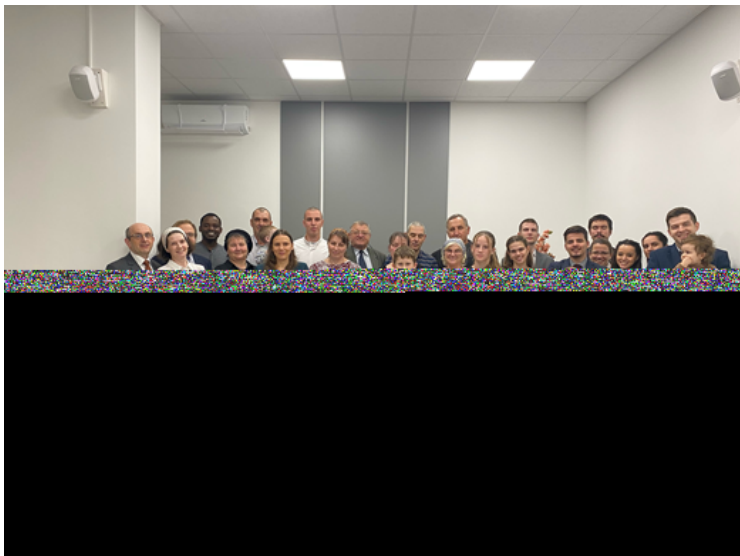


Dear Brothers and Sisters in the Lord,

We are thankful to our Lord for this first half of the year 2026. We have experienced God's grace in sustaining the us and even granting much encouragement amidst changing times. The new church building is gradually taking shape in the new location in the 14th district of Budapest. The first phase of construction and renovation is now complete.



New church building, 3 floors with the top one being an apartment where Viktor lives with his family.



The last picture before moving out of the previous building

The usual two Sunday services continue under the teaching ministry of Pastor Miki, and his assistant, Viktor Frank. A brother who is currently pursuing Theology online at the Puritan Reformed Theological Seminary has recently joined the membership with his family, and in a few occasions has stepped in to preach. We are so thankful if you remember these dear brothers in your prayers. The services still have different emphases - teaching in the morning and evangelistic in the afternoon. Our God has blessed these ministries so far, we are thankful to Him. Most of the other services are now resumed after some had stalled during the transitional period. Thanks be to our God that He has moved people to come to the new place, so we are glad to see several newcomers as visitors at our church. One family comes from as far as Pécs (a city in the south of Hungary, three hours of driving, one way).

The corporate prayer meeting and the midweek bible study have been also resumed. All thanks to God. With the broad range of ministries that we perform, at times there is the reality of fatigue as well as temptations. We pray that God may grant us refreshment, as well as always willing hearts and that our eyes would always be fixed on the Lord Jesus Christ, the Author and Perfector of our faith.

During this period, the new building has also been graced with some of our brethren we've known for long, visiting as guest preachers. Marek Chrenko - one of the leaders from Soli Deo Gloria Reformed Baptist Church, Zsilina, Slovakia, Pastor Oliver Allmand-Smith of Trinity Grace Church - Ramsbottom, and Chris Cooper of Metropolitan Tabernacle have visited us and ministered the Word of God among us. We anticipate visits from brother Marek again and Robert Kunstmann, Pastor from a Reformed Baptist Church in Wetzlar, Germany in the coming months.



*Oliver Allmand-Smith teaching sessions
on "Counter-cultural Christianity"*



*Chris Cooper ministering during the building
'opening ceremony': an occasion to invite people
from the neighbourhood to hear the gospel*

We are praying earnestly that the Lord would visit us again and bless our Sunday School Ministry, which is currently on hold mainly due to shortage of children. We are thinking of ways of reaching the parents in the new community, many of whom would naturally not entrust their children to anyone, let alone to the church. Remember us in your prayers in this regard.

In terms of the general news in Hungary, the elections were recently concluded where a new government was put in place, after the previous one, in power for 16 years lost. Pray for the saints to remain faithful and counter-cultural. That we would all "...rest [our] hope fully upon the grace that is to be brought to [us] at the revelation of Jesus Christ..." I Peter 13b.

Yours in the Lord Jesus Christ,
Gideon Saina

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