# **Revival News** European Monthly Report



# April 2022



# On the Easter weekend the Hungarian fellowship hosted the first Spring Camp in three years with the camp theme "Revival Defeats Fear".

With participants from Hungary, Holland, Czech, Austria, Ukraine, Switzerland and the UK, altogether 87 local people and 42 from abroad, this was a wonderful international camp, offering great opportunities to meet and learn from new brothers and sisters and their testimonies and catching up with old ones.

One special thing was a relatively large number of new people and guests participating, including a traveller, who was staying at the campsite when he heard the gospel. He was lost in the world and looking for peace, and at camp got born again and joined our meetings (see photos page 3).

Lots of spiritual food was served in the form of talks, conversations, items and spiritual gifts. The question attached to the camp theme "what will you do about it?" challenges us to do more about revival and more against fear. We heard a presentation on bible prophecy about Russia, we saw God's blessing being asked on our new pastor, Ps. Nigel and saw two baptisms, with three people receiving the gift of the Holy Ghost. There was something to learn and take home from this great camp for everyone, saints received answers, overcame weaknesses and were built up in the Spirit - all according to the glory of our God. Some saints came earlier or left later after camp so we could have a precious time of international fellowship which we very much appreciated and enjoyed. *Revival Fellowship Hungary (see more camp photos on page 3)* 

ALSO IN APRIL : UK Convention, Suriname Convention, Ireland Mini-camp and exciting news from Aruba!

Server News,

April 2022 Recordings from camps, conventions and meetings are available from our webserver.

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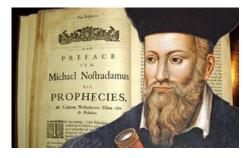
# **Editorial: The future.**

Mankind has always been fascinated by the future. Predicting the future has always been a profitable business, and that has not changed.

In Matthew 6:25 and Luke 12: 22 onwards we read how animals and plants don't worry about the future. **Only** 

mankind seems to get involved in this. In Deut 18:10 we read about the practice of trying to predict the future, with all sorts of "tools". God says we are not to get involved in this.

So, lets look at some stuff people get involved in:



Nostradamus, 23 December 1503, was a French pharmacist.

Like many of his colleagues from the Renaissance period, he also practiced astrology. He is best known as a seer, and as the author of Les Prophéties.



A report published by the Zambian Observer has revealed that the first school of witchcraft and sorcery has been launched in South Africa.

The purpose of this witchcraft education center will be to regulate those who want to learn these kinds of specific practices. According to the media, Minister Nzimande said: "You need a permit to practice witchcraft in South Africa. We are tir of witches operating without permits.





In the Bible we see that there were prophets, Daniel is one of the great ones. He was asked in Dan 2, by Nebuchadnezzar to make known a dream and to show the interpretation thereof. Most of us known this to be a vision of the great future empires of this world. The prophet Ezekiel is another example. Particularly ch 37-40 applies more to the present times.

The prophesies regarding the Russian federation, and the current events can be clearly recognized.



A Russian state TV presenter has stated that the reason Vladimir Putin's "special operation" in Ukraine is taking so long is because the nation has entered World War III.

Presenter Olga Skabeyeva asked Rossiya 1 viewers to "acknowledge" that the country is now "fighting NATO". "You can safely call it that because it has escalated in the Third World War. "Right now, we're certainly fighting NATO infrastructure, if not NATO itself. We have to recognize that."

(By the time you read this, things will have moved on to ...?)

Meanwhile in Israel:



For years, Orthodox Jews have reenacted the Passover sacrifice on the hills around Jerusalem. This year, they hope to return the ceremony to the Temple Mount itself. Their message:

"Israel is under attack! Terrorists come out of their burrows and murder Jews all over Israel! We can't wait any longer!" Now we must sacrifice the **Passover lamb** on the Temple Mount where the Holy of Holies still stands to put an end to terror and make peace with the Most High God!

