



Rob & Amanda Smith

Please pray for the

The Smith Family

Your missionaries to Hartlepool, England

Special Dates:
Rob 09/18
Amanda 02/20
Anniversary 03/15/14

September-December 2024

“..Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?...” Isaiah 6.8

“The Gospel is only good news if it gets there in time.” ~ Carl Henry

Dear Praying Friends,

We would like to wish you a Happy New Year and pray that you had a blessed Christmas! Amanda and I have had a busy Christmas season, and we are thanking the Lord for the past year he has given us to serve Him. We are excited about the upcoming year of 2025, and how the Lord is going to bring His will in our life to fruition throughout the coming days ahead. I hope that in this new year we can as the quote says get the gospel out before its to late.

Hartlepool

The Lord continues to bless the church here in Hartlepool and we are encouraged to see the desire of our people towards the things of God. The ladies in the church have been a tremendous blessing to not only us, but to our local community. Before Christmas the local Hospitals were seeking help for people to sew drain holder bags for women who have undergone Mastectomy surgeries. In a combined effort they were able to make 108 bags, in three weeks. Each of these bags had scripture cards inside and our church details. We hope that these reach souls in what might be the hardest days of their lives. I was proud that they were able to be the hands and feet of Jesus.

We have seen an increased interaction with the people of street outreach, and some quite productive conversation. Also, we have seen an increase interest in tracts and Johns Gospel out of the sketch board while street preaching. On several occasions we have seen young people read

the tracts immediately as they walk down the street. We have had a few visitors from this outreach including some returning for a second time. Also, we had several visitors out for our church Carol Service and were able to give a gift to all who attended.

Durham

We have had increased interest in the street work efforts. We have also had a few visitors on our Sunday afternoon services here which is a great encouragement.

For Christmas we were able to conduct a Christmas Carol service at the local Residential Home where people shared their memories of Christmas past, and the Gospel was given. (Romans 5:2-5) In the new year we will be increasing our services in hopes that more people will be able to attend. Please pray that the Lord will bless these extra efforts and that we can see souls reached for the Glory of the Lord.

Until the Shout,

The Smiths

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