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**"The harvest truly is plenteous, but the labourers are few; Pray ye therefore the Lord of the harvest, that he will send forth labourers into his harvest." - Matthew 9:37-38**

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Dear Churches, Friends, and Faithful Supporters,

Believe it or not, the Welsh summer has already come and gone? Truthfully, it only lasts about one month. Now, the cool, rainy days of autumn are settling in, bringing longer nights and earlier sunsets. Despite the changing weather, our ministry continues to bloom, and we're excited to share our latest updates with you.

### Back to School Holiday Bible Club and Tent Meeting:

The highlight of this month was undoubtedly our Back to School Holiday Bible Club (think VBS, American friends!) and Tent Meeting. We joined forces with a couple of local chapels to host this three-day event. Here's how it went:

- **Tent Meeting:** We averaged 22 attendees each night. While most were from other churches or chapels, we were thrilled to see so many folks come out.
- **Holiday Bible Club:** Our children's program saw a mixed turnout. We had 6 kids on day one, 13 on day two, but only 2 on the final day due to competing events. However, we made the most of an unexpected opportunity when families from a nearby football game stopped by to chat, allowing us to invite them to future events.

I handled the games for the Bible Club and pitched in wherever needed during the evening services. Dana taught a lesson, helped with crafts, and blessed us with two special songs during the Friday services. We're humbled and excited that the team unanimously chose Dana to lead the children's lessons for future events after hearing her inspiring lesson to the kids about Terry the Tiger.

### Looking Ahead:

As autumn approaches, we're gearing up for harvest services throughout September and a community singing event in November. The Lord has also opened doors for several preaching opportunities for me in the coming months. It looks like we're in for another busy season here in Wales!

### Reflections:

We're grateful for the extra help during the Back to School meetings, which allowed us all to participate without becoming overwhelmed. While the turnout varied, we're encouraged by the connections made and the seeds planted. We're hopeful for great fruit from these efforts and excited to see how God will use these new relationships.



As always, your prayers, support, and encouragement mean the world to us. We couldn't do this without you standing with us. Thank you, and God bless you!

In Christ's Hand,  
Jason and Dana Rongione

Missionaries to Wales

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