

Thank you for being a part of this journey



Converge missionaries

Since coming back to the States from Germany in April, Jonas and I have been in the process of getting with Converge International Ministries. We were officially accepted as missionary appointees with Converge in September. Converge will help us get on the mission field by training us and assisting us with the visa process, as well as take care of us once we are on the field through helping with things like taxes, counseling/family support, etc.



Fundraising

As a part of our missionary training with Converge, Jonas and I took a three-week class on fundraising from Kingdom Come training. We have been meeting with a fundraising coach on a weekly basis since then to keep us on target to get to Germany. We are now nine percent fully funded, which is a good start. Before we go to Germany, Converge requires us to be one hundred and five percent fully funded. It feels like we have a long way to go, but we are thankful that we are making progress towards it!



Surprise baby shower at Epley Baptist! Shy baby with hands by it's face.

Traveling

We recently traveled to Kentucky the second week of November and were able to meet with many wonderful people. It was a very busy trip (especially being pregnant), but we were so thankful to have been able to meet so many dear friends, and have so many people wanting to partner with us and what God is doing in Germany.

What we are up to

As most of you know, we are expecting our first child December 31! It is right around the corner, and we are so excited to welcome this little one into our family. We don't know what the gender is because the baby didn't cooperate at the twenty-week ultrasound, and since everything has been going well in the pregnancy, there are no other opportunities for another ultrasound. It will be a fun surprise, but we cannot wait to find out!

Besides preparing for the baby, Jonas has been working on his master's degree in Apologetics at Houston Baptist University Online. He is almost finished with his second class of his first semester, which is titled "Apologetics Research and Writing", and it's a doozy. It's requiring him to do lots of writing and rewriting. His professor for this class is one of the editors for Oxford's *Inklings* academic journal, which isn't intimidating at all.

Prayer requests

- Prayer for the safe arrival of the baby and adjustments for everyone
- Prayer of thankfulness for new partners in ministry
- Prayer for new partners to join our ministry

Merry Christmas

THANK YOU

We continue to see God's hand in our fund-raising and feel compelled to share our ministry vision with others. Thank you those who have become financial partners with us. If you are interested in donating, please visit the link below. If you have any problems with the website, Jonas and Abigail would be happy to walk through that process with you. This ministry is not possible without your help! We are very grateful for your consideration and support.

<https://converge.org/give/209849>

Current Monthly Funding: 9%

