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News

Following the church mission conference in Northampton last October, Olaf has been invited to lead a weekend event at a church in Shropshire at the end of this month. There have now been 186,000 downloads of the online videos with over 10,360 website users in 133 countries. It's also very encouraging to see that views of the second parts of both the 'A Better Connection' and 'The Connected Life' courses closely match views of the first parts, indicating that people are following through! Specifically, TCL1 has 1060+ and ABC1 has 560+ views. Progress is at last being made with the third and (hopefully!) final update for the android and iOS versions of the 'Best Connections' free app. This has taken considerable financial investment and is a project that will have been almost three years from start to finish. Once it is complete, we will be investing more in its promotion and hope that readers of this bulletin will play a part in sharing with friends, church pastors and fellow Christians. Work is also being done to update the website, and to make it compatible for mobile phone use. This should be completed in time for Easter 2017. C4L resources have been featured on EA's 'Great Commission' website: <https://greatcommission.co.uk/connect-4-life-resources>.

Praise - Thank God . . .

- for the invitation to speak at the event in Shropshire this month
- for additional funding to enable the website to be updated to the required standard, and for advertising
- that a designer has been found to update the app, and for encouraging progress after the many difficulties that there have been along the way
- for the increase in downloads of the 12 core videos for outreach and discipleship that are available on the Connect4Life (C4L) website and through our You Tube channel
- for the widespread usage of the C4L website and the way it is so easily accessible to encourage Christians, churches and pastors even in countries where there is hostility to Christians and evangelism

Prayer - Please pray . . .

- for the event in Shropshire on 25-26 February: two seminars on the Saturday, and preach on the Sunday
- for the work being done on the website and on the Best Connections App – that the app will be completed accurately on time and within budget
- that those who have completed the courses online will be deeply impacted
- that people will discover these free outreach resources and go on to share them widely – please view and share this link: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=czOK-3HSJXY>
- that God will continue to provide all the resources that are required to maintain and develop the ministry
- for the Directors of C4L and for Olaf as they plan into the next season

If you have any knowledge of appropriate trusts or grant-making bodies who may be willing to support this ministry, or would like to make a personal donation (either through the website or by post – details as below), please let us know. Likewise, if you have any connection with churches or leaders who may be interested to find out more about connect4life we would love to hear about them. Thank you!

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