

2025 FTTA Gospel Trips

Report and Prayer Burdens 6

January 29, 2025

EUROPE

Austria / Hungary / Slovakia

January 26-27

We met with the saints from Vienna, Budapest, and Bratislava for the Lord's table meeting and enjoyed a good time of blending after the meeting.

We had prayer and ministry reading together in the morning with the local saints in Bratislava. Then we went out to distribute gospel tracts and ministry booklets in Hungarian, Slovak, and Russian in downtown Bratislava. The most encouraging is that one contact of the local saint who had been closed for a long time started to open to him because of seeing our gospel distribution on the street.

January 29

In the morning we read a ministry portion and prayed for today's gospel work. During our lunch, the sisters had a chance to promote the New Testament Recovery Version Bible to people who sat around them. At night, we had sweet fellowship with the saints in Košice.

Statistics:

Tracts: 335

Contacts: 41

Prayed: 7

Prayer burdens:

1. For the Lord to continually operate in every situation in Bratislava for His own interests.
2. For the Lord to gain the key ones and continue His work in Košice.



Baltic Countries

January 28-29

On Tuesday, the team went to downtown Tallinn to pass out tracts and preach the gospel. All the sub-teams had meaningful encounters, with seven people praying to receive the Lord. One of the contacts joined the open meeting later in the evening.

On Wednesday, the brothers continued with the gospel outreach, and the sisters visited a family in Tallinn. Even on our last day in Tallinn, the Lord opened the hearts of many to receive the Lord. There were ten Bibles that were distributed, and twelve people prayed to receive the Lord. A local brother made a remark that the people seemed to be more open than two years ago. Praise the Lord for all that He has done and is doing in the city of Tallinn.

Prayer burdens:

1. For the acquisition of an appropriate space for the Lord's table meeting in Tallinn.
2. For the going on and the strengthening of the saints in Tallinn.
3. For the young people gathering next week in Riga, Latvia.

Belgium / The Netherlands

January 28

We arrived in Rotterdam, Netherlands, in the early afternoon and got to have lunch and some fellowship with the local saints. Later on we got to meet the saints who provided hospitality to us and had more fellowship with them. Then we disbursed back to our own hospitality to have dinner with the hosts and their children.

January 29

In the morning, we had a coordination with a brother from Rotterdam. We got to sing a couple hymns and read half a chapter of *The Jubilee* and then packed the Bible sets. After lunch we went to distribute Bibles at Erasmus University Rotterdam. There were 17 Bible sets distributed in less than an hour. We are still in the process of collecting more statistics of how many we contacted and prayed today. And then we headed to their Wednesday night home meeting.

Prayer burdens:

1. For a meeting place in Rotterdam.
2. That the Lord would add more people to the church in Rotterdam.
3. That the Lord would make His home in the ones that we contacted on January 29.
4. That He would continue softening their heart that they would develop a taste for the Lord.

France (Paris 1 - Center)

January 27

The team had morning coordination and fellowship with the team overseer and a full timer before going out to distribute Bibles. During the Bible distribution, several students at the nearby university/metro station came up to us asking for Bibles and we got several of their contact information. In the evening we attended a small group meeting and met a French gospel contact and are in fellowship in how to further contact her. We visited a contact from the Bible distribution in her home on Saturday for lunch to spend time with her and her children.

January 28

After morning coordination, we went out on the gospel. We passed out 39 out of the 40 Bibles we brought. One particular contact was saved two years ago and is still enjoying the joy of her salvation. During the conversation, as the trainees would share verses, she would write the verses down in her journal filled with her favorite verses. She agreed to an appointment the same day and said she will bring her friend who was the one who preached the gospel to her. This time was very encouraging and we will have another appointment with her tomorrow. We also talked to a Catholic student and will read the Bible with her next Tuesday. Another contact and appointment was made with a family of four adults with three children. We will meet them on Thursday to deliver Spanish Bibles to them.

