



Serving the people of Poland since 1954
Polish Christian Ministries May 2025

*"He who knew no sin became sin for us so that we might become the righteousness of God."
II Corinthians 5:21*

POLAND BOUND - HERE WE GO!



The spring/summer season is upon us and the teams of PCM volunteers will soon be heading to Poland. Please join us in praying for travel mercies, and that God's name will be praised and the Polish churches encouraged by our times together.

- May 16-25 Building Project - Ostróda Camp
- May 23-June 1 Building Project/Camp Preparation - Ostroda Camp
- May 23-June 1 Teaching English - Plock
- May 30-June 10 Renovation Project - Genesis Nova (Pabianice)
- June 9-18 Ukrainian Outreach/CSM Conference - Warsaw
- June 17-24 Annual Pastors Conference - Ostroda
- July 4-16 Children's Day Camp - Sosnowiec
- July 17-27 Children's Day Camp - Dzialdowo

CENTRAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH



The Central Christian Church in Ocala, FL, is a Living Link church with Pastor Jarek Sciwiarski and the church in Dabrowa Gornicza. It was great to have lunch with some of the church leadership, meet Evan Nave (new Lead Pastor), and reunite with friends who have traveled to Poland. We are so thankful for this congregation's faithful support over the years. [Interesting fact: Ocala County is one of the largest thoroughbred centers in the world.]

KISSIMMEE CHRISTIAN CHURCH



Kissimmee Christian Church in Kissimmee, Florida, has supported PCM for many years.

They are a Living Link with Pastor Marek Sobotka at Warsaw "South." We had the opportunity to share a PCM update with Alan Tison, the elder who oversees the missions ministry. We pray blessing over this congregation as they continue to reach out in the name of Jesus.

TOMOKA CHRISTIAN CHURCH



It was a big blessing in early April to share in five worship services at Tomoka Christian Church in Ormond Beach, Florida. PCM Board members Denny Towles and Tom Anders represented PCM at two of Tomoka's satellite churches, as well. This congregation supports Adam Kosewski (CSM) and Pastor Daniel Masarczyk (Sosnowiec). A team from Tomoka will be leading a Kids Kamp in Sosnowiec this summer. We are so thankful for Pastor Joe Putting and all the church as they prioritize missions and make a significant impact not only in Poland, but throughout the nations of the world.

PCM SPRING BOARD MEETING



PCM's annual spring Board meetings were held this year in Ormond Beach, Florida. We are thankful to the Tomoka Christian Church for graciously hosting us. Connie Davis (PCM Board member and Missions Director at Tomoka) coordinated our visit and made arrangements for our group. We give God praise for every Board member who gives of themselves so freely. It was a joy to meet with our Board members (both in person and via Zoom), as together we seek to serve the nation of Poland.

THE CHOJNACKI'S



It was a special treat to meet with retired Pastor Zbigniew Chojnacki (Ostroda, Poland) and his son, Benjamin, during their visit to the States. Zbigniew's brother, Piotr, pastors a church in the Detroit area, so they were nearby. We are always glad for time to catch up with our ministry partners - no matter on which side of the pond.

UKRAINIAN REFUGEE ASSISTANCE

Give to help Ukrainian refugees!

www.pcmusa.org
Click on "Ways to Give"
Designate "Ukrainian refugees"

All donations go directly to
refugee relief

In April, PCM sent \$10,500 to Poland for the purpose of Ukrainian refugee relief:

- 1) Food distribution centers in Poland - \$4,500
- 2) Polish churches for housing/food - \$4,500
- 3) Transports to Ukraine from Polish churches - \$1,500

PCM is committed to sending funds to help our Polish churches provide food and housing for Ukrainian refugees. Every donation is deeply appreciated.

IN MEMORY

Gifts given in memory of ...

Loren Deckard

by Daniel & Karen Dyke

Ken Meade

by the Mark Meade family

Ed & Dimp Spencer

by Dirck Spencer



PRAISE & PRAYER REQUESTS

Praise God for ...

... HOPE found in Jesus that changes lives.
... the PCM Board of Directors who serve so faithfully.
... the 76 volunteers who are planning to come to Poland this spring/summer.
... the Polish churches as they continue to care for Ukrainians - both in Poland and via transports to Ukraine.
... the next 32 US donor churches in 2024: (THANK YOU!)
Beacon Baptist Church, Taylor, MI
Calvary Chapel, Canterbury, CT
First Baptist Church, Northville, MI

Tomahawk Christian Church, Hedgesville, WV
Medaryville Christian Church, Medaryville, IN
First Christian Church, Roanoke Rapids, NC
Liberty Christian Church, Martinsville, IN
First Christian Church of Dadeville, Dadeville, MO
First Church of Christ, Bluffton, IN
First Christian Church, Havre de Grace, MD
Hunterdon Christian Church, Flemington, NJ
Guyandotte Church of Christ, Huntington, WV
Brady Lane Church of Christ, Lafayette, IN
Voluntown Baptist Church, Voluntown, CT
Southside Christian Church, Ottawa, IL
Hillside Christian Church, Marshfield, MO
Grove Church of Christ, Gambier, OH
Forks of John's Creek Christian Church, New Castle, VA
Central Christian Church, Savannah, GA
Sugar Grove Christian Church, Soldiers Grove, WI
Mt. Pleasant Church of Christ, Greenville, NC
Antioch Christian Church, Elk City, OK
Christian Church of East Sparta, East Sparta, OH
First Christian Church, Grayville, IL
Stronghurst Christian Church, Stronghurst, IL
Camelback Christian Church, Scottsdale, AZ
Concord Christian Church, Concord, IL
Maysville Church of Christ, Maysville, KY
Fellowship Bible Church, Fort Gratiot, MI
Western Hills Christian Church, Tranquility, NJ
Oak Grove Church of Christ, Oak Grove, VA
Grace Bible Church, Kilgore, TX

Please pray for ...

... an end to the war in Ukraine.
... the hearts of the Polish people to be open to the Gospel message.
... wisdom and guidance for the process of selecting the next PCM executive director.
NEW Executive Director Timeline
2025: ED Search
2026: ED Selection
2027: ED Transition (David and Sandy will continue to serve through the transition.)
... retired pastor Piotr Karel and his family as they grieve the loss of his father, Ferdynand Karel (age 101). Ferdynand was the founder and Senior Pastor of the "Betania" Pentecostal Church in Katowice.
... Oksana Bilous' mother, Maria, who recently experienced a stroke. Oksana is currently in Ukraine, caring for her mother in the hospital.
... the Presidential elections being held in Poland on May 18.
... favor from the mayor of Ostroda to approve new cabin construction at Ostroda Camp.
... wisdom for the church in Katowice as they search for a new venue.

Dave & Sandy Hatfield's travel schedule:

May 4: Thrive Church, Camby, IN
May 5: Mt. Gilead Church, Mooresville, IN (Katowice pastors visiting)
May 14-15: Fly from Detroit to Warsaw, Poland
May 17-22: Ostroda Camp
May 24-31: Plock
June 4-8: Genesis Nova (Pabianice)

If your church is interested in having PCM connect with your congregation in person or via live stream or Zoom, please contact David at dave.hatfield777@gmail.com or call him at 810-923-0226.

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