

## Derek and Jane French

Location: **Bilbao, SPAIN**

Mission: **Student ministry**



Summer is fast approaching, which is always a time of change for BIC. Give thanks to God for the BIC students who have been attending and helping out at church this past academic year. Pray for them as they sit exams in June and as they return to their home countries, that God would clearly lead and guide them on the next step of their journey. Pray for the core group of people in BIC that live permanently in the Basque Country, it is hard to have to say goodbye to people they have come to love and care for each year. Pray that they would be encouraged and give thanks for their faithfulness. BIC would also like to have more people on their core team, to help out full time with the student work, evangelism, worship and kids' ministry.



Pray for Joaquin Hernandez, the General Secretary of GBU. He is currently on sabbatical until the end of August. Pray that it would be a time of refreshment and encouragement for him and that God would strengthen him for the coming years.



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**June 2026**

GBU is gearing up for the various camps that will be held in the summer. Pray for the preparation for the camps, that God would prepare the hearts of the young people attending and that those who are giving seminars and talks would know God's guidance during their preparation time.

In May, a lot of damage was done to the Sarriko church building due to a leak from the flat above. There was substantial structural damage and sadly a lot of resources had to be thrown out because of water damage. Pray that the insurance will come through and repairs can be made as soon as possible. We are thankful that the church more than just a building!

### Prayer points:

- BIC and the students during this time of transition
- Preparation for GBU summer camps, for those attending and those preparing talks
- Joaquin as he is on sabbatical, for rest and refreshment
- For insurance to come through for the damage caused by the leak in the church