

CAROL MCFARLANE PRAYER LETTER: AUTUMN 2018

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Hello again everyone!

Thank you all so much for your generous support enabling me to keep going here in LCM. On the door to door work we recently met a man from the Serb/Croatian conflict. He was quite hostile to religion but we shared why Jesus is good news and he took a gospel to investigate for himself. I later went back with a testimony from our Good News paper about a Syrian who had become a believer. In addition, another Muslim man we met also appeared to really understand why Jesus is such good news.

Via our new children's football club we have been able to give out bibles to a father, his daughter, and grandson. We have also had opportunities to pray for a number of people. Sometimes it has just been on their doorstep as we talk with them, although one Bengali man let us pray with him in his launderette business and two ladies who were running a pop up charity shop drew up seats for the four of us while we told them about Jesus and then left them with gospels to read. Please pray for V who has mental health problems, that Jesus would fill her and free her. She came to my home one night and, along with two young Dutch people who were staying with me, we prayed with her and one of my guests ministered wonderfully to her.

Even as we walk around the streets and the park, we meet people or call with them in their homes and find opportunities to minister to them and bring the truth of the good news to them, as well as giving out gospels and asking them to read and find out about Jesus for themselves. We realise that God and His word have often been so misrepresented, but the value of literature is that people can read quietly and then think through things for themselves. In this regard we have a supply of bibles, gospels, and Good News papers containing individual testimonies from people of all kinds of backgrounds. We can, however, never take anything for granted and the need to speak directly to people and share the good news remains. There are, however, so many people with so many languages, so please pray to the Lord of the harvest to send more workers into the harvest field to bring and speak of the hope we have in Jesus, the one who is true and faithful, and the one we all need.

Love in Him, Carol