



Whirlwind Missions

Outreach Update June 2015



Hello, my friends!

When you think “missions,” where do you think that is? Overseas in darkest Africa? Missions is all around us, starting with our friends!

Over the past several years, I’ve grown very close to a group of friends who live in England. If you’ve ever been to Europe, perhaps you’ve visited the wonderful cathedrals. Fantastic beauty, and almost no one there. Except for tourists. Europe is clearly in the Post Church era. Many of my friends are athiest.

Do you remember the “cool” group at school? There is a lot of pressure to be a part of the crowd and not be Uncool. Even though High School was over forty years ago for me, I still get a twinge of that today. When I’m around my friends that are decidedly unchurched, it’s hard to stand up for Jesus. It just seems uncool. But it’s not.

My friend Anthony told me, “We’ve had some bad news, Tim. My brother’s daughter who is just a beautiful young woman in her early twenties had a seisure recently. She went to the hospital and it seems she has a tumor in her brain. The family is devastated. It seems like such a tragedy.”

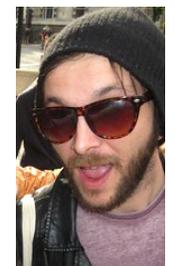
I responded, “I’d like to pray for her.” He promptly closed his eyes as I prayed, “Lord we ask a powerful healing blessing on Beth. Father, we ask that your power will reduce that tumor to nothing and that she will have a complete healing. AMEN!”

My friend nodded, said “Thanks” and gave me a hug.

Missions is all about one on one relationships. Over time, Anthony’s family has become my family. I love those guys! Family members support each other, they care for each other and they pray for each other. The simplest way to do missions? PRAY with people! I know it can feel awkward and perhaps uncool, but when people need help, prayer equals LOVE! I challenge you, just as I challenged myself, “When you hear something that sounds like a prayer request, PRAY!”

Missions is all around us. And it’s especially with your closest friends. YOU are the missionary they need. I’ve found it’s a timing thing. When people are hurting and desperate, they need YOU to share Jesus! Our Summer is starting! Pray for the thousands of kids we will be working with in June/July! Missions is NOW!

Love, Tim and Kathy



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