



# SEPTEMBER

The countdown has begun to return to Sicily, Italy

Greetings to all of your faithful prayer and support of the ministry of Act Now Ministries. The countdown has begun to return to Sicily, Italy after the pandemic, it has been a long 2 ½ years. We are all doing well and eagerly await Giuseppe to return to Italy to restart full swing with the mission: To go fish (really) for one more for the One.

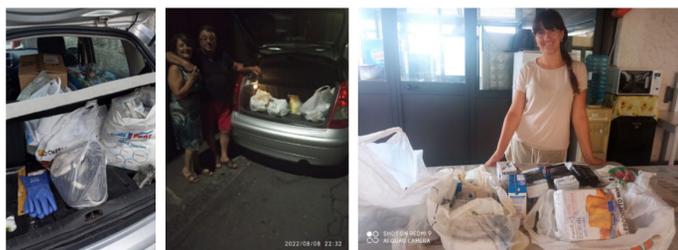
Giuseppe leaves for Sicily on September 20 and arrives September 21. Do pray. As soon he arrives in Sicily and the jet lag is over, on the 25th he will officiate baptisms on the west coast of Sicily. Girolamo from Mazara del Vallo will be baptized after making profession of faith via WhatsApp bible study. Both he and Giuseppe have been studying the Word for more than a year. On July 17, he accepted the Lord. God is good.

Mark will take a 24-hour train ride from northeast Italy to be baptized as well. He accepted the Lord in 2018 when Giuseppe shared the Gospel with him. And he has also been on a bible study with Giuseppe since then. God is good. Later in October there will be more baptisms once Giuseppe can travel north to perform them. Pray for Mattia, another believer in Jesus Christ, as he eagerly awaits Giuseppe to arrive so he may declare his faith publicly. God is so good.

## In other news,

Giuseppe was asked to officially become a trustee at the Coast Guard Chapel on Bois Blanc Island where he preaches during the time that the church is open (from June to September). The Coast Guard Chapel is a partner in the ministry.

From Sicily, the ministry continues with Isidoro Cavallaro and Giuseppe La China ministering in many ways, especially with the refugee situation. So far, we have been helping in four camps as you can see from the photos. Also, we have seen an increase from the local population coming alongside of ANM in donating clothes, household items, shoes and food to help the ministry.



A business in Michigan, Culver's Restaurant, donated 50 soccer balls to reach the young people in the camps and also for when we outreach the local population.

Giuseppe's dentist got into the action also, donating a movie screen and a few boxes of toothpaste and toothbrushes. God is really good. Every little donation allows us to reach far beyond what we might think. Your prayers are very appreciated at this moment because prayer changes things and situations.

Giuseppe was asked once he returns about a possible trip to Ukraine to help local struggling churches there. Would you pray more??



Dear friends and coworkers: we thank you for the privilege to serve with you our Lord and Savior. As always: Let's go fishing (really) for one more for the One. May God bless you richly and the encouraging Word of our Lord reside in you nightly. Your servants, Giuseppe and Pennie Collesano  
Ciao for now.



# OCTOBER NEWSLETTER

I HAVE ARRIVED BACK IN SICILY!! IT HAS BEEN 2 .5 YEARS! GOD IS SO GOOD!

Greetings from Sicily, where I have been up and running in sharing His Word every day. God is good and at work. Again, thank you for your prayers and support; we can't emphasize it enough. Only with you we can do it, us, and you, serving our Lord.

In the one week I have been here I already have put 2300 km, close to 1800 miles, on my car! So many people to see, so many opportunities to share the word of God!

In early September, prior to departing to Italy. I had the privilege of officiating the wedding of Ryan and Julie in Petoskey, MI. It was a blessed time where God was honored and we shared again His message of Hope for those present. Another privilege was the opportunity to serve Grace Chapel of Waterford from the pulpit on the 18th; then I left on the 20th for Sicily.



It was a bittersweet ciao to family and friends. I could not leave without the encouraging words of my wife and best friend Pennie -- the Love of my Life. God has truly blessed us and Act Now Ministries with the privilege of serving overseas, as we are coming up on our 18th year. God is good. The plane ride was long but rewarding.

While on the flight I was honored to share the Gospel with an engineer from Vietnam, his name is Nam, as well as a couple from Argentina, and I was able to practice my Spanish at the same time. Many others that were traveling for vacation heard the word also, His Word will not come back void. Pray.



Four days after arriving here, Giuseppe La China, an ANM worker here in Sicily, and myself had to honor of baptizing two men, Girolamo, and Mark, in the Mediterranean Sea. It was a day of rejoicing because of the testimony of Girolamo, who has been studying with Giuseppe Collesano and Mark. He traveled from 2000 km away to get baptized with the assistance of Giuseppe La China. Praise the lord. Another baptism will take place the week of the October 15/22 in northern Italy by Turin. Pray.



We showed Mark a little of Catania and had some gelato (ice cream) which I have missed greatly. At the same time, we met two people from Poland: Pavel (Paul) and Agata. The next night, we met again and shared more of the Gospel of Grace in the wee hours of the next morning. His Word was well received and we pray for their salvation. We were invited to visit them in Poland and are waiting for the leading of the Lord on that. We are communicating with them and doing follow up. Pray.

From the 13th on, we will be visiting many contacts in Italy, culminating with the Baptism of Mattia, in Turin, Italy. We truly thank you for standing in the gap with us.

Pray also for the Sanchez family visiting here to see if God will direct them to serve alongside Act Now Ministries.

As always: Let's go fishing (really) for one more for the One. God bless you richly. Serving together our Awesome God,

Giuseppe and Pennie Collesano,  
President of Act Now Ministries  
Ciao for now.



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