

HEATONS TO HIS HARVEST

Dear Friends and Fellow-laborers in Christ,

August 2021

We have had a wonderful first month on the field. We have begun traveling to each of the church plants and plan to spend a couple of weeks at each to learn the ministry and the culture. In Psalm 83:18, Scripture reveals a great truth, *“That men may know that thou, whose name alone is Jehovah, art the most high over all the earth.”* Why move thousands of miles from home? Why forsake self and comfort? Why compel the lost to hear the truth of the Gospel? It is simple. That men may know the true and living God, the most high over all the earth!

We completed our quarantine time and were able to help with two days of Camp Victory. We praise God for how He worked in both weeks of camp. We have had the most young people attend this year than ever before. (Over 180 campers in both weeks!) The Lord is working in the hearts of young people here.

Last week, we had the great privilege of going to Lower Kingswood, a community just south of London, to hold a Gospel Tent Mission with the team. We were given the use of a farmer’s field to pitch the large tent. God blessed the services, prayer meetings, evangelistic outreach, and the children’s club. Though we were only holding these special services for five days, we saw God work in amazing ways. We had visitors at every evening service, saw forty young people come to the children’s meeting, and had a positive response from the outreach endeavours. Souls were saved in these meetings. To end the week, we had a baptism service, where six were baptized in the lake on the field property. We are praying that God would plant a church in this area and that the efforts of last week would assist in its planting.

We have had the joy of labouring at Oxford Baptist Chapel in Oxford, England for the last several weeks. It is amazing to see how the Lord is blessing this church. They have outgrown their building and are meeting in a field with a large tent. We enjoyed doing open-air work in the city centre and getting involved in the youth work with the teenagers and children while we were there.

We are so thankful to be in the UK after so many months of preparation. The Lord has been so good and gracious in allowing us to join this ministry and team of missionaries. Currently, we are learning to drive manual transmission vehicles and adapt to the driving rules here. (Please pray for us!) We are settling in as much as we can whilst we are traveling. We praise the Lord for nineteen students who are studying at Crown Hall this semester, (These students are British, American, and Dutch).

It is evident that people are truly searching for the truth these days. The harvest is white! Let us not step back, but press forward, knowing we have a clear command from God, and He will enable us! We are praying for you.

– For His Glory, *Jonathan & Gracie Heaton* – Micah 6v8; Psalm 40v16

Prayer Requests:

For a Church to be planted in Lower Kingswood
For those who made professions of faith at Camp and the Mission
Us adjusting to the British Culture and Customs
Ways to reach the thousands of Afghani refugees coming to the UK
Souls to be saved and lives surrendered to service of the LORD
For the Gospel to advance in the UK
For more Labourers to come to this needy field



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Pray ye therefore the
Lord of the harvest,
that He will send forth
labourers into His
harvest.

- Matthew 9:38 -