



# The Thatchers

## Waterford, Ireland



- Ireland's population, 4.5 million
- 34% of population 25 years old or younger
- Dublin's population over 1.2 million
- Waterford's population over 46,000
- 85% still claim to be Roman Catholic

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Dear Friends,

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The Lord has blessed us with good steady attendance in church through out the spring. Our mid-week Bible study/prayer time attendance has grown in particular. There has been some good interaction during our Bible study time. God is working in the hearts of several folks, and they are growing in their walk with the Lord. Do continue to pray with us for those who are coming and need to accept Jesus as their Savior. The Lord has also allowed us to continue to have a good focused time with the kids in our church at the monthly youth service. Pray for the kids as they are bombarded by the current secularistic philosophy that constantly challenges Bible truth.

We are distributing Bibles in during our outreach time that were personalized for Waterford. This has given some good opportunity to tell folks about God and His saving Son that is revealed in His Word. Pray for the hearts of the people of Waterford as they receive the Seed.

We have an intern arriving today that will be here for a few weeks. She is a mission's major in Bible college and seeking God's will concerning the mission field. She will be a help to us with our summer holiday Bible club and many of the other things that go on in our ministry.

There continue to be some things that we would ask you to be praying about with us:

- A family in our church is going through a very difficult time as the devil seeking to wreak havoc.
- Pray for our physical strength and spiritual walk with the Lord.
- Continue to pray for the Lord to provide the remainder of the funds needed to complete the final dental work for Lisa.
- We are also praying for the Lord to provide for us a replacement for our van.
- And being praying for some folks that the Lord has given to us to reach out to and minister to. The challenges of life and the past can be very hard.

Thank you for loving, giving, praying and reaching out to us as we serve the Lord here in Waterford, Ireland.

May the Lord find us faithful,  
Don and Lisa Thatcher & family

**"Being confident of this very thing, that he which hath begun a good work in you will perform it until the day of Jesus Christ."**

**Philippians 1:6**