



LEBANON

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**EVANGELISM**  
*Reaching the Unreached*  
**TEACHING**  
*Personal Discipleship*  
**Pastoral**  
**Training**  
*Teaching the National to Reach His Own*  
**ESTABLISHING**  
*LOCAL NEW*  
*TESTAMENT*  
*CHURCHES*



*Pray for us*  
"I Can do all things through Christ which strengtheneth me"  
Ph. 4:13

"Go ye into all the world and preach the Gospel to every creature"

Around 3,500,000 in Lebanon, around 200,000,000 in the World

## News Letter # 115 (Jan. & Feb. 2018)

Date: March 07, 2018

Dear Pastor & Church,

Greetings in our Lord's all sufficient grace.

*"These things I have spoken unto you, that in me ye might have peace. In the world ye shall have tribulation: but be of good cheer; I have overcome the world." John 17:33.*

One of the major problems that we are passing through is the presence of around two millions Syrian refugees which are still in Lebanon. Many of them are not refugees but are working in Lebanon illegally as workers of any kind, carpenters, electricians, plumbers, traders, Taxi drivers, etc... and in spite of the fact that this huge number of the Syrian workers and professionals had effected the country severely, the government fails to control this bad situation, simply because of the unfaithfulness of many of those who are at office in the Government as representatives ...besides, the negative consequences on the natives of Lebanon had led the country to a severe recession. Demonstrations, and strikes in the country are taking place because of the need and poverty. This is besides crimes, theft and poverty. One of the main and severe problem in Lebanon is the chaos in dealing with the garbage and wastes which are produced at homes, factories, hospitals, etc... the chaos in dealing with this rubbish is one of the major factors in causing cancers in many people. This is besides the pollution in the air which is the result of the uncontrolled smoke that comes out from the large vehicles like busses trucks etc.. **Cancer, cancer, cancer avails all over the country.** In other words living in Lebanon is subject to face very dangerous health issues...

### ACTIVITES

Many of the refugees are still able to attend our evangelical ministries besides the nationals. We still have a great ministry among the kids especially in the South of Lebanon besides the ministry to the adults as well.

We still have evangelical center in Tripoli (North of Lebanon) where we can reach a lot of the refugees besides the nationals.

Our ministry in the **South of Syria**, where the majority are from a religion called "Drouz", is still going on. Many got saved over there in the city called Shahba where our Missionary resides for this purpose. He is doing a great job in preaching, teaching, evangelizing, and visiting a lot of families in that city...

Recently our Lord helped us to start a new evangelical ministry in a very crowded area in the capital called "**Alnabaa**". Our Lord had honored us by raising a great Evangelist from a fanatic Moslem background. He is gifted and capable in facing this great commission. Several of the refugees over there got saved.

### Prayer Request

- Please pray for our ministry in the **South**, the **middle**, and in the **North** of Lebanon
- Please pray for **our missionary Danial Azzam** in Syria (It is a very prosperous ministry)
- Please pray for Lebanon to maintain the peace which our Lord had provided for us.
- Please pray for our New ministry in "**Alnabaa**"
- Please pray for us for **health, wisdom, guidance and protection.**

Thank you very much for your prayers, concern, love and support,

*Abdou & Siham Issa.*