

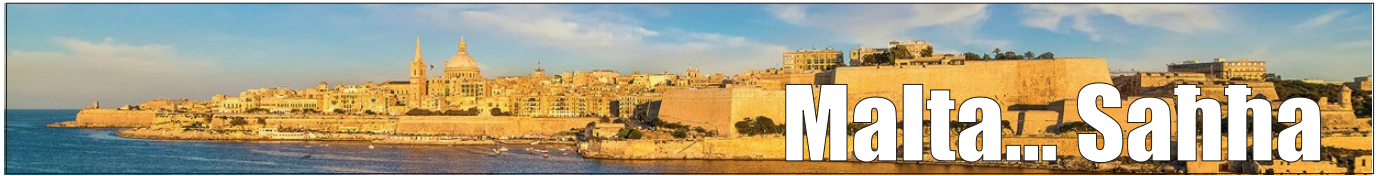


News from the Warrens in Malta

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News & Prayer Update

It's been six years since we moved to Malta, during this time we've seen God working in our personal and family lives, through the church and ministry, all in ways which we probably didn't expect. We've been blessed beyond measure and we give all the thanks and praise to God.



We now believe it is the right time for us to say 'Saħħa' (goodbye) to Malta and return home to the UK. Over the last few months we have been feeling the need to be back in the UK near to our family. So God willing, we will move back in early September and initially are going to make our home in Leicester. We will miss Malta very much but are confident that God has something better in store for us. It's been a great faith adventure and we are just waiting to see how the Lord leads us in our next adventure in faith.

We wanted to thank you all for your continual and faithful prayer support while we were here serving the Lord in Malta. Please continue to pray for the church that we will leave in Bugibba as they go on with God, and especially for Pastor Vince and his wife Antoinette. They have been such a blessing and encouragement to us, and we are certainly going to miss being near to them as they will miss us and our input into the ministry. To some extent we will continue to play a role and be involved from time to time as the Lord leads.

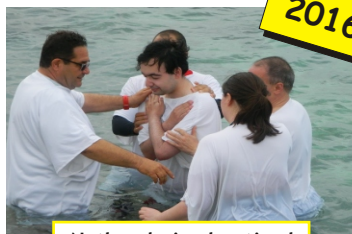
We wanted to take the opportunity in this our final update from Malta to share with you some of the highlights as a thank you and a token of praise to our Mighty God, who brought us here six years ago.



Debbie's baptism in Bugibba

Over the six years there have been many baptisms in the sea at Bugibba, but none have been as moving as when we baptised our daughter Debbie in 2014.

Two years later, on a very cold day, Debbie joined us in the water to baptise Nathan, her then husband to be.



Nathan being baptised



Our ordination service

Our ordination into the eldership of the church by Pastors Vince and Antoinette. We were honoured and humbled as we were the first members Pastor Vince has ordained in the church since he took over as Pastor in 2003.



Guy's & Ellie's wedding

2017

In July 2017 Peter officiated his very first wedding. It was a good opportunity to share the gospel as there were many in the congregation that were not Christians. Here we are praying for the newly-weds.

2018

Peter was pleased to be asked to appear as a guest on TV. The programme 'Il-Verità', hosted by Phyllisienne Brincat, is aimed at the locals and is in Maltese, but Pete spoke in English and was interpreted.

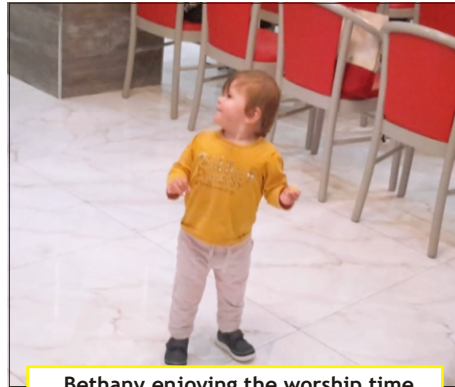
Peter has recorded six programmes in total which can be viewed on our website www.voice-faith.com. In the first programme Peter shared his testimony, the others feature Bible teaching.



Peter & Phyllisienne - on the TV set

2019

Earlier this year it was a joy to have Joanna and Bethany with us for a few months. It was Beth's first visit to Malta, and first time on a plane! She quickly became part of the church and everyone missed her when she returned home. She particularly enjoyed the worship time and was often at the front dancing with the worship team. She also took a liking for the local *gelat* (ice cream) and she was working her way through the different flavours. We are looking forward to spending much more time with her back in the UK.



Bethany enjoying the worship time



Listening to Grandpa preach

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- **Or through our website:** www.voice-faith.com Follow the link to 'sowing into the ministry' where you will see a donation button. By using this facility your gift can be made by debit /credit card or online Paypal account.

PLEASE PRAY FOR US

- that God will supply all that is necessary for our relocation back to UK.
- the church that we leave behind in Malta that God would continue to bless and increase it.
- Pray for our girls and their families.
- for God's direction as we go forward for Him



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