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Reaching Men and Women for Christ in Italy

Military and International Community

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Buon Giorno di Italia

One of the unique features of our military and international community is the rotating assembly that moves in and out all the time. Between transfers to new duty stations, deployments and temporary duty assignments, our flock is constantly in flux. And though this brings many challenges, it also brings great joy and encouragement. For we believe our planting (sharing the gospel) and watering (discipleship, teaching and preaching) is producing a crop yielding a hundred, sixty or thirty times what was sown. The crosses below represent some of the places individuals and families have relocated to whom we have had the pleasure of ministering too over the past few years. Even now we have others leaving soon; a family going to Kadina AB in Okinawa, and a single airman going to Moody AFB Georgia. We labor hard to fulfill the Great Commission and ask you to pray diligently for all these disciples as they move on to bring the Gospel to other parts of the world. Though it is hard to see them go, we rejoice knowing they are better equipped to share the Gospel and live the Christian life. Please pray God will bring others to take their place.



As for us, we are doing well, plugging along in this new normal of COVID-19. Despite the devastating effect of the coronavirus upon Italy, the country has resumed most of its functions. Since mid-May we have been able to meet for mid-week Bible study, Sunday worship services and one-to-one discipleship. Prior to this time, we were using online and telephone communication to minister. It sure is a blessing to be able to meet in person again. Please pray for the growth of our Christian community with the summer rotation months here. We anticipate a new group of people arriving by summer's end. In closing, we plan to be in the states by mid-July to visit our children and grandchildren in Missouri, Colorado, Nevada, Virginia, and our parents in Florida. Please pray for protection from the virus as we travel internationally and state to state. Thank you so much for your prayers and faithful support.

Serving Together in Christ,

John & Anna