



Christmas in Canada!

We spent Christmas in Ontario this year! An added bonus was introducing Marla, Jackson's girlfriend, to Canada. It was fun to compare cultural notes between Canada and Germany. Her first observation was that vehicles, especially trucks, are much larger in Canada. Especially noteworthy was the larger bags of chips and Doritos!

We are grateful for the support by so many financially and in prayer. We are currently raising funds to continue our work in Dortmund, Germany. *We are currently around **90%** funded.* If you are considering becoming a financial supporter, now is the time! **You can support us [here](#).**



Pickaxe Project

In January I visited churches in Ontario, sharing about our ministry and the Pickaxe Project. It was amazing performing some of the music with Brandon Fehderau and explaining the vision to share the good news of Jesus.

We have raised \$11,000. *Will you help us raise \$30,000 more?* We are ready to perform at [Subrosa](#) and record with [Mkondo](#). We have enough to get us started, but more is needed for production and promotion. **Please support here:** [PickaxeProject](#).



Equip PräsentKirche

After returning to Dortmund, we were quickly back at it. I helped organise a workshop with our team on how to share the Gospel. We invited a fellow church planter in Dortmund, Junias Meuer, to challenge and inspire us. We were inspired!

Please pray for our church as we continue to disciple people, who will also make disciples. You can follow updates here: [PräsentKirche](#).



Did you know that Dortmund has a special passion for soccer? A fellow Multiply church planter and I attended a presentation at the national Fußball Museum in Dortmund, called "Myth and Modernity: Soccer in the Ruhrgebiet."

One of the plenary speakers spoke about the liturgy of soccer, its religious meaning for people, and how it forms collective identity. The roots of this cultural phenomenon stem back to the economic challenges since the postwar era.

Pray that people in our city would discover their identity in Christ!

