fruit in the Research Triangle Park area.

Atlanta, GA / Athens, GA / Knoxville, TN

February 4-5

After morning coordination, we spent the afternoon tabling at the University of Tennessee, Knoxville and handed out flyers for the student club. We also joined two Bible studies. In the evening, we joined home group meetings. The next day, after breakfast and blending with the saints in Knoxville, we drove back to Atlanta, GA. We had dinner in the home of one of the saints in Midtown.

Statistics:

Flyers: 34

Meaningful conversations: 8

Prayer burdens:

- 1. For the Southeast College Conference at the end of February.
- 2. That we would be strengthened into their spirit particularly during the gospel time on the Georgia Institute of Technology campus on Thursday and Friday.
- 3. For an enjoyable and fruitful time of blending during the college meeting on Thursday, and that the Lord would make us His shining testimonies to the students.