

June 17, 2019

Dear Praying friends,

Thank you very much for your continued prayers on our behalf. This month we have had many different ministry opportunities.

For those of you who were wondering, Gemma never did show up at any of the ladies Bible studies or services.

Tom left Deruta on a bus for Rome on Thursday, May 30, in preparation for an early morning flight on Friday, May 31st. The Lord, however, had different plans, and his flight was delayed and then changed to be the same flight with a missionary friend who has five kids. He was able to help them get to the gate and board the plane. Unfortunately, they spent two hours sitting in the plane waiting due to a broken fuel pump. Since they couldn't fix the pump, the flight was cancelled, and he spent another night in Rome waiting for a flight out the next morning. That the flight was also delayed and then changed. God worked out all the details, however, and Tom got on an earlier than expected plane and arrived in the States in the late afternoon on Saturday.

On Friday, June 7, Stephanie and the kids took the bus to Rome. We praise the Lord that they did not experience any of the delays that Tom did, and they arrived safely in the US late on Saturday, June 8.

Tom had the privilege of spending Sunday, June 10 with the people of Lincoln Park Baptist Church in Wenatchee, WA. It was an enjoyable time reconnecting with friends and updating them on the work that the Lord is doing in Italy. He flew out Monday morning to meet up with the rest of the family.

On Wednesday, June 12, Tom spoke for the midweek service at Westerville Bible Church in Westerville, Ohio, and on Sunday, June 16, we worshipped together with Millertown Community Church in Normalville, PA.

Yes, we have already covered many miles, and yes, we miss our ministry in Italy, but we are enjoying seeing many of you again and hearing how God has been working in your churches. Thank you for the opportunity to serve in Italy and to serve you here in America too.

For the Sake of His Name,

Tovn, Stephavie, Daviela, Nino, Augelo, & Gabriella

Upcoming Meetings

- 6/19-First Baptist (Midway, PA)
- 6/23-Calvary Independent Baptist (Huntingdon, PA)
- 6/26-Hardingville Bible (Monroeville, NJ)
- 6/30-Cornwall Baptist (Cornwall, NY)
- 7/3-Hannover Baptist (Glen Allen, VA)
- 7/7–Reformation Bible (Darlington, MD)
- 7/14 AM-College Park Baptist (Cary, NC)
- 7/14 PM-Catawba Springs Christian (Apex, NC)