January 29

During the one hour of Bible distribution, we passed out 35 out of 40 Bibles we brought. Several students who received the Bible were open to meeting for further fellowship and left us their contact information. We joined the corporate prayer meeting tonight in Palaiseau with all the districts and teams. We came together to pray for many contacts to come to the conference this weekend and for the Lord to release the proper venue for the International French Speaking Conference in Paris in April.

Prayer burdens:

1. That the students would be open and have time to talk despite the weather.
2. That the Saturday time with the contact would be full of life and that her and her children would be watered and touched.
3. That the Catholic student would be able to read the Bible with us next Tuesday.
4. That the contact we will meet in the afternoon will be connected to a local saint here.
5. For His released speaking at the International French Speaking Conference in April.

France (Paris 3 - Versailles)

January 29

Today we tried out a new location for our Bible distribution - the University of Versailles Saint-Quentin-en-Yvelines. We were not able to enter the campus, so we distributed outside the gates of the campus; however, due to low foot traffic and other factors, we decided to change locations. We moved to a major train station, Gare de Versailles-Chantiers. We had many meaningful conversations, and two people prayed to receive the Lord.

In the evening, we joined the corporate prayer meeting in Palaiseau and prayed for the upcoming conference this weekend.

Prayer burdens:

1. For follow-up contact with those whom we met while distributing Bibles. Pray that these ones would respond and come for a second contact so they could be remaining fruit.
2. That many new seekers would be released to join the conference this weekend and be unveiled to see the grace of God in the economy of God.
3. That the Lord would have His way to reach the university students in Versailles.

France (Lyon)

January 29

We spent the last three days on the National Institute of Applied Sciences of Lyon campus. We met many students who were interested in receiving French Bibles. Over the last three days, we distributed over 110 Bibles. We spent the evenings blending in the homes of the saints and hearing their testimonies of how the Lord brought them to Lyon.

Prayer burdens:

1. That the Lord would release many of these contacts to be available for the Bible seminar this Friday.
2. For the baptism of two contacts next Wednesday.



France (Lille)

January 27

We had a very sweet time of coordination with the local saints in the morning. In the afternoon we had three shepherding appointments together with the local saints and the new contacts. In the evening one of the new contacts who has been regularly meeting with the saints for a few months took us on a tour of the city. We were able to blend with him and get to know him more.

January 28

We had a Bible distribution in Lille City Center. During the hour and a half, we distributed 115 Bibles, got 14 personal contacts and prayed with 4 people to receive the Lord. Although it was slightly raining and quite windy, the Lord still had a way to reach His people.

Prayer burdens:

1. For the 2-4 home meetings that are happening each day.
2. For the “tentative” ones, that they would confirm and come, and that the confirmed ones would be preserved.
3. For the Bible distribution on Friday, January 31.



France (Toulouse / Bordeaux)

January 29

During the Bible distribution time we met many open people. Some prayed to receive the Lord and some had lengthy conversations with us. We sang at a major metro station and discovered it created a warm atmosphere for people to approach us and receive the Bible.

A local sister who was gained a few months ago joined us this week for coordination and Bible distribution. She has been bubbling over with the Spirit and has the joy of the Lord in her gospel preaching. It has been so refreshing to see her fresh enjoyment of sharing the Lord with the people in her city.

At night we had dinner with the laboring saints and participated in the prayer meeting.

Prayer burdens:

1. That many would come to the gospel harvest meeting on Thursday, January 30, and that we would reap remaining fruit to build up the church.
2. That our contacts would respond for a second appointment.
3. For the endurance of the pillars in Toulouse as they labor to raise up a lampstand.

Germany (Frankfurt)

January 29

We had only one German Bible left by the end of our Bible distribution time with one person who received the Lord and another taking Bibles for her friend and mother. Instead of the 3 contacts from the gospel, a college student's dad came to the meeting tonight.

Prayer burdens:

1. For our safe travel to Frankfurt.
2. For the two student meeting on January 30, in Frankfurt.
3. That the college student's dad would be saved and meet in the church life.

Germany (Düsseldorf)

January 28-29

Our second day on the Heinrich-Heine University (HHU) campus, we were able to have a second appointment with three students and connected them with the local saints. Additionally, we received 5 contacts and had lunch with a few students. We are very encouraged by the way the local saints are coming together for this work; 5 to 10 of them are joining us every day!

