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## Update from the Beaudoins in Odesa, Ukraine

Thank you for your prayers about our visas! The Immigration officials cleared our visas June 29<sup>th</sup>, and we taught our last classes in Dnipro. We will keep up with our Dnipro students through Zoom and emailing homework assignments. It was hard to leave.

We took the night train back to Odesa. I had not slept on a train before, it was fun! When we got to Odesa, Eugenia and Alex were there to meet us with big smiles and hearts. They are both English learners from our classes in Odesa and close friends. We handled some business things and then were told that we would be going to camp in 5 days.



Kipp teaching a children's English class at camp. Camp is one hour south of Odesa along the Black Sea shoreline. Camp lasted from July 10<sup>th</sup> through July 17<sup>th</sup>. Kipp also taught adult classes in English. I could not go due to minor health issues.

(not covid-19)



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# Dnipro Update



## PLEASE PRAY FOR:

- All who are ill, may God heal them quickly.
- The people of the world.
- Those struggling currently.

## GIVE THANKS FOR:

- We give thanks for every one of you who support us through prayers, emails and financially.
- Give thanks for our students
- Give thanks for the opportunity to travel and teach around Ukraine.

## PRAISE GOD FOR:

- The many congregations and individuals who pray for us, encourage and support us.
- The Bishop, his staff, congregations, and church leaders who take such wonderful care of us.



Here is picture of a student in Dnipro, Ukraine. He wanted an extra lesson, so Kipp fit him in during dinner. I was good about getting photos, but not of my own classes. I taught a beginner's class with clergy from local churches and retired professionals. The other group I taught was for middle and high school students. Kipp and I also had students that requested private lessons. The students told us they enjoyed our style and told us their experience with education was stricter and less student focused. We gear our instruction towards our students' interests and abilities. Soon we will start teaching on Sundays after church and in the preschool. There is so much to do! May God bless and keep you all safe.

Your friends in Christ,  
Kipp and Tami Beaudoin



*I have heard from family and friends about the surge in cases of covid-19. Please remember we are not alone.*

*"Be strong.*

*Be brave.*

*Be fearless.*

*You are never alone."*

*Joshua 1:9*

*God is with us always.*



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