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"And out of pity for him, the master of that servant released him and forgave him the debt".
Matthew 18:27

Dear Friends,

Praise God for His compassion and how He forgives our enormous debt of sin! It's a great privilege to be able to speak of this message to French-speakers in Belgium, thank you for your ongoing partnership in prayer – here's some more fuel for your prayers!

Summer update

Praise God for a good time on InterAction (summer camp in Belgium for teenagers). Praise God for a great team of student helpers (see photo!). Please pray for their growth in maturity as they go back to church situations which are often far from ideal. Praise God for good rest as well – we spent some time in England (it was brilliant to see you if we managed to!), with family and with friends. We then had a week in Normandy as a three which was fun!



TWO-THIRD STUDENT WORKER, ONE-THIRD TEACHER AT THE IBB

From September, Robbie will be spending two-thirds of his time working at l'Eglise Protestante de Woluwe principally trying to develop the work amongst students. He will also be preaching, attending elders' meetings and being trained. The other third of his time will be spent finishing off essays and preparing for and teaching two classes at the IBB. Prayer would be appreciated that Robbie would work hard for both roles and that both would be useful for God's kingdom.

STUDENT WORKER AT WOLUWE CHURCH

Thursday night Bible study with students

We will be studying Ephesians from September until December. Please pray for new students to come along as six of the group members from last year are moving on (graduated or finishing placements). Please pray that God would amaze us with His plan to unite all things under the lordship of Christ and that we'd see the importance of the local church in that plan.

One to One Bible studies

Please pray for us both as we seek to meet up with students to read the Bible with them. Please as Robbie seeks up with A, who he is hoping to co-lead the Thursday night Bible studies with and for Lizzie as she seeks to meet up with M. Please pray that these meetings would take place regularly and that God would work powerfully through His word to build up His people.

Evangelism amongst students

Please pray for open doors to speak to non-Christians about the Gospel. It'd be great to be going on the campus around the time of Fresher's Week to speak to students about Jesus and invite them to the Thursday night Bible Study. Please pray for good contacts with non-Christian students and for boldness to speak to them of Jesus.

TEACHING AT IBB

Teaching first-year Exegesis class and Hebrew class

Praise God for the chance to serve in this way. Please pray that Robbie would prepare well, that His classes would be faithful to God's word and useful in equipping people for Gospel ministry. Please pray he would be a godly model to the other students

Essays to finish in order to graduate in Sept 2015

Please pray for these to be really helpful for Robbie's understanding of the Scriptures and that they would lead Him to love God and His people more.

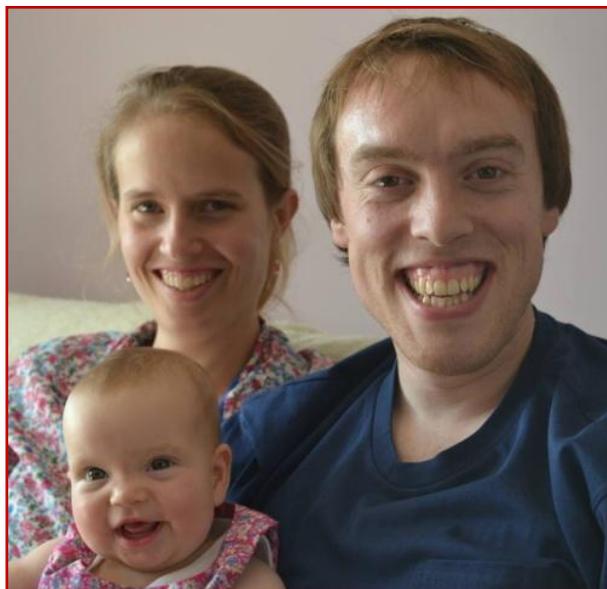
FAMILY

Lizzie

Please pray for opportunities for Lizzie to meet non-Christians in Brussels. Pray for her involvement in the Thursday morning Mums and Toddlers' Group at Church (called Petits Lapins). Please pray for faithfulness as she teaches the Bible in Sunday School (8-11 yr olds).

Lola

Praise God that Lola's growing up healthy and happy so far! Please pray for ongoing godliness for us both as parents and for grace and patience in marriage. Please pray that one day Lola would understand the Gospel and that God would give her saving faith.



Thank you very much for your partnership with us in the Gospel! Do keep in touch!

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