On January 29, we moved to Essen where we had a blending time with the saints there. We will be there for 3 days to announce the gospel of the Kingdom and to encourage the local saints.

Statistics:

Tracts: 150+

Bibles: 20

Conversations: 47

Contacts: 15

Prayer burdens:

1. For 2 or 3 of these contacts to come fully into the church in Düsseldorf so that the Lord would have a foothold on this campus.
2. For the saints in Essen to have a proper increase so that there could be a lampstand in this city.

Germany (Munich)

January 28

After coordination, we joined 1 new appointment and had 2 regular appointments. A couple from Austria visited and shared their testimony with us. The rest of the afternoon we proof-read the church history book for their trip in March. In the evening, we had a singing time with the students and then joined the prayer meeting.

January 29

We began reading *The Jubilee*, cleaned the meeting hall, and joined appointments with the students. In the evening we joined a home meeting with 13 students. We enjoyed that Instead of determining the “good” thing to do, we should instead contact Christ who is the tree of life and depend on Him.

Prayer burdens:

1. That the students would join the student meeting and touch their spirit on Thursday, January 30.
2. That the students would join the home meeting and be fed on Friday, January 31.
3. That students would continue to pursue the Lord while studying during the exam period.

Germany (Hamburg)

January 28

On Tuesday, January 28, we split up into two teams and tabled on two campuses, Universität Hamburg and Hamburg University of Applied Sciences, HAW Hamburg. We contacted about 12 people and handed out 11 Bibles. In the evening we joined the prayer meeting.

Prayer burdens:

1. That the students come to the Saturday gospel meeting and Monday Bible study.
2. That at least 5 students would be remaining fruit.
3. For a meeting hall in Hamburg.



Ireland

January 26-27

We had the Lord's table at a saint's home and had a love feast. In the afternoon, we had a time with the young people where we sang and shared our experiences on our consecration to the Lord.

On January 27, we had dinner and fellowship time with the saints at Lawrence medical center and read Matthew chapter 13 together.

January 28

On Tuesday morning, we had morning revival and coordination before sharing the gospel at Trinity College Dublin. Due to some rainy conditions, we chose not to set up the table and instead went out in pairs to preach the gospel. In the evening, we participated in the prayer meeting and read the *Life-study of Exodus* chapter 151 on the incense altar.

January 29

On Wednesday morning, we had our morning revival and coordination session. We headed to the University College Dublin and continued to walk in pairs to share the gospel.

Prayer burdens:

1. For the going out to University College Dublin and Trinity College gospel preaching.
2. For remaining fruit in church in Dublin.

Luxembourg

January 28

An encouraging report is that a contact said she has already started to read the Bible that she received yesterday. She prayed to receive the Lord. We have come across many people who told us they have been meaning to purchase a Bible recently or have been looking for a version of the Bible they could understand. One man, after receiving a Bible, kissed the Bible while walking away from the table because he was so happy to get one.

Prayer burdens:

1. For the contact the sisters had today to continue to read the Bible with a local sister here.
2. That the Lord would strengthen and encourage the three families in Luxembourg. Especially pray for a visitation this week in the home of one of the newer families.
3. For the Lord to bother all the ones who received a Bible today to actually open the Bible and read it.
4. For all the ones who gave us their contacts to respond and be open for a second appointment.

Switzerland (Geneva / Lausanne)

January 28

Today we distributed Bibles at the town center of Lausanne.

Statistics:

French Bibles: 35	Portuguese Bible: 1
English Bibles: 2	German Bible: 1
Contacts: 10+	Called on the name of the Lord: 11

Prayer burdens:

1. That the Lord would lead us in the way to contact these ones.
2. For the continual mutual shepherding with the local saints .
3. That we would arrive safely as we make our way to Geneva on January 29.

Switzerland (Bern)

January 26-27

Today we joined the table meeting and shared about the full-time training to the saints. We were able to fellowship with more of the saints over a love feast.

The next day, we preached the gospel at the University of Bern. We had an opportunity to have a meal with a new one's friends and were able to share some of our experiences of Christ with them.