I can go on and on, numerous predictions, numerous "solutions" and all of them are missing the real point. Mankind was created different from animals, mankind was created to live forever in a different kingdom than the kingdoms of this world. The kingdom of God.

Jesus came to show the way and present the way to get there.

John 3:1-8 is very clear and simple. And so, the sure prediction, free of charge:

Mt 24:14 And this **gospel of the kingdom** shall be preached in all the world for a witness unto all nations; and **then shall the end** 

*come.* That's all we need to know and act upon.



Ps Piet Visser

#### Heard from the platform:

- We don't always have to know or see everything to believe. God is happy when we just believe Him.
- God's promises are not limited by time. They are still relevant today.
- The Lord wants us to come before Him with an open heart and tell him everything.
- Don't count your losses, concentrate on winning Christ
- Don't limit the Lord in your thinking
- Don't let your blessings substitute God
- Let's have more moments of wonder in our walk!
- Growing is a series of changes; accept the changes.
- What are our 'high places'? What are we still hanging onto from our old lives?
- We don't need to take either side in conflict—take the 3rd option : the Lord's side.
- Don't worry, just be ready!
- We have a purpose in life that money can't buy
- Keep communicating with each other to avoid misunderstandings

# Revival across Europe and the UK

Baptisms in April: 2 in Hungary, 2 in the UK, 11 in the Netherlands



# More from Spring Camp in Hungary



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# UK Convention: "Save Yourselves—A New Beginning"





This month, we had two baptisms, Jenny and Esther, both from personal contacts. Both ladies were baptised and received the Holy Spirit. Some are already witnessing to others, keen to learn and share testimonies with their newly found brothers and sisters. They particularly loved being a part of our UK convention which was held over three days in West London.

The theme for this year's convention was: "Save yourselves – a new beginning". Great theme in a world where many are filled with such uncertainty and fear for their future. We had a flow of visitors through the outreaches and through personal invitations. Some contacts are on going and we even had a lady come through an internet search.

Most who attended were from the UK fellowships and the French fellowship. A fantastic time where the word was preached, testimonies were shared great fellowship over three beautiful sunny days. Thank you to all those who came! We heard of testimonies of hope being given in a dark world, peace that passes understanding received in times of uncertainty or illness, God providing more than abundantly where there was nothing, being brought into the truth and the freedom of serving Christ, the protective hand of God in near death accident. The list of what our God has done and keeps doing for all is without bound.

As we heard, let us speak the truth always, bring hope to this dark world by peaching His word to all, and always stay on the side of the Light. A great future awaits us.

**Revival Fellowship West London** 



### Suriname Convention and latest news

This year we had our first three-day convention. Our theme was the same as the UK convention " A new beginning". We had a couple of visitors and we had a great time together. All of the Saints who attended agreed that the convention is worth repeating on a yearly basis. After the convention we had one baptism and he also received the Holy Spirit the same day.

Despite the heavy rainfall during the past



couple of weeks we always try to outreach. A number of people received the Holy Spirit and everytime we have great fellowship after the outreach. Working for the Lord always pays off :)

We are still in the process of buying our own hall, however the prices in the real estate market are currently too high. We are devoted to trust in the Lord and believe that He will provide the solution. *Pastor Guillaume, RF Suriname* 

# Ireland Mini-camp





During the Easter break, we took the opportunity to hire a couple of holiday homes in the countryside. We were joined by Martin, Emma, Ben and Krisztina from North London and Carol from Medway, it was like a mini camp.

It was a great time of fellowship, Talks, Testimonies and fun. On one of the days our sister invited a lady who she hadn't seen for over 20 years to catch up. She ended up coming to a morning meeting and also stayed for some time afterwards. There is no doubt that she was left with an impression and we will keep in contact. We also had a follow up with a man that our sister has been witnessing to, Praise the Lord. It was an uplifting time for us all, just to get away from the daily demands in life and to spend quality time together "iron sharpening iron". Revival Fellowship Ireland



# **Revival in Aruba**

Roy, Maricelle, Bert and Klaasje went to Aruba this month. They had a great time visiting many of Roy and Maricelle's family and friends, and shared the gospel with them.

