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 **BERLIN/NORTHERN GERMANY**

**CARL AND BETHANY SLEDGE**

Brother Michael studies the Word of God diligently. He realized his need to have his sins washed away through baptism but wanted to understand fully all the verses before doing so, taking this step very seriously. On December 29, he wrote Brother Sledge, "Is it true that you will baptize me anytime and anywhere?" He received an immediate positive reply! The next day he brought his parents and fiancée to our house for fellowship and a meal (our first time to meet the parents). During the talk, he said he had come to our apartment intending to be baptized. Brother Sledge asked, "Are you ready right now?" As soon as he answered, "Yes," Brother Sledge was out of his seat to assemble and fill the baptistry! Brother Michael's parents are learning from him and studying the Word as he shares his revelation of scriptural truth. We look forward to the day when they too embrace a complete relationship with God.



**JOE AND FANNY COONEY**

 **TARASCON - SOUTH FRANCE**

A new UPC-COT Satellite Bible School was opened in Banga Bakundu with twenty-five students enrolled in the certificate program

**RUSTY AND ADRIANE RIDDICK**

 **CAMEROON**

Rev. Juan Robles & family are raising up a great work in Tarascon. In our services Bro Cooney preached in English, Sis Cooney interpreted in French, and 12 year old Juan Robles Jr interpreted in Spanish. We give God praise for filling 10 souls with the Holy Ghost!



Not all fire is Holy Ghost fire. We recently experienced the worst wildfire season that Chile has ever had. Over one million acres were burned. Three separate times we received evacuation orders to leave our home. The Lord is merciful, and our home was spared. Our church building in Roa which was brand new, was burned to the ground. Thank God none of the church members were injured. Please pray for this congregation as they try to rebuild their building.

**STEVEN AND MARZIA WELL**

 **CHILE**

 **TARASCON - SOUTH FRANCE**

**CARL AND BETHANY SLEDGE**

We started October with the baptism of Sister Celine. She had indicated she had questions, but after the Sunday service, she stepped to Sister Sledge and said, "The light came on! All my questions were answered while Pastor Sledge taught, and I need to be baptized today." We took the baptismal to her small apartment, found a place it could fit, and washed her sins away in the name of Jesus.





# MONTHLY PROJECT HIGHLIGHTS

## CAMEROON

PROJECT #: GMPD.1050.2202

We have a great need to complete the Bible School in Buea, Cameroon to have adequate electricity; running water and efficient toilets; tiling the floors; repair ceilings; painting; and building a retainer wall on the upper side of the property. The total estimated cost is \$20,000

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