January 28-29

We traveled to Zurich from Bern and joined the prayer meeting with the saints at the meeting hall. On January 29, we went to Federal Institute of Technology Zurich (ETH) in Zurich to share the gospel and were privileged to have many divine appointments.

Prayer burdens:

1. That the three students who were believers whom we contacted would be available for second appointments and to be eventually connected with the saints.
2. That the student who prayed to receive the Lord would be connected to the saints and would be baptized.
3. That the recently established small groups would continue taking the way of life and be built up with one another.
4. Pray that the dormant saints would be available to meet and contact with the saints and be recovered into the church life.

Spain

January 29

We are in the city of Valladolid. We attended a home meeting and enjoyed the fellowship with the saints there. There were quite a few new ones in this home meeting so the trainees and the local saints took turns overflowing their enjoyment from the readings in Spanish! After lunch with the saints the following day, we went out gospel preaching in the city center where there were people of all ages walking around. Many people were open to receiving tracts and Bibles.

Statistics:

Tracts: 300

Bibles: 20

Conversations more than 30 sec: 6

Visitations: 2

Prayer burdens:

1. That the saints in Valladolid would continue to grow in life and see the economy of God.
2. That the brothers in Valladolid would take the ground as led by the leading of the Spirit.
3. That the Lord would continue to strengthen the pillar families in Valladolid.
4. For the upcoming Bible distribution in Coruña.

NORTH AMERICA

Mid-Atlantic

Virginia

January 25-27

We tabled for Bibles for America and Christians on Campus at Old Dominion University (ODU). Collectively we handed out 80 Bibles, 200 tracts, and had 25 signups.

January 28-29

We tabled for Bibles for America and Christians on Campus at Old Dominion University and Tidewater Community College. Christians on Campus at ODU hosted a Bible Study on January 28, and 6 of the students whom the team met at the BFA table attended the Bible study.

Prayer burdens:

1. That the vice president of Norfolk State University (NSU) would approve the team's request to distribute materials on campus for this Thursday and Friday. This would be the team's first time tabling at NSU.
2. That the seeking ones would attend the Bible studies on Wednesday and Thursday at ODU.
3. For the Bible seminar and workshop on Saturday night.

Midwest

Columbus, OH / Cincinnati, OH

January 28

The team tabled and handed out flyers on campus, gaining 18 more contacts and handing out over 46 flyers. Then trainees joined in the team's appointment (5 total) and prepared Bible study content.

Statistics:

Tracts: 151

Contacts: 36

Prayed to received the Lord: 2

Prayer burdens:

1. That the Lord would speak through our trainee brother as he gives the Bible study message and that many would come to be under the hearing of faith and realize the need to be saved much more in His life.
2. That the Lord would release a second interaction with our 36 contacts on the gospel.

Ann Arbor, MI / West Lafayette, IN

January 27

We had morning coordination with the campus team. We enjoyed reading the book, *The Jubilee*, together, fellowshiping about the gospel contacts we had yesterday, and praying for them one by one. In the afternoon, we went to the northern and central campus for tabling and gospel preaching.

January 28

We had two tables for the Christian students at Michigan club, with one set up in each of the main campuses of the University of Michigan. So far we have handed out a total of 413 tracts, 18 bibles, and had 52 meaningful conversations with students.

January 29

We passed out 230 tracts and 11 Bibles. We contacted 17 students while 2 prayed to receive the Lord. The brothers had a Bible study with 16 attending and had a deep fellowship on how the blood of Jesus cleanses our sin. The sisters joined a home meeting and enjoyed singing the hymn, "I love the Lord, He is my strength."

Prayer burdens:

1. For the Thursday's campus club's weekly gathering, called "Revive", that many of the students we contact while on the gospel will come to this time.
2. For the Lord to strengthen each sick trainee to the inner man.
3. For the last day of tabling on Thursday, for the Lord to bring us sons of peace.

