

CROSSPURPOSE INTERNATIONAL UPDATE

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WE ARE THANKFUL...

As we move into the summer months, we are very thankful for what God has done in our lives and through *Crosspurpose International* this past spring.

Special thanks to those of you who were led to contribute to our Special Project Fund. We were able to recently move into the 34' Airstream travel trailer. A lot of work went into the renovation and although not yet entirely completed, it provides much needed transitional housing until God provides a more permanent home. You may read more about the project in our **Special Project Report** on page 2. Thank you for your interest in this important project.

We are grateful as well for you who have **financially, prayerfully, and personally** supported us as friends in the ministry. You are a part of anything that is accomplished through us. Without partners like you a faith ministry cannot survive. Thank you for your faithfulness.

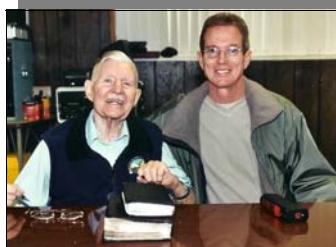
Please continue to pray for us as we follow God's leading in the ministry opportunities ahead. Youth and family camps as well as mission trips and various other opportunities for service are open to *Crosspurpose International* this summer. Your friendship and support are needed and greatly valued. May God bless you! ✚

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MINISTRY HIGHLIGHTS

Crosspurpose International had the opportunity to minister across six states in many churches, prayer retreats and leadership conferences this spring...the last of which was a Leadership Conference sponsored by the Southern Baptist Association in Cochran, GA led by Pastor Jeff Cummings of Limestone Baptist Church. These conferences as well as men's prayer retreats such as two recent ones for the Tri-State Men's Conference hosted by Ohio Pastor Earl Sammons where Charlie was invited to be the guest speaker alongside author and speaker



Major W. Ian Thomas and Charlie
Major Thomas is the Founder and General Director of Torchbearers of the Capernway Missionary Fellowship with the world-wide headquarters in Carnforth, England and US headquarters in Estes Park, CO. He is author of the Christian classics: *The Saving Life of Christ* and *The Wrong Man Out and The Right Man In - a study of Ester*.

Major W. Ian Thomas and the second with Dr. Jackie Hughes had a spiritual impact on those men who attended.

Here are some comments to *CI* of how God has touched their lives:

"Just a note to tell you how much I enjoyed the time with you this past few days. Thank you for your faithfulness to the Lord in the services. I know the Lord spoke through both you and Major Thomas."

"Thanks so much for the encouraging

"I know the thoughts I think toward you, says the Lord, thoughts of peace and not of evil, to give you a future and a hope."

Jeremiah 29:11



Anna and Paula sing during a meeting at Oakdale Baptist Church, Townville, SC. Oakdale Baptist is a *CI* ministry partner.

A NEWSLETTER FOR OUR FRIENDS & PARTNERS

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SCHEDULE

June 12...Tri-State Baptist Temple am/pm
South Point, Ohio

June 13-17...Camp Asbury Wood
Huntington, West Virginia
Family Camp

June 28-July 19...Crusade for Christ
Mission: South Africa
Anna Orr

July 18-22...Canal Lake Bible Camp
Blairsville, GA
Youth Camp

PRAISES:

- * *Gratitude for being able to move into our Airstream!*
- * *Thanks for prayers on behalf of Paula's health as it seems to be slowly improving*
- * *For those lives who have been touched through the ministry of CI this past spring*

PRAYERS:

- * *For Anna's short-term mission support needs of \$2,200 for airfare and meals as well as her safety and service during her mission trip to South Africa*
- * *Ask God to open doors of ministry here and abroad; invitations to minister in Ireland and South Africa have been extended to us as we wait for financial provision and God's timing*



MISSION: South Africa
When: June 28-July 19
Where: South Africa
Crusade for Christ Mission

Please pray for Anna as she embarks on her first short-term mission trip!

SPECIAL PROJECT REPORT



PRAISE THE LORD!

Although not totally completed, we have recently moved into the 34' foot Airstream that is to be our transitional housing until God provides a more permanent home.

We want to *thank those of you* who have undertaken this burden to help us with this project. A needed replacement item in order to finish the Airstream is a Dometic RV refrigerator.

The second half of this Special Project is a tow vehicle to pull the Airstream to ministry locations as needed. We appreciate your prayers about these ministry needs.



If you are led to contribute, please designate your gift to: "Special Project Fund." If you have any questions regarding this project you may email us or call us. All gifts are tax deductible.

MINISTRY HIGHLIGHTS

messages that I know were from the Lord and from your heart. I really needed them, especially at this time in my life. I'm encouraged to just know that others have times of discouragement and depression. I guess we fail to realize that the enemy wants us to think that we are all alone..."

"Enjoyed the messages this week in South Point...thank you for preaching the Word like you do..."

"It was a pleasure to meet you last week in Newport at the

Tri-State Men's Conference
Carson Springs Conference Center
Newport, TN



Dr. Jackie Hughes and Charlie
Jackie Hughes pastors in Belfast,
Ireland

Pastor's retreat. What a blessing you and Brother Jackie were to us. Thanks for the CD of your wife singing...it was a blessing to listen to. I will be praying for you and your ministry and your wife's illness. ...May the Lord richly bless you and your family and ministry."

"Thank you for the messages you preached for the Lord at the retreat... I just wanted you to know that the messages were "awesome". May God continue to use you the way he used you this week to bless my heart and challenge my life..."



Anna, Charlie, and Paula at Oakdale Baptist Church, Townville, SC hosted by Pastor David Blizzard

We are grateful for the many lives that have been touched through the varied ministries of CI. May God continue to open doors to use us to proclaim the gospel message and personally walk the Christian life for His glory! ✝