

Dear Friends,

I praise the Lord for His goodness over the summer, and thank Him for what He has done in lives over these months. Around seventy children attended our camps in the Highlands and we know of a number who professed faith in Christ; it was also a real blessing to hear some of the teenagers testify to God's working in their lives, and to see evidence of real spiritual growth in some who were saved over the past couple of years. For some of these young people, their week at camp is a 'spiritual oasis', and they lack teaching and fellowship otherwise. **Please pray for them; and for us, that we might know direction from the Lord as to how we can meet this need** throughout the rest of the year.

The Lord gave Ruth, Lisa, Tim and I unity as a team, for which I thank Him, and we were blessed in our outreach around Ullapool. Fine weather allowed us to visit all the homes in the area and to hold a couple of open-air meetings. **One lady that I would particularly ask prayer for is 'Mary':** she says that she really wants to be saved, but as yet has no assurance of salvation. Our children's club in Coigach was unexpectedly large, and the one in Ullapool was unexpectedly small; however, **a number of very needy children came along, and I would ask you to pray that the Lord would yet save some.**

September sees the beginning of a new season of outreach in the work of the Faith Mission, and it has again brought change for me. Tim Condy has moved to work for FM in Ireland, and so I have been joined this year by Ben Mason from Derbyshire, who has just completed his two years at Bible College. Ben and I will be working both in the Highlands and in the East of Scotland, based initially in Aberdeen until the end of October, and then in Inverness until early next year D.V. Already we have known the Lord's help and presence - in preparation, in services, and in unity together. We also praise the Lord that a lady in her seventies, who attended our recent mission in Cairnbulg, trusted the Lord when a FM worker visited her in her own home in the middle of September.

Our first period of outreach is on Shetland, with Noel McClintock leading the team. We have meetings almost every night in various towns and villages on the mainland, and on a couple of the smaller islands. **Please pray especially for the four nights in the village of Aith,** where some folks live with whom we have had contact before, and that we would love to see coming to hear the gospel and trusting Christ. Then, for three weeks in November, Ben and I will be on the south of the Isle of Harris, one of the Western Isles, for door-to-door visitation, children's clubs and gospel meetings.

We greatly need and deeply appreciate your prayers.

Love in Christ,

John



Ben Mason,
my co-worker for this year.
*We cover the areas shaded yellow
and green on the map of
Scotland.*

14-29 September

Various meetings in Aberdeen area
and preparation for Shetland meetings

30 September-21 October

Outreach on Shetland
including
Sunday services, Gospel outreach meetings,
and 'Christianity explained' mission in Aith
Monday 5th - Thursday 8th Oct.

1-22 November

Outreach on Isle of Harris
including
Children's Club **Monday 9th - Friday 13th Nov.**
Gospel Mission **Sunday 15th - Sunday 22nd Nov.**

*Please pray that God would clearly guide us to
the places where we should hold Gospel missions
in the months ahead.*

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Please pray for
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working in
Scotland