



September 15, 2022

Dear Praying Friends,

Thank you for your prayers regarding the drought. We have had a fair amount of rain, and our water restrictions are set to be lifted in October.

Even though it is September, **no work has been started on our building.** We keep praying. However, God has answered our prayers regarding some work that needed to be done due to water damage on the walls in our church's meeting place. It was completed Tuesday.

I had an evangelistic Bible study scheduled with Monia for Friday, but **she cancelled it the day before, and we have not set a new date yet.**

I am thankful **God helped me complete my project of recording all of the hymns** we sing at church so that they are all available for use if/when I am ever unable to play the piano during the services.

We had a nice get-together last week with 8 ladies (7 from our church). One of our ladies gave a devotional.

The kids all went back to school Monday. Daniela is in 7th grade (BJU homeschool), Nino is in 5th (Italian public school), Angelo is in 4th (Italian public school), and Gabriella is in kindergarten (Italian public school). **There are a number of new teachers and helpers to reach out to this year.**

Tom has been doing a weekly game time with the young people in our church. **Please continue to pray for Monaldo and Diego.**

As the war continues, prices on everything are climbing. Electricity costs 10 times what it cost this time last year, and many businesses are having a hard time keeping up with costs. There is a lot of talk of various businesses closing—at least until the war ends—because it costs more for them to keep their doors open than the income they bring in. **Please pray for a positive and timely end to the war and for the economic difficulties to bring witnessing opportunities and spiritual results.**

Thank you for your prayers!

Stephanie for Tom, Daniela, Nino, Angelo, & Gabriella

YOU ARE WORTHY...FOR YOU WERE SLAIN & HAVE REDEEMED US TO GOD...OUT OF EVERY TRIBE & TONGUE & PEOPLE & NATION. REV. 5:9