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On the evening of March 12, 2020 the French president announced the first major lockdown with nationwide school closings. Two days later on Saturday evening, the news came that the entire nation was to be shut down. Shall we fast forward one year later? Because some things have improved, March 2021 looks slightly different than this time last year. Yet there are still *many* restrictions in place, especially in regards to our church and our various ministries.

Sadly, for the second year in a row we've had to cancel our Easter egg hunt outreach for kids. Our "special Easter program" will once again consist of special music on Facebook live by the Autersons and a sketch performed by our girls, followed by an Easter sermon from Lance. We pray people will not be tired of everything being done virtually and will tune in to watch the service online. Our services are being viewed an encouraging number of times per week and so we're excited about this unique but promising venue of ministry.

While many things have changed and continue to change, the message of Easter remains the same. He is risen! Christ conquered death and awaits the repentant sinner with outstretched arms.

May the glorious news of His gospel fall on ready ears and willing hearts this Easter season in France and around the world!

Because He lives, Lance, Amy, Kirianna, Aliyah, Cannon & Kayne Auterson