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## Hello from Ohio!!!

Usually Matthew writes our newsletters, however I (Bridget) wanted to personally write to you to give you an update on our family, as well as, on my mom. First, thank you so much for the prayers for our family, my mom and her health, and your continued support! We love you so much! You have been such an encouragement!

Since our return, we have been visiting churches each week and sharing ministry updates. Matthew has had many opportunities to share from God's word and encourage those we have visited. Praise God! The kids have even had opportunities to share about how God is working in their lives and what they have seen God doing while serving in Hungary. What a blessing!

As we mentioned in our newsletter and recent church visits, we made the decision to return home for a time to help with my mom's surgery and recovery, evaluate our budget and monthly support needs, and prayerfully consider several ministry opportunities. My mom's second knee replacement surgery was scheduled just prior to Christmas. Just before our return, my mom shared with me that she had a "small" fall while recovering from her first surgery. At nearly 70 years old, with a house full of stairs, one of our major concerns was the potential of her having a fall. The evening we arrived, we learned that her "small" fall was actually quite a terrible fall, down an entire set of stairs that caused extensive injuries. God saved her life. Due to some miscommunication with medical staff, the injury she incurred was never communicated to her doctor. When he discovered it (almost a month later), he immediately ordered an MRI.

So, the evening that we arrived home from Hungary, the doctor called and we learned that she would need emergency surgery right away. Our plans would need to be adjusted with her surgery and now an unknown recovery time. Praise God we were here, as her leg was immobilized for nearly two months, with no other family around, we were able to care for her daily needs during this time.

**Great News!!!** This past week we learned that her recovery is going well and the surgery that was originally scheduled before Christmas is now tentatively set for next month. This is answered prayer! Praise the Lord!

Will you please pray for my mom, continued healing, her upcoming surgery and recovery? Please pray for me also as this weighed so much on me. We are completely putting our trust in the Lord, praying for wisdom as we make ministry decisions along with taking our next steps. Pray for Matthew also, that the Lord would give him wisdom and continue giving him opportunities to preach and to invest in church families! Please pray for our

ministries in Hungary too, which were growing and thriving as we were preparing to come home.

And... please pray for the Lord to provide for our transportation needs. As of this week, the vehicle one of our dear supporters has been allowing us to use is no longer running and we will need to find new transportation. Praying to find a reliable vehicle that we could use for our daily needs as well as our church visits on the road. If you are able to help in this area, please let us know. We would be so grateful!

Moving forward, we will continue to visit churches, meet with many of our supporters, and provide updates on our ministry. Matthew will be preaching and doing lots of praying and planning for our budget while our next steps are being established and, Lord willing, preparing to return for summer camps. We have some big decisions to make. Proverbs

With this winter weather clearing, we can't wait to get out to visit all of you that are a little further away!

Thank you for your prayers and continued support of Lynch Family Mission. We will send out an update for our family ministry plans soon! Thank you and God bless you!





Matthew sharing from God's word & Daniel and Cori sharing at a youth group

We love you and are praying for you. God bless.

Serving HIM together,

Bridget

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