



Dear praying friends,

In the start of a new year we thank the Lord the opportunity to continue in this road with Him and with each one of you. We say thank you for your willingness to be co workers in what the Lord is doing, for praying with us and for us.

The first women's meeting of the year was a beautiful surprise, as we had some women that were not coming from some time, joining us. **Continue to pray for us as we speak the truth in a world saturated by relativism. Pray that the Holy Spirit convicts us of sin, where that's the case, that we are able to distinguish the truth from the half truth (same as lie) that the enemy whispers**

since the garden. I say this, as the plague of new age is spreading like a wild fire here, as if witchcraft and religious tradition were not enough to enslave people and lead them away from the One, True, Living God.



We had the joy of spending some time with dear friends, Rita and Andras. **We ask you to join us in praying for Rita as she entered a waiting season. May the Lord guide her in His good and perfect plan for both her and Andras.**

We had a quiet Christmas season, as some families were away. But the Sunday services were a joyful and blessed time, as usual.

We are happy to have Marcelo's family returning to Viana on the 13th January (Thursday). **Please pray for safe and uneventful travel.**

School started on Monday and we would love you to **join us in praying for our children, that the Lord protects them and always surrounds them with His Holy Spirit. Pray for parents, as we can sense some are fearful because of the virus.**

We take the words we read in Hebrews 12: 1-2 as our prayer for this new year:

Therefore, since we are surrounded by such a great cloud of witnesses, let us throw off everything that hinders and the sin that so easily entangles. And let us run with perseverance the race marked out for us, fixing our eyes on Jesus, the pioneer and perfecter of our faith.

Will you pray with us?

In His strength,

Nuno, Gila, Leonor and Diogo