New England

Manchester, NH / Lowell, MA

January 27-28

In the morning, we had coordination and fellowship with the saints and serving ones, full of enjoyment, praying, singing and praising. We tabled at the University of Massachusetts Lowell (UMass Lowell), and in the past two days 503 flyers were given out for the upcoming gospel seminar on Thursday night.

With the policy and restriction, we could not grab people's personal contacts, so we went in the campus buildings, so we went outside, sang songs and distributed tracts. We were able to gain some sweet personal contacts during that time.

Prayer burdens:

1. For the release of the contacts and students' schedule to attend the gospel seminar for this coming Thursday night on January 30. Pray for at least 10 students to show up.
2. For the tabling and Bible distribution at Manchester Community College.
3. Release the response from the contacts.



Providence, RI / Worcester, MA

January 28

The trainees joined the other three New England gospel teams and the full timers in the area for a joint coordination of singing and sharing before getting into the ministry with the local saints. Afterwards, the brothers went on the Brown University campus with a working saint and had two unplanned, divinely-arranged appointments with existing doctoral and postdoctoral contacts there. The sisters met up with some gospel contacts and a college-aged sister for lunch and a tour of the Rhode Island School of Design's campus.

January 29

The trainees had a time of gospel outreach at Bridgewater State University where the students were quite open. Many of the ones we contacted were already Christian and happy to take a gospel tract with them. We also joined some saints in Middleborough, Massachusetts for a time of blending. Praise the Lord, He had a way to get on the campus of Bridgewater State University and release some mutual shepherding among the saints in the evening!

Statistics:

Tracts: 31

Bibles: 2

Conversations: 7

Prayer burdens:

1. That the Lord would honor the consecration of one of the working sisters to go to the FTTA-MA and open the way to bring her there.
2. That the Lord would cause the students we met today to prayerfully read the tracts and get into the Word, and for the Lord to richly bless them with experience and enjoyment of Christ. May He have a way to increase on the campus of Bridgewater State University.
3. For the Lord to cover and bless the visitation of saints at Brown University and in North Providence on January 30.
4. That the Lord would continue to cover and supply the health of the trainees and saints involved in the gospel trip in North Providence and fulfill His heart's desire regarding this trip.



Newington, CT

January 24

We arrived in Newton, MA and had a great time being built up with the saints in the homes.

January 25

We arrived in Newington, CT and had an orientation with the saints. The trainees and many of the saints shared their testimonies. We also learned the history of the church in Newington.

January 26

We were very encouraged and mutually built up at the Lord's Day meeting followed by lunch with the saints and students.

January 27

We went to Central Connecticut State University and got a campus tour, we talked to new students and had

good conversations with returning students. We went on a walk through Old Wethersfield and met lady, “C”, on a dock. She opened up to us about her past struggles and how it has been hard for her to open up to the Lord. We had a very sweet time praying with her.

Prayer burdens:

1. That sister C will continue to seek the Lord and that the Lord will release the proper shepherding for her.
2. For the poison on the campus and the preservation of the returning students, as well as the new students we contact.
3. For the white horse of the gospel to run forth during our tabling and gospel times.

Storrs, CT

January 27

The trainees had coordination with the full-time team in the morning before heading out to have lunch and appointments with various students and contacts. In the afternoon, 16 people attended a Bible study where we introduced the book of *Exodus*.

January 28

In the morning, we joined a joint coordination via Zoom with other New England gospel trip teams. We then took turns gospel preaching and tabling both indoors and outdoors, distributing Bibles and engaging with students interested in learning more about the club.

Prayer burdens:

1. For the 2025 Spring Involvement Fair taking place on Wednesday, January 29, that many new contacts would be connected to the club through this time.
2. That the Lord would release the baptisms of two University of Connecticut students who have recently expressed their interest and desire in getting baptized.

Southeast

Atlanta, GA / Athens, GA / Knoxville, TN

January 28

We handed out 15 flyers, had 11 conversations, and led one student to receive the Lord. In the evening, the brothers attended a Bible study with 6 students, including 2 new ones. All of the trainees participated in the tabling at the University of Georgia student engagement fair and had 18 students sign up at the table.

Prayer burden:

1. For the Ministry Series meeting on Thursday evening, and that some new college students might join us.