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Greetings in the name of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ! I hope you are enjoying the summer and seeing the Lord's blessing in your part of the harvest field. As the Lord's return nears, may He find us faithful to the work that He has called us to!!

This has been a very busy summer for us. Because of my wife's purse being stolen, we had planned to send Laura back to the USA to get her new driver's license. After praying about it and then talking with Pastor Folger, I decided to also come back to visit some churches and to visit family. Our parents are getting older and are dealing with different health issues. This makes it more difficult to be so far away. Please keep them and us in your prayers.

While in the states, we had some precious time visiting with our children and grandchildren—including our two newest grandchildren who were born this year. It was good to see all our children serving the Lord in their local churches. God is working in all their lives, and we praise the Lord for that. Pray for our family, that the Lord would help us all to serve Him all the way to the finish line!

While visiting with Amos's family, we were able to meet with some Russians and

Moldovans who have been visiting Amos's church. We had plenty of laughs as Laura and I would mix some Hungarian words in with the Russian phrases. Please pray for these dear people as they seek to have a Russian speaking Baptist church.

Our son, James and his wife, Amber will be going to Russia next month for a survey trip. They are planning to start deputation next spring to go to Russia as missionaries. Please keep them in your prayers as they begin this next step in their lives.

Since James and Amber will also be sent out of Cleveland Baptist Church, and to avoid future confusion, please address all correspondence for us to "Jim Pranger" or "Jim & Laura Pranger". Any correspondence for our son should be addressed to "James D. Pranger" or "James & Amber Pranger."

It is good to be back home in Hungary. The folks here were very excited to see us return, and we are very thankful for all their help as well. God has given us a good group of people to work with.

Because of our trip to the states, our youth conference was postponed until next week (Aug. 10-13<sup>th</sup>). Our theme this year is "Running your race" from Hebrews

12:1-2. Pray for God to work in the hearts of those who will be attending.

We have some groups coming to visit this fall and are looking forward to showing them around our part of the Lord's harvest field. If any of you would like to come for a visit, please let us know. You are always welcome.

We are planning to go back to the USA in May to see Lydia graduate from Heartland Baptist Bible College. We do hope to visit many of our supporting churches during our time in the states.

In closing, I want to thank you all for your love, prayers, and support for us. We have a wonderful group of supporting pastors and churches.

May the Lord Jesus bless you all and keep all of faithful, till He returns! Bye for now, and till next time, I'll be...

In the fields,  
Jim Pranger

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