



October, November, December 2025



ANDERSON UPDATE

Merry Christmas to all our praying pastors faithful friends and fabulous family!

2026 is literally days away, but first, we have the honor to remember the greatest gift ever given,
the gift of Jesus Christ our Lord and Savior!

May God give you many opportunities to share the Good News of Jesus during this holiday season!

As most of you know, this 6 month furlough has been the longest that we've been away from the work in Belgium in the 22 years that we've been ministering there. We were hoping to catch up with all of you and wish that was a reality, but unfortunately, time moves so quickly and great distances separate you from each other. Even though we have put over 10,000 miles on our friend's car, we've not been able to visit with many of you. It is such a blessing that God binds us together even when we are apart and it is a blessing to be a part of your life!

New Hope Baptist Church in Belgium is continuing to move forward with growth even as the enemy does his best to cause problems! God had prepared the hearts of some of the men in the church to step up and help Dirk in our absence. This has been very encouraging! As we fly back next week, we look forward to seeing everyone there and hearing about how God has worked in their lives! Also, please pray for our financial needs. We were able to visit some new churches, but have not raised any new support as of yet, though there are a couple of possibilities for future support. God is always in control and He will supply our needs, of that, we are sure! Please pray that God will touch hearts for the need of the Gospel in Flemish Belgium.

2025 was filled with many ups and downs. Life continues on and we've seen God's hand through it all. After Rayna's wedding, gaining a son-in-law, and leaving Erika behind with Rayna, we will be going back to Belgium on the 30th. It will be very strange not having the girls with us, but we are glad that they are together! It will be an adjustment but we look forward to seeing the Lord work in their lives in 2026, as well as in the souls of the Flemish people. We look forward to reporting back to you soon!

Thank you so much for your continued prayers, love, friendships, and support. You are all truly a blessing and you are in our thoughts and prayers! May the Lord give you a wonderful Christmas time. May He bless you abundantly for your faithfulness and may 2026 be one of blessings, victories, growth, and love!

Love and prayers,

Tom & Toni.

Here is the link to our 2025 furlough video... feel free to pass it on. ;)

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1U-UaGv4qefzOTSYjJUo7o9QQ3pRkQmf8/view?usp=sharing>

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