



The RADANK FAMILY

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Dear Praying Partners,

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Paul wrote in I Corinthians 2:2: *"For I determined not to know any thing among you, save Jesus Christ, and him crucified."* As I reflect on the ministry God has given me to reach German speaking people with the Gospel, I have to ask myself: **Am I determined to see great success in ministry or am I determined to know Jesus Christ?** The two greatest missionaries to ever live were Jesus Christ and the Apostle Paul. Here Paul, in all his "greatness", proclaimed that he was determined to know nothing else but Jesus Christ! May we endeavor to know nothing else besides our Savior, Jesus Christ! May He be our determination in our ministry!



Not long ago, I shared with our church how God put the city of Neutraubling on our hearts. I shared how the pastor of our church, Keith Klaus, asked us to pray whether God would lead us there to start a church. Pastor Klaus' desire is to see the church he pastors (where we are also currently serving) start a new church on the far east side of Regensburg, where Neutraubling is located. I also shared how a family in our church, Frank and Svetlana Schott, who live in Neutraubling, have shared their burden to see a church started where they live. I continued to explain that Kelly and I also attended language school in Neutraubling. **As you can see, God was not going to allow us to get away from Neutraubling!** We feel God clearly leading us in this direction and are excited to see what He will do through us. Another confirmation that God was clearly leading us this way was when Todd and Kim Lapato, missionary friends a few hours south of us, told us they had been praying about the possibility of working alongside us.

They shared with us how they had prayed extensively, and they were convinced that the Lord led them to help us in the future work in Neutraubling. We are excited that they will be joining us! Todd and Kim are well grounded in the German language and we are looking forward to seeing their talents put to use for God's glory! The time-frame of starting the church will hinge on the return from our furlough from May-September and the Lapato's furlough from July-November of this year. Once our furloughs are completed, then we will fully concentrate on forming a new church in Neutraubling.



As I mentioned, we are planning a short furlough this summer. We have purchased our tickets for the 5th of May-1st of September. I have already scheduled meetings with churches in Illinois, Wisconsin, Tennessee, and Virginia. I will be calling others soon. For those supporting churches that do not receive a phone call, please forgive me. Because Jackson is starting school in September, we have only a short amount of time to visit some of our supporting churches and a few new churches. We will be putting together an updated DVD of our ministry and prayer cards very soon, so when they are completed, we will do our best to send them to all of our supporting churches.

We want to say thank you to all those who are faithful in supporting us through your prayers and finances!

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