



“The Northern Light” - Iceland News
The Weimer Family
Reaching the World through Iceland



Over eighty souls attended the Icelandic-speaking service on Sunday, September 10 (photo left). After challenging the children to reach fifty in attendance, our fellow missionary, Nathan Sears had to shave his beard. Added to those fifty children were thirty-six adults. What a blessing it is to reach out to the community! With all the new visitors comes new opportunities to share the Gospel in the homes of these precious souls. Thank you for praying for the Icelandic-speaking outreach in our church plant. Our English-speaking ministry (photo below) consists of people who

have moved to Iceland from all over the world. Many of them serve alongside us striving to reach this country in which they now live. Three of our members are currently studying Icelandic at the University with a desire to help us reach out to the community. Seeing their passion and commitment to serve truly blesses us. On Sundays, many of them come to church before 9 a.m. and leave later than 6 p.m. I am truly blessed. My Icelandic adult class had nine attend this past Sunday. One of those in attendance has been in our church for over twenty-three years. She drives over an hour to attend church while her two children go to our children’s program. We also had a lady join our church in August from a town an hour and a half away. Her growth in the Lord encourages me. She attended some other churches in Reykjavik, closer to her home, before visiting ours for a funeral several months ago. She fell in love with our church. Thank you for praying for the Icelandic-speaking and English-speaking groups.



Our building and one of the communities to whom we minister (photo left), can be seen in this aerial drone photo. **As mentioned in July’s reporting**, Morningside Baptist Church from Greenville, SC came with a team of thirty-five to help us accomplish over sixty tasks. They produced a video of the work they did here in Iceland, including testimonies. It will bless your heart to see and hear it. Here is a link to the video on YouTube: <https://youtu.be/1YiL6xWb7rk?feature=shared>



Monthly reminder: In June of next year, 2024, we will be hosting a Homecoming reunion to celebrate thirty years since the groundbreaking ceremony on June 26, 1994. We have had over 18 teams from our supporting churches come to help us build since 2006. We hope to see those who have sacrificed to help us complete this project if possible. We will be dedicating the building and holding special services Tuesday, June 25 through Thursday, June 27, 2024. The biggest celebration will be on Wednesday, June 26, 2024. To the families and churches who sacrificed to help us build, we invite you to come and be part of this special time together as we give praise to the Lord for the great things He has done. This page on FB, <https://www.facebook.com/IcelandHomeComing>, is a good source for keeping up to date with the Home Coming/Iceland Revival. The three former Pastors, John Opferman, Rodney Colston, and Johnny Wright are all planning to be with us in attendance. Booking flights and hotels early is recommended. The B&B Hotel, Konvin Hotel, located on the old base has a promo code of FBCICELAND and a [link established for special rates](#).

Frequently, we receive inquiries from supporting churches asking if we have special financial needs (family or ministry). Because of this, please know that after all the things we did this summer with community outreach, camp, and projects (Team LIGHT from the above video), spending exceeded support by over \$4,000. Thank you for praying about this need. It is always humbling to share a need.

My daughter Rosa is getting married in May. Thank you for praying for her. Clayton and William are here in Iceland working alongside us, for which we are so thankful, I am thankful that all my kids love the Lord and are serving Him in their local churches, My future son-in-law, Dylan Siekbert, and Rosa have taken leadership in my brother-in-law’s church to lead the teen ministry. My son, William, has taken the leadership to start a teen ministry while visiting here in Iceland. William is praying about where to live and serve. We are blessed to have him in Iceland working with us as he seeks the Lord for direction. Thank you for praying for my children as they have decisions to make seeking where to live and to serve the Lord.

