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## Missionaries in Germany

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Dear Pastor and friends,

### **Assistant Pastor**

Another chapter in the history of this church plant has transpired this on Nov. 26th. We candidated a paid part-time assistant pastor and the assembly voted unanimously to extend a call to Noël Kachouh to join us and minister alongside me.

The church leadership has been speaking about this step for a year, but my stroke in July gave additional motivation. Noël and his wife will now pray and ponder for the next two weeks as to accepting the call.

### **Missional involvement**

Here is an additional reason why investing in church planting make good kingdom and business sense. Recently, an opportunity arose for missionary Brian Weed in Nicaragua to buy 43 acres of land for ministry. He only needed \$80,000 and appealed to 40 churches to consider sending \$2,000 each. Our church in Germany has risen to the occasion and is helping to make it possible.

When missional churches plant missional churches, the leverage is increased worldwide. Know that we attempt to flesh out the great commission and we constantly look for opportunities to impact our generation for His sake. My goal for 2014 are two short-term missions trips for our church. These have always brought dividends long term in the lives of those who participate.

### **Solid growth and attendance**

Attendance is strong right now, meaning that we are once again needing to come up with a viable solution to break through the 250 average attendance barrier. Only having 200 seats in the auditorium is a restriction. How fabulous it is to be challenged with this problem in Europe.

Yours, in His service,

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