

Jesus is our Lord



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**EVANGELISM**  
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**TEACHING**  
*Personal Discipleship*

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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

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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 16: 33*

It is very sorrowful that I have to start our News Letter by saying that this incredible country is still passing from bad to worse continually. The corruption of the politicians for the past years had already led the country to be in an extreme chaos as it is still today. To revive the country from this bad and corrupt situation needs a miracle by God only. The situation is becoming more and more complicated. Crimes, theft, robbery etc ... are still taking place in this devastating country. Besides poverty, lacking of many essential medicines, and lacking of electricity etc... nothing improved yet. As mentioned in our previous news letters was that what is remarkable in this country is that our Lord had opened an effective door for evangelism specifically in the area where the massive explosion took place at the port of Beirut, the capital of Lebanon which resulted around 300,000 people were displaced from their homes besides 135 persons were killed, and 5000 were injured etc... **This new door for evangelism and discipleship is still effective and in permanent growth.** That is with the fact that not all the places and not all the major big cities are in revival as we are observing in this area of Carantina where the massive explosion took place. What is remarkable also is that among the many religions and denominations where the gospel of salvation is preached, the most people who are receptive to the word of God are from Muslims backgrounds.

Now, for the moment, we have a discipleship ministry for 3 people two from Muslims background and one from Christian (by name only) background. What is very remarkable also is the major attendance in our ministry are ladies and those who got saved and those who are receiving now discipleship are Females only. **In other words most of the attendance in our church ministry are females.** This situation may create some problems as far as the body of leadership are concerned. It is fully understood that according to salvation of souls, No difference between male and female, all are equal in Christ, but when it comes to positions, preaching, and other kinds of ministries, it makes a difference.. **That is why we badly still need your prayers in this aspect.**

So then, as mentioned above, the general situation in Lebanon is still going from bad to worse, especially we are still passing through a great inflation. *(i.e. for instance before these crises took place one US Dollar was = 1,515.00 Lebanese Pounds. But now One US Dollar = more than 30,000 Leb. Pounds. This is besides many other problems and conflicts).*

**ACTIVITES**

Our remarkable activity of evangelism is still active in that area of our ministry. Preaching the Gospel of salvation is still our main course. Lately several people stopped to attend our services because some of the fanatic Muslims started their persecution by preventing their families to attend any of our services. So then, the spiritual war became more serious, simply because our great enemy started to loose souls who have been converted to our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

**Prayer Request**

- 1 - Please pray for our **new prosperous ministry** in Carantina area. (near the massive explosion)
- 2 - Please Pray for our Evangelical Ministry in Alnbaa area (suburbs of the capital).
- 3 - Please pray for the situation in Lebanon (very high percentage are under the line of poverty) and many were leaving the country, born again Christians, and none Christians especially like Physicians and nurses etc...
- 4 - Please pray for us for health, wisdom, guidance and protection.

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

*Abdou & Siham Issa.*