

# Christ the King Church

Karlovac & Zagreb Spring Newsletter



New mailbox at means our mail won't get wet or left on the ground.

## Holy Week and Easter in Karlovac

Holy Week (Great Week) began the Sunday before Easter. In Croatia, the commemoration of Jesus' triumphal entry is known as "Flower Sunday". Members and guests received traditional olive branches. Evening services were held on Maundy Thursday and on Good Friday. Easter Sunday started cloudy, then become sunny outside just as the worship inside radiated with joy. After the worship service, members and some Baptist guests feasted and talked for over two hours.



Carrot cake & other tasty things for Easter!

**Our mission:** Working for the glory of God and the good of Karlovac.  
**Our vision:** To build up the congregations, disciple new believers, offer basic seminary training and impact more lives for the Kingdom in a permanent facility.



## Zagreb Church Plant Adds Another New Member

This April, Ivan becomes our newest member in Zagreb. Ivan grew up as a nominal Roman Catholic. Seeing many problems within the Roman church, Ivan searched for better ways to God. Earlier this year, Ivan trusted in Jesus Christ as his Savior and Lord. He has been working through the catechism with Almir and Tom during the winter and early spring. He is a religious studies student at the University of Zagreb. After graduation he would like to pursue a career either in government or academics where he can make a difference and help others. We are grateful to receive Ivan into our church family.



## Transportation Ministry

At the end of last year, Asim and Mira replaced their 15 year old Fiat Punto with a newer 8 year old Renault Clio. Besides being in better condition, their red Clio is a 4 door, which is very important because Asim and Mira pick up several older members of Christ the King,. Asim and Mira help church members and others get to church as well as get around the Karlovac area going to the hospital, doctors, therapists, grocery shopping and other places. Most people in our church don't own a car, so this newer car means more ministry. This is a tangible example of the body of Christ in action helping others in need.



## Next US Trip

Almir will travel to America on May 28th and stay 10 days, visiting friends he and Tom made on their November 2017 trip. Tom and Almir plan to visit churches in Virginia, Maryland, and Pennsylvania. They will share the vision of Christ the King in reaching more people in central Croatia with the gospel and equipping more servant leaders.

