

## Current News from Oberbayern

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You may have heard of the problems in Cologne and other cities in Germany on New Year's Eve. That has created an atmosphere of angst. It is good to know the Lord and His protection. Our new year also did not start off quite as anticipated. The end of December Maria had to be brought to the doctor on a Saturday night with a stubborn infection of a superficial varicose vein. With syringes of blood-thinning agents for 12 days and a very strong (and painful) support stocking, she carried on. We are thankful for a full recovery. Maria also had a bacterial infection on her face in February to contend with. We are grateful that this infection seems to be under control now.

The work in Schongau is doing well. Willi is still taking 2 Sundays a month, and John's mentoring of him is going well. There is one new saved couple that has been coming regularly and another saved couple that has been coming off and on.

The work in Murnau is also growing – not numerically, but certainly spiritually. The ladies' meetings are going very well. The youth/college and career meeting are also going very well. One of the young ladies offered to bring the food at a recent meeting. That was helpful and allowed her an opportunity to minister. The time is precious and encouraging to the group. There were also various opportunities to minister in counseling. We also have had several unsaved attend the services. Please pray especially for the salvation of three men that have recently visited.