

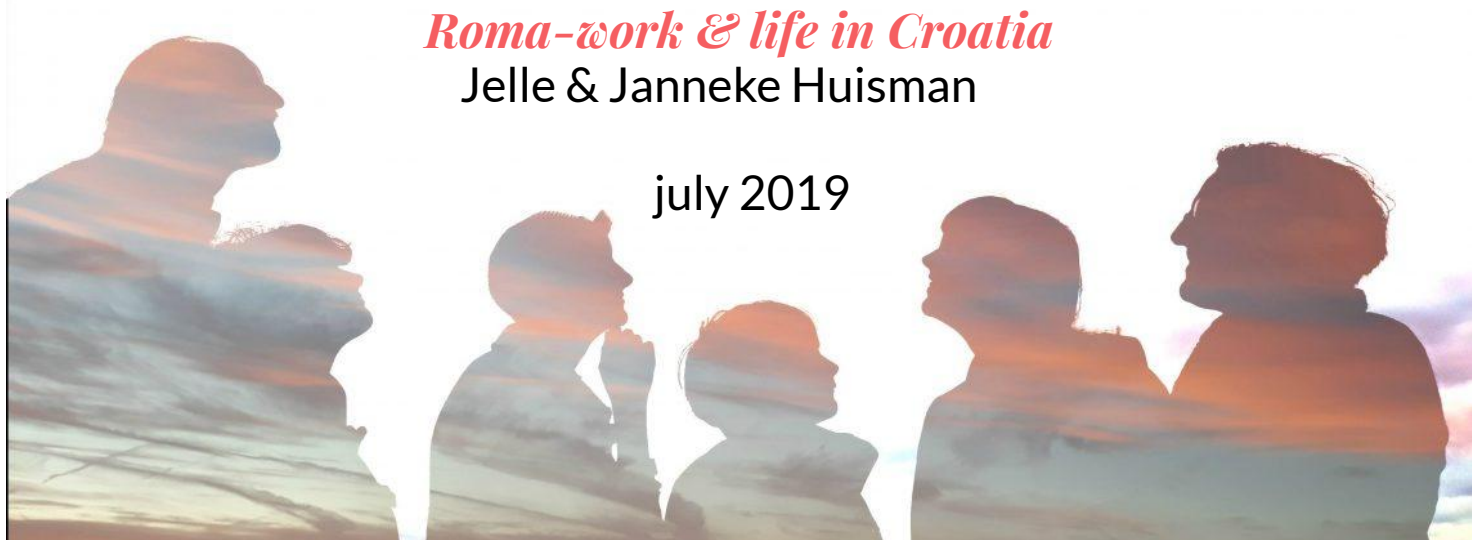
Greetings *from* Osijek *and* the Netherlands

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Roma-work & life in Croatia

Jelle & Janneke Huisman

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Roma church in Kapelna



Children in the church



After the service



In a Roma village

A *baka* in a Roma village. Did she just bring one of her grandchildren to the Bible club?



Laurens goes to school

Laurens' school in Croatia.

At the end of the year there were good-byes and tears...

Now he makes new friends in The Netherlands...



Family visit



Meeting with our friend and colleague Nori

This is the Bible translation project in Hungary. Jelle will continue to be involved. He is planning to travel every two months to keep in touch with the work.



What is the difference?

He came to the UNA Bible club. He heard the story, he did his work, he sang the songs, he received love and friendship.

What is the difference?

The UNA Club can be a stepping stone to the church and the Bible, get used to reading and writing and to having friends. UNA club is a step in a long chain.

This makes a difference.



Tiny house in a Roma village



Biljana - the wife of a Roma pastor

A long time ago, Biljana was a beggar on the streets of Vukovar, just after the war in former Yugoslavia.

Now, she is the wife of Djenot the Roma pastor, she writes books and is a Bible translator.

(And a dear friend of Janneke.)



Roma Family Bible with 50 Bible stories ...

.. in the language of Roma in Eastern Serbia.



Going home with the Word

After the *UNA Summer camp* this girl went happily home with her Bible in the language of her heart. Please pray for these summer clubs.



Member care in Osijek

We are glad that we are not alone. Work in Mission is all about working together and sharing our gifts. A wonderful mix of locals and outsiders.



Church in Darda

Janneke saying
goodbye to friends
at Darda church.
Things will change
with our move,
but we will stay in
touch with them.



Bor

This is one of the places in Eastern Serbia with a regular UNA club in a local Roma language.



Plans for 2019/2020

- In the autumn **Jelle** will travel to **Croatia** to teach at the Theological Seminary and for education for Roma pastors in **Serbia**.
- He will continue his involvement in the *Bible translation project* in **Hungary**.
- In the winter/spring of 2020 he will go regularly to these project locations.
- **Janneke** will continue to be involved in *member-care* part time.

Thank you very much for prayers and support during this intense time of transition.

Jelle & Janneke + Marijke, Judith, Femke en Laurens

