



RCR Ministry, Inc.
FRONTLINE Prayer Letter
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Pirkko Home Centers (ministering to those with addictions)

Friends! We thank you for your prayers regarding the Pirkko Home ministry in Rummyantsevo, Moscow Region - a matter we specifically asked you to pray for. Please continue to pray, as we are still awaiting the results following the recent government inspection.

We have several other pressing Pirkko Home prayer needs:

- A camp retreat for all the Pirkko Homes was originally scheduled for mid-May at Ruchiyok Christian camp, but was postponed due to various inspections. Instead, the event happened the last weekend, in May, and God blessed it. These gatherings serve as a great source of encouragement and inspiration to those in our Pirkko Homes. Please pray for the 100 people who attended this event, and that many will come to Christ.
- Oleg Glazov is the leader at the Dyatkovo Pirkko Home (Bryansk Region); we have been praying for him for quite some time after his stroke. He began another round of post-stroke rehabilitation on May 25th. Upon its completion, he will move to Solnechnogorsk instead, as he requires constant assistance. Please pray for his continued ministry. Pray also for the ministry continuing at the Dyatkovo Pirkko Home and a new leader.
- Renovation work continues at the house in Berezovo (Tula Region). We have prepared the interior walls for plastering and have removed the old flooring and ceilings. We are currently focused on constructing an addition, to house bathrooms and a boiler room; we've poured the foundation. We want to ensure the premises are fully accessible and suitable for residents with disabilities. May God help us accomplish this!

RCR Studio Ministry

Ayur Vanzhilov: Dads Are Trending! Over the past month, our RCR Studio has hosted several guests from large families: Alexey S.—a father of five; Alexey J.—a father of seven; Arman A.—a father of nine; Alexey D.—a father of nine; as well as Denis Samarin, who has ten children! All these brothers serve as pastors in their respective churches. Look for these stories coming soon on the ***Choice*** program with Natalia Chernyakova. In our modern age, being parents of a large family is not highly valued; yet, through their own families, our guests reveal the miracles and mighty works of God. **Happy Father's Day!**



“The Value of the Bible.” This year, we launched a video project exploring the value of the Bible. This project consists of a five-part video series. This initiative coincides with the 150th anniversary of the Synodal Translation of the Bible into Russian. Please pray as we complete the final video editing and make it available to viewers.

The Gospel Behind Barbed Wire Prison Magazine Ministry

Eduard Zavedeyev: We thank you for your prayers and financial support of our ministry dedicated to publishing and distributing the magazine. Please pray for the prison ministers who help inmates find the narrow path to salvation, and for those who came to faith while incarcerated. Here is a request from one of our brothers:

“Brothers and sisters, please pray for me, that God may direct the path of my future life, for after 16 years, my sentence is coming to an end. I am deeply grateful to the editorial staff of The Gospel Behind Barbed Wire magazine for helping me find true brothers and sisters in Christ. I am firmly resolved to glorify the Lord once I am released. The world has changed radically over these 16 years. I do not fear freedom, yet I approach it with trembling.” - Eduard B. (from Prison IK-5 in Kemerovo, released this past April)

We send large quantities of our magazines to prison ministers—many of whom are former prisoners themselves. For instance, Andrey Govorov (a pastor in Kursk) and Yuri Furmanov (who frequently writes short stories which we have included in our magazine) took a long journey this past April to the Orenburg region to visit a prison known as the “Black Dolphin,” where inmates sentenced to life imprisonment serve their terms. In May, they visited the women’s prison IK-2, located in the Leningrad region. While there, they were able to meet with our sister Elena V., whose personal testimony can be read in our magazine, issue No. 2, 2026 (No. 186). It brings us great joy to realize that we have so many compassionate co-laborers in God’s harvest field.

Please pray for the requests highlighted above and an end to the war and suffering in Ukraine.

Praise God for His care and provision for the RCR ministry during these turbulent times.



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