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Dexter, Missouri - Several local members of the First Baptist Church in Dexter traveled far, far away! It took them more than 33 hours to arrive at their destination. Their mission trip overseas took them to Calacea, Romania where they worked with Pastor Toni Mic and his congregation.

Pictured are Bessie McRoy, Julie Twomey, Katelynn Frazier, Greg McGhee, Katie Reiker, Tania Reiker, and Jim Reiker. Also Toni Mic, pastor and Soia along with a few staff members of the Mayor and their interpreter.

“It was a long trip, but well worth getting to work with the children, youth, and the elderly.” stated Jim Reiker. “The people of Calacea were so kind and generous and we fell in love with them.”

The mission group left on June 25th and returned to the U.S. on July 4th, Independence Day. When asked if they will go again, “We do look forward to going back. Wonderful people over there.”

They already miss their Romanian friends. They met a couple that had been married for 70 years and a lady named, Ana, who they each said was the best cook they ever met. One home even had four generations living under one roof.

Their trip was extremely rewarding. They were helped with the youth group, made care packages and saw people in the clinic. Their purpose was to allow other people to experience Jesus and share the Gospel. A special thank you to the Mayor of Calacea, what a wonderful contact they had while they were traveling.

For more great photos of the people of Romania and the mission trip, view them on the First Baptist Church's Facebook Page by clicking [here](#).

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