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**OCTOBER 2024 PRAYER LETTER** 

## **Harvest Day**

After a busy summer, when life seems to get back into a regular routine, we always enjoy taking a break to celebrate Thanksgiving. As a family, since Emily is Canadian and Daniel is American, we try to celebrate both Thanksgivings helping our children learn an appreciate both cultures. Living here in Moldova, we also celebrate Thanksgiving with our church family, thanking God for His blessings and provisions for another year. Most Moldovans live all winter on what they have grown in their gardens during the warmer months. Our church gathered fruits and vegetables to represent the harvest that God had given them. Along with another small, village church and a special speaker, our service was filled with lots of singing, poems, special music, and a message that all focused our attention on God and the many blessings He has given us. After the service, it was a joy to watch as all the men, including our young men, jumped in to divide up all the produce that was used as decorations on the stage. With a lot of excitement and enthusiasm, they then delivered two boxes of produce, a bag of household staples (such as flour, sugar, and oil), and a special flower to seven widows that live just around our church. Not only are the widows very appreciative and often overwhelmed with the gifts, but the people of the church are also excited as they are able to share God's blessings and love with those in need around us.



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