Many heard the word, some came to a meeting. Roy's brother, John, received the Holy Spirit. Maricelle's brother, Felix, was born again. Another lady, Noemie, also received the Holy Spirit. What a privilege to know that we can spread the word wherever we go and God confirms it with signs and wonders. To be continued... *Revival Fellowhip Dordrecht* 



### The Revival Fellowship in:



#### Almere

Praise the Lord for a lively month again, with 6 people being born again.

Visitors came after witnessing on the streets or through personal or work contacts.

At one of the 3 house meetings that we had at the first week of the month an elderly man Roy (70+), got baptised and received the Holy Spirit. He heard the Gospel the day before at an outreach and did not hesitate to take action.

Another daughter and son of our newly born sister Yvett from last month also got baptised and Spirit filled.

There were a few others who got born again through work contacts.

We are thankful that God still gives the opportunity to people to be able to get saved and that we can be a useful tool in His work in that.

We enjoyed the international camp evening with many testimonies of brethren and short talks and presentations from all our fellowships. Thank you all for your contribution.

During signs and wonders evening we heard beautiful testimonies how God helped sisters Ashley, Louisa, Marscha, Meghann and brother Frank to overcome their depression, anxiety or mental challenges. God is faithful to those who are searching for His refuge and not the solutions of the world. They all testified about how they changed personally going through these periods of time, how they became stronger spiritually. It is great to see all the revival and the personal growth in our walks with the Lord.

#### **Czech Republic**

God bless you brothers and sisters. In the last month we have had some bitter-sweet things

happen. We said goodbye to our beloved Treml family. Tomas, Shelley and the kids moved to Australia. They were a big help while they were here and we will miss them. We wish them all the best and God's blessings on the new stage of their walks in Oz. We had an emotion filled dinner night (with a fantastic goulash) to send them off. There were items sung and we remembered the happy times we had together before joining the international camp evening.



We, who were at the camp in Hungary came back very encouraged in the Lord from that. Shortly after that our brother in the Lord, Lada Vanek, passed away and now sleeps in the Lord. This is of course sad since he was a lot of fun and we remember him fondly, especially how he would witness to everyone. On the other hand he's just a step ahead of us on the way to meeting the Lord and we look forward to seeing him again in God's Kingdom. Recently on Saturday we had a kids afternoon attended by many visitors. The kids were very well entertained by the well-organised activities so there was plenty of opportunities to witness to their parents. That evening Lena, the mother of our brother Sasha, received the Holy Spirit. All in all a fantastic day!

#### Dordrecht

Two people were born again in Dordrecht this month. A brother shared a testimony about having had chronic headaches for years. He was healed after prayer in the prayer line. Many of us attended sister Viola and Eugene's wedding in Bournemouth on the 23rd of April, others watched it online. Wonderful how the Lord brought them together. And what a great blessing to share this special day with them!

(See also our report on the Aruba trip, page 5)

#### France

This month some of us were blessed to be able to go to UK for the convention. It was so wonderful to experience an 'in person' convention again and reconnect face-to-face with our brethren over there. It was a very uplifting time, enjoying fellowship, the meetings and also participating in the outreaches and spending time with new saints or visitors to the meetings. As usual it goes to fast... looking forward to the Holland convention now!

The Saturday outreaches have been going well with lots of interest and good conversations. A young man who is studying in Angers got a leaflet and has started attending meetings regularly.

#### Hungary

Greetings from Hungary where two people got baptised and three received the Holy Spirit. A brother's aunt, who isn't in the Lord, suggested our church to her colleague who was looking for a good place for her son. She

came along and received God's Spirit.

We organised our first Spring Camp in three years, which turned out to be fantastic - see camp report for details. At the camp site a man from Czech could hear the gospel in his own language from brothers and decided to get baptised, later also receiving the Spirit. Another man was baptised there who was the husband of someone who came back to the fellowship after leaving as a



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youngster. He also received a few weeks later and both are rejoicing in the Lord.

