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THE JOHNSONS ARE OFF TO SWEDEN! (May 30-August 10)

As we transitioned from 25 years with Mission to the World (MTW) to an assignment with International Xchange Organization (IXO) in 2012, we made a five year commitment to be stationed full-time in Montgomery, Alabama. Four years in we believe that the LORD is making it possible for our family to further research what the next term could look like. With EU citizenship, the options are several.

We are therefore heading to Sweden, Poland, and Germany from late May till mid-August. Thirteen Johnsons will set up in Sweden, with four sons working in our IXO exploration and evangelism project in Solvesborg. We will focus on Sweden in June, starting by joining a mission prayer team from Minnesota the first week of June.

We will spend the rest of June renewing relationships and exploring possibilities for the future.



In July, I will be the keynote speaker at the Warsaw Presbyterian Church (Dobry Pasterz) evangelistic retreat, where I will prepare and deliver six messages at the retreat, and then preach in the worship service in downtown Warsaw on Sunday. I will interview young men interested in coming with us to the U.S. for training.

In the end of July I hope to visit Regensburg Germany where we have IXO staff. We hope to also visit the IXO church plant in Neuenburg Germany when we have the IXO Ambassadors mission team on site.

This is a daunting venture as we think about gathering our thirteen Swedish passports along with our thirteen U.S. passports, packing thirteen bags, booking thirteen airline tickets, arranging ground travel and lodging for such a group. We are praying that the LORD will lay it on the hearts of several to pray for us and to donate financially to our attempt to be and do what the LORD has called us to. ***Would you prayerfully consider helping with some of these additional costs?*** Gifts are tax-deductible and checks can be made out to IXO and mailed directly to:

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Because of faithful churches and individuals like you we dare move forward. Let's do this! Gary Johnson