



PO Box 2175 Morganton, NC 28680 828-413-0438 * touchtheworldministries.com

April 13, 2009

We are so grateful that the Lord has allowed us to be a part of building His Kingdom. I want to thank you personally for your prayers for the Vasile Gherman Pastor School that started last month. On the twenty-fifth of March, 20 men met for the first classes. Dr. Russell Woodbridge from Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary taught Hermeneutics to these precious laymen desiring to learn God's Word. Each man represents a village outside the city of Turnu Severin, Romania that has no pastor to lead them. My heart broke when two years ago Pastor Pavel Ureche of First Baptist Church Turnu Severin took me personally to village after village without a pastor and church. The Lord quickened my heart to be a part of getting men trained to shine the light in these villages. And praise the Lord, after much prayer and hard work we were able to start a school in this city to train up godly men to spread the Gospel message. Our Project Director accompanied Dr. Woodbridge on this mission and he reported this first class to be a complete success. I want to thank Dr. Woodbridge for his sacrifice of time and talent. I also want to thank Southeastern Seminary for allowing him to go. Praise God for a Baptist Seminary that looks outside its four walls to see a world that needs to be reached for the sake of Christ. Dr. Greg Heisler, also from Southeastern, along with his wife Laura, will be traveling over to teach Preaching in June. Thank you again for your vital part in this. It is your prayers and support that make projects like this possible. We have several teams that are training for mission trips this summer and fall. Please pray for these teams as they prepare to go and tell the world about our wonderful Savior. I will give you more specifics as they go out. We are blessed to have so many of you that are prayer partners. Without prayer none of the things that Touch the World is involved in would be possible.

Child Sponsorship Program

We are very excited to have many of the new changes in place for the Child Sponsorship Program. If you have not gotten an update on your child yet, you should get one within the next few months. You also should now be receiving a monthly statement along with my letter letting you know what is going on in the ministry. For those of you who wish to write to your sponsored child you may do so via e-mail at ttwadoptachild@yahoo.com or you may mail your letter to: Deedee Whray; Adopt A Child Coordinator; 6362 Center Road; Bladenboro, NC 28320. May the Lord bless you for taking care of these precious children.

A special thanks to those who responded to last month's newsletter with prayer and financial support. Touch The World still has no debt (and won't) and still continues to do the work of the Lord-thanks to you. God Bless you!

In Christ,

Homer Murdock
President
Touch the World Ministries

We would like to start sending as many of our statements and newsletters as possible via e-mail. If you are willing to receive an electronic statement and newsletter instead of a paper copy please e-mail me at touchtheworldmin@aol.com or enclose your e-mail address in the box on your statement.

"This is pure and undefiled religion in the sight of our God and Father, to visit orphans and widows in their distress, and to keep oneself unstained by the world."
James 1:27