A sister spoke to a colleague who had eye twitching and told her how God can heal instantly. Before the end of the conversation her eye twitching stopped and they both praised the Lord. A sister saw an unattended baby in a buggy that started rolling down the hillside, towards a heavy traffic road. She realized it was too far to reach it so cried to the Lord to save the situation. The buggy tipped over just before the road and the baby was safe and sound. Another sister can see the Lord's hand in changing her so she is now able to start a responsible fulltime job. The Lord sorted out an unpleasant work situation for a sister who's now thankful.

#### Ireland

#### Greetings from Ireland.

(see our camp report on page 5) We continue to outreach in a nearby town called Tralee and we

called Tralee and we have had really positive opportunities. One sister spoke to a young man from the Ukraine who had recently arrived with his family, he told her he was agnostic which allowed her to talk about evidence. We



followed him up that weekend and he gave us the opportunity to open up the Bible and basically go through God's plan from start to finish. He has been left in no doubt of what he should do. Our other sister got the opportunity to pray with a man for the Holy Spirit during the weekly outreach and to expound on things of the Lord.

So it has been really exciting, despite peoples reactions, we look forward to the good things that God has in store as we know that the word doesn't go out void. Praise the Lord.

#### Liverpool

This month we had Paul Coles' funeral. Many people came and we had a few visitors to the hall afterwards. It was a very blessed day, the Gospel went out and we shared some old testimonies.



Lili and Pastor Denis prayed with a lady and she received the Holy Spirit!

Many of us enjoyed going to the London convention. We also had a "Who Am I?" Bible night, where we find out as much as we can about a Bible character, dress up like them (put a tea towel on our head) and give clues about

who we are!

We had a few visitors to our meetings and activities, we have enjoyed lots of good fellowship, walks together and outreaches.

North London We joined the Euro Camp evening

alongside our own concert. It's always great to have a couple of visitors and show them the saints from all over the world. We continued in this vein as we thoroughly enjoyed the excellent Convention in West London. We ran our first Midlands house meeting in Northampton on one of the Saturdays. The Midlands is a vast area, but the meeting was very well attended, with visitors and one lady received the Spirit. The outreaches are going strong and we sometimes branch out into other local towns.

#### Poole

Well what a busy month April has been in the Poole Assembly! Our local outreach was well attended as usual. This was followed by an

online mini-camp evening of talks, testimonies and items shared with our brothers and sisters in the Netherlands and across the UK. It was very enjoyable, and we thank all our brethren for their contributions and fellowship. We all travelled to the three day UK convention held in West London, and spent the weekend enjoying fabulous fellowship with our brothers and sisters. We heard uplifting talks and even a few overseas speakers on the theme of 'Save Yourselves: A New Beginning'. There were great testimonies and many items from the talented young and not-so-young members of the church. We all came

away feeling thoroughly uplifted and edified and again, we thank everyone who contributed to make the rally such a success. We were also privileged to host the wedding of Eugene and Viola on 23rd April and it was great to welcome brothers and sisters from several assemblies as well as the families of the bride and groom. Our first wedding here in Poole was a great success and the occasion provided the perfect opportunity to share what we believe and show just how enjoyable a fellowship wedding is. We really have been blessed with so much additional fellowship this month and we truly thank the Lord as



well as all our brothers and sisters for all their contributions -THANK YOU!

#### Rotterdam

Greetings brethren, quite a busy month with our monthly house meetings and coffee morning. The Saturday night evenings there was an international and local camp

event, question & answer presentation and also a presentation about the flood in Noah's time was it local or worldwide. One evening a few of the saints shared their testimonies, testifying of what the Lord has done for them since they have been born again of water and





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Spirit. Tony had been addicted to drugs, alcohol, and cigarettes for 18 years. When he heard the gospel, he was in a rehab clinic, the doctors there told Tony that he couldn't be cured of his liver disease and addictions. Being obedient to Gods Word by being born again of water and Spirit, he was instantly healed of his addictions, liver disease and a few other physical ailments. Marent was also healed of his drug, alcohol and cigarette addictions and sleep apnea. His son has been healed of epilepsy and has prayed for an uncle who was healed of non-hodgkins disease and also prayed for a colleague's uncle with bowel cancer, and he was also healed. Several of the saints travelled to Hungarian Camp, a privilege to be able to support the saints as this was their first camp for three years, a blessing for all in attendance.

