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*Lisa Kendrick*

O magnify the Lord with me...  
Psalms 34:3

Guten Tag praying friends and family,

September 2023

Summer update... we had 2 major events planned for this summer, VBS and a Kid's Summer camp. They both went very well. We had a total of 29 children attend VBS, including children from the community who don't go to church at Hohenfels. At first, we were a bit concerned by the lack of helpers volunteering to help with VBS, but the Lord provided and we ended up having more than enough helpers. Our numbers were actually down this year but there were 2 kinds of illnesses going around the community, which caused us to lose some helpers and children.

We had one child ask questions about salvation. He did not receive Christ as his Savior at VBS, so please pray that I'll be able to work with him in the coming days and weeks. We also had a new family visit and the mother stayed with the children because she didn't know us. At the end of the first day, she came to me and told me that she loved our church and was planning to start coming as a family. Praise the Lord!

Our second summer event was a one week kid's day camp. This is the first time we've ever tried this kind of ministry. Unlike VBS, I was the only adult and so I limited the number of children to sixteen with five teenage helpers. Only one of the children was not a regular HBC kid.

The gospel was clearly presented to the children every day. Both girls that I asked you to pray about in last months prayer letter were here and the young boy from VBS also attended. The seed that was planted was watered during these events.

I have a few urgent prayer requests that I'd like for you to add to your prayers. First, about a month ago, the churches landlord Herr Messerklinger, told Pastor Bill that he wanted to sell the





building and that he was getting it appraised the next week. He also told us that he'd like to sell it to us and that he'd give us the first option to buy. We've always wanted to buy the building but when the appraisal came back, the price for the building is around \$815,000.00. That is more than we can afford so please pray that the Lord will give us wisdom on what to do next. This also raises a bit of a problem for me because I rent an apartment in the church building. I am not able to buy the apartment and will not be able to afford the rent if it is sold to someone else. Our rent for the entire building is very low which allows my rent to also be low.

The second request is for my family. My brother Tim, went home to be with the Lord this week and I am working on going back for the funeral. The plan is for me to go back to the states for about a week. I believe that I will be leaving

Germany on September 27th and coming back to Germany on October 5th. Please pray for his wife Dawn, their 2 daughters Chelsea and Courtney and of course my parents. This has hit them very hard.

Thank you so much for your faithful support both financially and prayerfully. God bless you as you continue to serve Him in your part of the world.

#### Prayer Requests

The Kendrick family grieving the loss of Timothy Kendrick

Wisdom about our church building

Language school - The final exam is December 9, 2023

Visitors

Leslie Reed - salvation, health

Hohenfels Baptist Church

Support level to reach 100% quickly



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