

to Malta and beyond

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THE TANIS FAMILY



LUKE, ANNA  
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## Dear Praying Friends,

Every step of our journey gets us one step closer to Malta. As we press on, the finish line draws closer and closer! In the last few weeks the finish line has started to become more clear as **5 new churches** began partnering with us! This brings our support to **over 80%**. It's been so exciting to see God bring in support in the midst of Covid. Thank you so much for praying for us!



## Road Trip:

We've had a busy spring with trips to Michigan, Ohio and Iowa. We enjoyed getting to stop at several zoos and even got to visit the Creation Museum and the Ark Encounter. We are gearing up for another road trip as we leave Friday for 12 weeks. We are so thankful to have our schedule full of meetings through **August**. We are heading south for most of the summer and look forward to time with Anna's family and follow up visits with a number of churches in which we've already presented. We also look forward to attending **Launch Seminar** at Baptist Mid-Missions in **July**, where we will gain additional training on the next steps of transitioning from deputation to Malta.



## Looking Ahead:

Our hearts skipped a beat when we began looking at plane tickets to Malta. Although we're not quite to the point of purchasing yet, the end is in sight! As an added bonus, one-way tickets are much cheaper than round trip! In September, we have a month long **cross-cultural training program** that will give us many valuable tools for life in Malta. Lord willing we will be at 100% of our support by August and will be packing our things in October.



## Praises and Prayer Requests:

God delights in answering prayer!. We continue to be amazed at how God answers prayer and provides for us above and beyond what we ask (Eph. 3:20). Our support level is over **80%**! Pray with us that we can move to Malta by the end of the year. Thank you for your continued prayers in these areas:

- Churches to partner with us in prayer and in financial support
- Raising our Outfit & Passage (vehicle, shipping/customs, airfare)
- Parenting two little ones while traveling
- The ongoing ministry in Malta

For His Glory,  
**Luke, Anna, Theo and Layla**



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