#### Switzerland & Germany

Some of us went to this year's Hungary camp

### **Testimonies**



I am very glad to be able to share my testimony, after a year in the Lord

mind.

with us:

Assemblies connecting to the International Camp Night

and spent a great time there. Beforehand we

visited our brother and sisters in Graz, Austria.

day we travelled to camp together. As always,

it was very uplifting and great to see brothers

and sisters again. We held our monthly bible

study with our French brethren, including

brother Scott from Medway. This time we

God sent out men to spy out the land of

spoke about the story in Numbers 13, when

Canaan. We compared it to our walk in the

Lord and that we shouldn't limit God, as he can

do anything. Do we bring a good report too? If

and it will be good for us, we just must believe

him and not question him through our natural

"I woke up during the night, because of a heavy

Sister Katharina shared a healing testimony

toothache. First, I could localise which tooth

was causing me the pain but eventually the

he promises something to us, he will keep it

We had an outreach in the city and the next

I never had a relationship with Christianity or any church. At most we used to visit church buildings to admire the architecture. We were very lucky when our new neighbours moved in - the Campbell family. Every time we met them

they had a smile on their face. After a few coffees and playing with the

children in the sand, we had the opportunity to attend an online meeting with them and we liked it. I, as a materialist, was slow to come around to the idea.

The thing that changed my mind was when my husband, who (despite the ban on going out) went cycling and only got home at 2AM somewhat tipsy. I was afraid that the Police would stop him and take his driving license. The summer was coming and only he could drive with the caravan. I was angry that he would do something so dangerous. I couldn't sleep. And then I felt a warm touch from God, reassuring me that nothing had happened. We got up in the morning and as if nothing had happened. My anger disappeared and my desire to be with God appeared.

So I decided to get baptized and after ten days, I received the Holy Spirit and spoke in tongues. Two days before my baptism, I was told that I had a tumor in my brain and it had to be removed. The plan was operate to remove the tumor and then to go for gamma ray procedures. I could see that the doctor was very surprised after the operation. He probably couldn't believe the miracle that God helped him remove the whole tumor. Now its under control and most importantly not growing.

One day during the autumn camp I had a headache. I refused the program with our sisters in the afternoon but sister Hela took me for prayer. I felt God's touch again, and in a moment the headache subsided. I also prayed by myself several times for a healing on a headache which typically lasts 2-3 days and where no analgesics help. God can help me and in a moment I feel full of energy again and without pain. For this I thank God immensely and appreciate his strength. Amen. **Blanka, Czech Republic** 



My name is Timmy. I was born in 2009. My parents were in the Lord already.

I received the Holy Spirit around Christmas time 2017. My mum wanted to be sure that I have the Holy Spirit. I received the Holy Spirit when I was praying for healing but instead of the healing I got the Holy Spirit. We prayed for a couple of weeks to make sure that I really have it, my parents wanted to make sure. Then I got bap-

tised on the Sunday meeting. That's how my walk in the Lord started.

My biggest miracle was protection from sickness. In the 'age of covid' when my family members started to get sick I prayed that they wouldn't get sick or at least I wouldn't get sick. My mum got a positive covid test. Both of my parents got sick and my sisters too but only me and my brother weren't sick. **Timothy, Czech Republic** 



#### pain

had spread and even the upper part of the body hurt. It was just before the easter weekend, and I decided to go to the dental emergency the next day. I asked the Lord to heal me and fell back asleep. When I woke up, the pain had completely gone. It's been 3 weeks ago, and I'm still pain free. Praise the lord!"



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