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## Hello, everyone! I'm bursting with excitement to share some incredible blessings with you all!

First off, we're making amazing strides with Project 4:32 (Acts 4:32), and I'm thrilled to announce that we're nearly at the halfway mark!

We've reached an impressive 45% of Phase One, which is all about raising funds to purchase property in town for our Lighthouse—

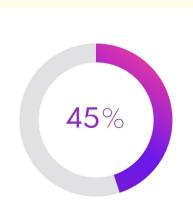
making it the first Baptist church in County Kerry! A huge thank you to our sending church, Canton Baptist Temple, for their generous Christmas gift that has significantly boosted our progress. So many churches and individuals have been showering us with prayers and support, so let's keep that momentum going! Please continue to pray, give, and spread the word about the amazing work God is doing right here in Tralee!

You might recall from our last newsletter that I was hard at work on two new rooms to expand our kids' club ministry and create essential space for our young adults' identity group. I'm ecstatic to share that those two rooms are now complete and in full swing every Sunday!

This expansion not only gives us more space but also opens up fantastic opportunities to train new servants. It's such a vital step for our church as we continue to grow both spiritually and numerically.

And lastly, let's celebrate the incredible blessings from this past year! In 2024, we saw several individuals accept Christ as their Lord and Savior—what a joy! We witnessed lives transformed through believers' baptism, with many in our community witnessing these powerful commitments to Christ. We've welcomed new members into our church family, and others have begun exciting one-on-one discipleship journeys. One of the highlights for me this year is that five amazing individuals completed their one-on-one discipleship. Even though some have moved away, I'm thrilled that two of them are eager to begin new mentorships, and the best part? One of those five is now mentoring another person! My heart just overflows with joy to see this beautiful process of discipleship taking root in our church. Let's keep praying together that even more people will come to know the Lord, follow Him in baptism, and embark on their discipleship journeys this year!

It's been five and a half years since we left Mallow in County Cork and moved our family to Tralee, County Kerry. We have established a growing minisrty here through many challenges. We want to take a moment and say thank you to our church families who have been supporting us through it all, both financially and prayerfully. There were many times that things felt so hard and heavy as we moved forward. We know we were sustained by your faithful prayers and lifting our family up, and for that, we are eternally grateful.



53 Catholic parishes, zero Baptist Church buildings



A few of the kids at TBF are showing off one of the new rooms



One-on-one discipleship is the heartbeat of the Ministry.





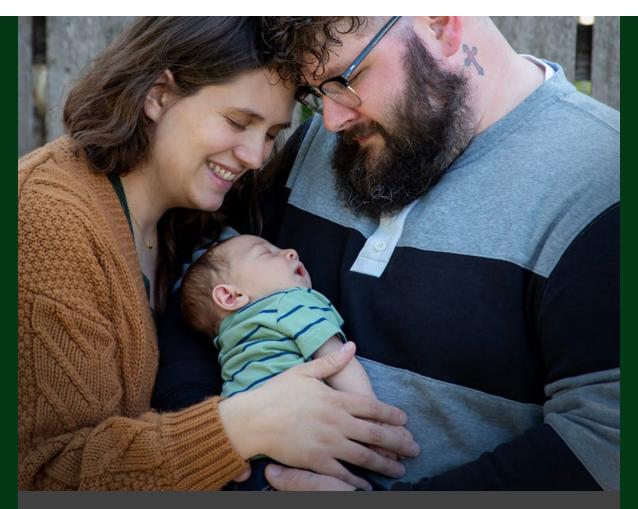
PRAYER REQUEST



## Project 4:32

Please pray for Project 4:32 and remember to talk about it and give as well. We covet your prayers.





Pray for the Prince's visa to be immediately approved and for leaders to be raised up in Tralee.

How Well
Do You Know
Irish
Slang?





This is Irish slang for something you can't remember the name of, like how you would use the word "thingamajig." For example, "Give us that yoke there." It also has the equivalent meaning of "thing," for example, "You're a mad yoke."

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