



Dear Pastor and Church,

July/August 2026

I wrote in the last letter about how hot it was in Slovenia earlier in the summer so we came up with the brilliant idea to travel to Oklahoma and Texas to report to some churches in July and August. This was a perfect example of jumping from frying pan into fire. Thankfully, air conditioning exists and we thank God for it!

Honestly, it has been a blessing to get to go back to some faithful churches that have supported us for a very long time; some without pastors. God gave us safety and protection which we never take for granted in the miles we have travelled here. Now that time has wrapped up and we are preparing to return home to Slovenia in about 2 weeks. **Pray that God gives us a good trip back to Slovenia** and that our bags hopefully arrive with us unlike our trip to the States.

Thank you to those who have faithfully prayed for the **Youth Bible Study**. The young folks who are coming really have a burden for their friends and family. We have seen several visitors come and it is a blessing to get to have an opportunity to teach them who Jesus is and what He has done for us. One of those is a young man named Nejc (pronounced Nates). Nejc was invited by Vid, who has brought several to both the youth meeting and the church services. Nejc comes from an atheistic family but is eager to learn more about the peace that comes from a relationship with God. He has asked many great questions. In the last week we learned that his family has essentially forbidden him from coming to the meetings though. While he lives with his parents, he will abide with their wishes but once he starts back to university he will have the freedom to return. **Pray for Nejc and that October 1 date when he can return.**

A few weeks ago I got a call from one of the young men in the church who was recently saved; Marcel. You may remember that he lives about an hour away from the church and it is not easy for him to make it to all the meetings. Regardless, he expressed his desire to be baptized at the next baptismal service we have. That makes 2 baptisms when we return. **Pray for both Marcel and Nik and their baptisms.**

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We also ask that you **continue to pray for Bible Baptist Church in Stillwater, Oklahoma, our sending church, and their search for a pastor.** It has been 6 months now without a shepherd and we are trusting that God has someone already in mind to take the mantle there in Stillwater. Pray it happens soon.

Until next time, May the Lord richly bless you as you serve Him,

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