

# Prayer Letter from Johanna Austin, Spring 2021



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“Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! In His great mercy He has given us new birth into a living hope...” 1 Peter 1:3

Dear Friends,

Thank you for your prayers for me and the work of the gospel among the children and young people here in Wexford. Praise God for the children who continue to attend the two Zoom Good News Clubs. We love to see each child that comes. I'm so thankful for the faithfulness of the leaders who have stuck with the Zoom clubs since the autumn. We miss seeing the children in person but it's good to be able to chat with them 'face-to-face' and teach them from God's Word. Praise God for 2 boys from GNC who recently signed up to join the correspondence course.

Praise God for the teens who continue to attend the two Youth Challenge groups. We recently had an online evening for them along with other groups from CEF Dublin and Sligo, and it was a great encouragement to see so many teens taking part. It was also an encouragement recently for the older teens and young adults to be invited to join CEF Cork for a Friday evening and Saturday morning of teaching and fellowship. Pray for them that soon we will be able to have the real 'get-togethers' which we are all longing for.

Praise God for the students who have been attending the Online TCE. I was at the opening night and it was very encouraging to have students from many different counties, including at least one from Wexford and all the counties surrounding us—Carlow, Waterford, Kilkenny and Wicklow.

Thank you to those who were praying for me when I had Covid 19. I am thankful to be over the illness but I'm still struggling with some after-effects and value your prayers very much.

Here are some details about our online Easter Club and our Easter Conference. Check out the CEF website and YouTube channel for more information, and please pray for these events that they would be used for God's glory and draw people to Him.

Praying you will know the Lord's hope and encouragement this Easter season.



With thanks and love in Him,

Johanna

“... through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, and into an inheritance that can never perish, spoil or fade.”  
1 Peter 1:3,4

