# Romania Mission Trip 2023 09/17/2023

#### **Basics of the Trip**

- September 5-14
- 2 Homeless outreaches
- 6 Church meetings
- 1 Open-air church service on the street
- Lots of evangelism, prayer for the sick or oppressed, etc.
- At least 15+ saved... lots of healing and deliverance

### 1. There is Power When You Rejoice in Trials

• James 1:2-4 – 2 Count it all joy, my brothers, when you meet trials of various kinds, 3 for you know that the testing of your faith produces steadfastness. 4 And let steadfastness have its full effect, that you may be perfect and complete, lacking in nothing.

#### 2. Your Life Matters Most When You Invest in People

#### 3. If You are in Jesus, You Will Bear Fruit

• John 15:5 – I am the vine; you are the branches. Whoever abides in me and I in him, he it is that bears much fruit, for apart from me you can do nothing.

#### 4. We Must Always Be Ready to Preach the Gospel

- 1 Peter 3:15 In your hearts honor Christ the Lord as holy, always being prepared to make a defense to anyone who asks you for a reason for the hope that is in you; yet do it with gentleness and respect...
- Romans 1:16 For I am not ashamed of the gospel, for it is the power of God for salvation to everyone who believes, to the Jew first and also to the Greek.

#### 5. Ask God for Divine Appointments

## 6. Know that No One is Beyond the Reach of God's Love