

# Home Missions Today

This is Al Tricarico reporting the February 15, 2023, edition of Home Missions Today. God is using your prayers to develop the ministries of Orthodox Presbyterian mission works across North America.

## **WEST PLAINS, MISSOURI — Covenant Reformed Church, Paul & Sarah Mourreale**



Praise the Lord for his faithfulness to Covenant Reformed Church! Rev. Paul Mourreale writes, “Recently we needed to move again and find a new meeting location. The Lord has provided for us a public-school gym, which will serve our needs very well. We continue to see regular newcomers and are excited to be holding another new members class. The Lord has also provided two diaconal candidates.” He continues, sharing that this month the body has received a couple by reaffirmation of faith, and that there is another gentleman who is expected to make a public profession of faith soon, Lord willing. This man, a long-time visitor of the church, has expressed faith in Jesus and will be attending the new members class! In addition, Pastor Mourreale expresses how exciting it is to see many members invite people from the community to church. Pray that the Lord provide a permanent home for Covenant Reformed, and pray for their outreach and discipleship opportunities, that they would grow through conversions as well as Christians moving to the area.

## **BLUFFTON, SOUTH CAROLINA — Covenant OPC of the Low Country, Andrew & Abby Wann**



Pastor Andrew Wann reports that the Lord is at work in Covenant Presbyterian Church of the Low Country, sharing that a number of regular new attenders has given rise to an opportunity to start a new members class. This class, consisting of six individuals, is expected to continue until the end of March. The body has also seen fruit as a result of recent evangelistic efforts around their neighborhood, including one particularly consistent visitor. Additionally, Covenant Presbyterian Church has been blessed by the use of their new Trinity Psalter Hymnals since receiving them at the beginning of the year. As the spring and summer months approach, the congregation is looking forward to the influx of vacationers on Hilton Head Island, which generally brings more visitors to their fellowship. Please pray for increased unity among those of Covenant OPC of the Low Country, for there to be new outreach opportunities, and for the bonds of love to be strengthened.

## **PRESBYTERY OF THE OHIO — Brad Peppo**



Rev. Brad Peppo writes, “God has been faithfully sustaining and expanding the Presbytery of Ohio’s home missions work in the Miami Valley. International ministry continues with English classes and Bible lessons in Dayton, and small groups are gathering in three different cities each Lord’s Day to hear Spanish-language preaching. Steps are being taken to bring in a man with greater facility in Spanish to take up and expand this work. Quran-Bible discussions continue twice a month with Muslim friends, and new participants are being added to the group. Over the holidays, a number of families volunteered to provide hospitality to local international students. One of these students, a young Hindu woman, has begun regularly attending Light of the Nations in Dayton. Other college ministry continues with a sizeable group of students at Cedarville University. It is hoped that an additional man will also be called to take over this ministry and to resume some other ministry which had been taking place at three other area campuses. Also continuing in the POH is the work of church-planting: a new weekly seed-group Bible study has begun in Chillicothe, Ohio, and initial discussions are underway with some similarly interested parties in Louisville, KY. Please pray that the Lord of the Harvest would provide the laborers needed for all these endeavors.”

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