

September 2017 UK, Spain, Kakuma, Sicily

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UK

We have reported a string of baptisms in the London area over the last two years, and we are actively following up with many contacts. We have the opportunity to advertise on the sides of the well known red London buses; our advert for free Bibles would look something like this:



It means that multiple thousands of working folk would see the adverts, and of course the thousands of foreign visitors from all over the world who are to be found in London. The cost is about 150 UK pounds / bus for two weeks (US\$ 200, AU\$ 260), with a minimum order of 30 buses, totalling 4,500 UK pounds (US\$ 5,900; AU\$ 7,300). The buses go all over London including in the centre and high density viewing areas such as Clapham Junction. So we are appealing for your donations; we want to get moving on the project so that the adverts can appear before the evenings become dark, and there is less visibility.

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HOUSE CHURCH IN LONDON

Last Sunday we had a breaking of bread and baptized ZORAH a middle aged Iranian woman, a friend of the Iranian sisters we are in contact with. Cindy passed comment on how one of the sisters was learning to play the piano. She explained that in her youth in Iran in the 80s, the Ayatollah had forbidden music, all music teachers were arrested, you could learn the piano only in secret and under fear of arrest. So now, 30 years later [some of the sisters in this group have been in the UK over 30 years] she had decided to do what was forbidden in her youth. This is the kind of background we are up against.



SPAIN

Brother Valentin, baptized recently, is out on the streets most days distributing our literature. Here he is about to leave his apartment:



He reports with great joy that he was able to meet up with Brother David Mason and Sister Carol Rawson from the UK and break bread together in fellowship.

KAKUMA REFUGEE CAMP in **Kenya** has often featured in our reports. We send support there in various forms. However the food rations have been seriously decreased causing serious malnutrition. Bro Isidore writes: "We thank our Heavenly Father for His protection - I and my family and the Refugees Brethren and sisters at Kakuma camp are alive. Kakuma camp is peaceful at the moment but still the refugees ration is reduced at 57% which cause the starvation ongoing".

SICILY

We are in contact with a young woman from a Christadelphian family in Nigeria who got to Sicily and is now in a camp far from anywhere in the mountains of central Sicily. She says they are only given white rice, have no money and are in an awful situation. She desires baptism and we are seeking to assist her with this. Please pray for her.

PRAYER POINTS:

- For the bus advertising project
- For those newly baptized
- For the work of brother Valentin in Spain
- For our brethren in the refugee camps

With love from your brothers and sisters of Carelinks