

# FEBRUARY 2022

*Greetings to all of you prayer warriors and supporters of Act Now Ministries!*

Michigan is in a very cold snap with lots of snow that has fallen in recent days. We hope this newsletter finds you well and praying for a better 2022. It was a difficult year for all of us, and ultimately even the Collesano family was hit with COVID-19. Before thanksgiving, Giuseppe was diagnosed with the virus; albeit it was very light health wise for the rest of the family with the exception of Pennie who got it bad.

Thanksgiving was without a family gathering, and Christmas festivities were postponed till end of year and beginning of January. Some of the family were missing because of COVID. Giuseppe recovered well, and the rest also. Sorry that you did not receive a family picture this year; no getting together.

But in the midst of chaos, we also rejoice because God is still in control and at work. The church in Nigeria just finished putting up walls on the building after they had poured the cement floor. They are very thankful for the help received from all of you who participated in giving.

The Bible studies continue with Pino and Girolamo; both of them are blind. Praise to God for their growing faith. Another bible study is going on at the office of a great brother; he is a chiropractor.

At 6:30 every Saturday, we meet for prayer, breakfast, and His Word. Our volunteer base is growing in Sicily with the Milton family assisting with the needs of the less fortunate. This gives us an opportunity to share His love; His Word to souls that need to hear the message of Salvation.

The situation in Italy is very hard and very different than in the USA. As you can see from a couple of photos, the police and the Italian IRS will stop people to check on their vaccination status. If you are not vaxxed, you get a ticket of 150 Euro = US\$170. In addition, if you do not have the right pass, you will get another fine that is much higher. In the midst of this, we can still praise the Lord.

We ask you to pray for the ministry there and our coworkers. We do ask also to pray for the calling of new laborers for the field of Sicily, Italy. We especially ask you to pray for:

- Nia K, preparing to go to Sicily in the near future, in Siracusa.
- M V, seeking the will of God for future serving in Sicily on the west coast.
- For the White family, to finish their seminary studies and serve in Sicily too.
- For Kayla W, seeking God's will and possibly visiting Sicily soon.
- J C for healing in his life and future ministry in the interiors of Sicily.

Lots to pray for. We are reminded in the Bible in Joshua 1:9 to be courageous; especially when we might think that it seems an impossibility; for God All is Possible. He asks us to fix our eyes on Him and He will give us directions.

Pray with us, intercede with us, and give praise with us because He is Worthy to receive our prayers and supplication and our rejoicing.

As always let's remember: Let's go fishing (really) for one more for the One. We are thankful to partner with you in reaching our world so that we can be an agent of change in changing hearts.

God bless you. Ciao for now.  
Giuseppe and Pennie Collesano  
President of Act Now Ministries



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# MARCH 2022

*Greetings from still-cold Michigan! We pray and hope that this newsletter finds you well and encouraged that in the midst of the chaos of this world, God is still in charge. It seems that we are coming out of the pandemic according to the news here in the States.*

Also, some news is not so good, as Ukraine is in the midst of turmoil created by envy and jealousy. Let us continue to pray for the war that is devastating many lives there, as well as the many Christians in the midst of this trial and testing. We know of the many countrymen that are still there and trying to flee the danger of this conflict. Pray.

We still have good news to share because the Gospel Is The Good News. As bibles were purchased months ago, last Sunday our coworker in north Italy near Florence was already giving them to the newly-arrived refugees. Because you pray, God continues His work in the lives of many. Bibles were purchased through [refugeebible.com](http://refugeebible.com) for the country of Panama, where the need to reach villages and town with His Word is badly needed. Thank you for praying.

As the pandemic seems to ease off, we wanted to share of the difficulties in Italy. Police were checking people's vaccination status; no vax, you get a hefty fine on the spot. We hope now that hearing of the easing of the pandemic will allow us to return back in a month's time. The danger cannot be ignored so we are taking careful steps in order to make plans to get back.

Great news from one of our future missionaries, Nia. We pray and hope to have her in Sicily by May where she will start her ministry in the city of Siracusa. Pray.

We are thankful of the many partners of Act Now Ministries that support His work overseas. Last month, we were able to travel to East Jordan in Northern Michigan to report to the churches there. It was a blessing to rekindle friendships and stories with the church there. Giuseppe Collesano, our president, spent a weekend speaking in one of the churches and part of the leadership of the three churches there.

News from Sicily and Italy ministry are great too. Giuseppe and Isidoro have been busy giving out clothes and bibles in so many places. Just a few days ago, literature was sent to north Italy to new believers who are currently studying with Giuseppe. They expressed their desire to be active in sharing their faith.

God answers our prayers even the midst of chaos and war. We are believers of faith in action and what a blessing to be a part of their joy in sharing His Word with others! As we think of our little trials, let's focus on prayer for the ones who are experiencing wars and persecution. Do not forget: you and me are the light and salt of the earth. He has entrusted us to follow in His footsteps even at a cost. Keep on praying.

We thank you for supporting our desire and vision to reach one more for the One.

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God bless you.

Giuseppe and Pennie Collesano President of Act Now Ministries

Ciao for now.