



# Good News Ministries

BASED IN ITALY,  
REACHING SOUTHERN EUROPE  
AND NORTHERN AFRICA

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Dear friends and partners,  
greetings from Italy!



Mauro & Connie Girgenti

"As cold water to a weary soul,  
so is Good News from a far country." (Prov. 25:25)



Mauro, Connie, Laura, Deborah & Sarah

reports that we have received. We are ministering the "Good News" to those that would have not heard the preaching of the Word of God.

We love and appreciate each one of you. We pray for a very blessed Christmas for you and your families!

We are REJOICING in His Birth,

Mauro and Connie

Good News Ministries

For the Italian Harvest and Beyond

*Each year Christmas* brings us to a renewed sense of wonder and gratitude for the great redemptive work that God brought about in the birth of His son, Jesus Christ. It is a time for family and for the simple pleasures of being together. Every Christian will recognize that Jesus is our greatest gift, given by God Himself to transform our lives and give us hope in the darkness of this corrupt world. We praise Him and consecrate ourselves to the preaching of this *Good News* in a lost world.

At this special time of the year, we want to thank our friends and partners for your support of our work in Italy and Europe. We cannot accomplish what God has placed in our hearts without the continued prayers and support from partners and friends like you.

In this month's newsletter, we want to share some praise

*This Christmas,* Good News Ministries is raising the necessary funds so that we can start to build walls, windows and doors around our newest church building in Badgery, Nigeria.

One of our graduates, who is now the pastor of this church, has been holding services from early spring until now without any shelter from the weather. We currently have over 100 people who are regularly coming to church every weekend. It is now time to build the walls, windows and doors so the people can be protected from the elements. We are also holding classes for about 30 children and young people teaching them skills that will help them find work outside of their villages.

Please take this opportunity to send the best gift you can to help Good News Ministries buy the necessary supplies and construction material to build these walls, windows and doors.



**This Christmas we are...  
...Building Walls, Windows and Doors...**

**Cost for supplies is \$10,000 – Thank you for your generosity!**

**(Please write on your cheque: Walls and Doors)**

*"But the angel said to them, Do not be afraid.  
I bring you Good News, of great joy that will be for all the people." Luke 2:10*



# Give HIM the Glory!

I had constant pain in my back for most of my life because of the type of heavy construction work that I do. When I started to come to church last year you were teaching on receiving physical healing by acknowledging what Jesus did on the cross for us. Over the course of this year, I started to confess His promises concerning my healing. I am thankful to say that my back has become stronger. I no longer suffer the excruciating pain that was a persistent reminder that I was not well.

I am the healed one and I Praise God for His Word in my life.

MC - Verona

I wanted to write to let you know how much the books that I have been reading are changing my life. A few years ago I had asked your ministry to send me "The Authority of the Believer", by Kenneth Hagin. As I started reading this book, I began to understand what Jesus did for me on the cross. I have now read most of the books and have started giving them away to family and friends, who are eagerly reading them. I have started to live my life with confidence in God's promises for me and I believe for God's goodness and blessings to overtake me.

CG - Agrigento

Two years ago I was living on the streets as a drug dealer when a person from your church invited me to a concert. I decided to come because I was so desperate. I hated my life. It seemed that during the concert, the rapper who was singing his songs was talking personally to me. I did not know what I was doing but I decided to ask Jesus to change my life that night. After making this decision, I still had many struggles to overcome – but somehow I had the strength to leave the group of people I was hanging around with and with your help I put myself through rehab. After three years of staying clean, I am now helping others who are living on the streets like I was. Your constant encouragement and help to see God as my Father has made me a better man and through Jesus I can do all things!

CA - Naples



Over the last 18 years we have been so blessed to have many churches and individuals join hands with us in bringing God's Word to Italy and Europe. It is because of YOU that we have been able to do all the things that God has called us to do.

## Thank You

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*Together we are making a difference in the nation of Italy!*

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