



Serving the people of Poland since 1954

Polish Christian Ministries

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Have you ever commanded the morning to appear and caused the dawn to rise in the east? Have you ever told the daylight to spread to the ends of the earth, to bring an end to the night's wickedness? For the features of the earth take shape as the light approaches, and the dawn is robed in red. The light disturbs the haunts of the wicked. Job 38:12-15

WE'RE GOING TO POLAND



Since the Polish borders recently opened to U.S. citizens, David and Sandy are planning to be in Poland this fall to participate in several celebrations. The church in Płock will dedicate their new building and celebrate their 30th anniversary. Special Thanksgiving services will be held in Bielsk Podlaski/Siemiątycze and Kolobrzeg. A new pastor will be ordained in Biała Podlaska. Warsaw West is preparing to move into their new facility in a shopping mall. They also look forward to visiting Adam Kosewski and the new CSM headquarters in SW Poland. It will certainly be a wonderful time to share face-to-face with Polish ministry partners and to witness firsthand all that God is doing in Poland.

ANNUAL PASTORS CONFERENCE



We are thankful the Polish pastors and church leaders were able to gather this year for their annual leadership conference in Zakosciele. It is always such a blessed time of worship, teaching, prayer, and encouragement for these devoted men and women. For 100 years, leaders such as these have been serving the churches of Poland. We pray God's continued blessing on each leader, family, and congregation represented.

TWO FAITHFUL COUPLES



Piotr Karel and Andrzej Ostrowski recently retired after many years of faithful service. Piotr was the founding pastor of the church in Kolobrzeg in 1978, and Andrzej has served as the second pastor since 1987. Together with their wives, Nelli and Danuta, they have poured themselves out on behalf of the congregation. We congratulate them on their retirement and thank them for leading so well. May God bless them and continue to use them in significant ways in the years to come.

LODZ OUTREACH



Pastor Fryderyk Domaradzki and the church in Lodz recently participated in the EU UrbAct Project. They built a fence, benches, and planted flowers to create a nice space for local residents. This was a great opportunity to speak about Jesus to those in the community and even on a local TV station. We pray God will continue to use this church to be a light in the city of Lodz.

U.S. CHURCH VISITS RESUME



In early June, David and Sandy shared a PCM update with the Concord Christian Church in Concord, IL. This is a special place for David since he grew up in Concord and his father pastored the church there for twenty-two years. The Concord congregation faithfully supports PCM and we give thanks for solid Christian roots and ongoing friendships.

ZOOM PRAYER SESSIONS



On June 7th we hosted a Zoom prayer session with Adam Kosewski, the Director of CSM. He shared a ministry update and several needs for prayer. They recently finished the school year with a live-streamed evening of worship. Funds are still needed as their next building payment is due in September. We are thankful for the Tomoka Christian Church (Ormond Beach, FL) which serves as the Living Link for Adam and CSM. Our next Zoom session will be **Monday, August 9th, at 11:00 ET**. Our special guest will be Piotr Karel, the newly retired pastor of the church in Kolobrzeg.

UKRAINIAN YOUTH CAMP



The Ukrainian youth camp is scheduled for August 1-7 at Camp Olvia in the city of Ochakiv, Ukraine. Thus far we've raised \$4,776 toward our goal of \$5,000. The matching donor has raised an additional \$5,000 to meet the overall need of \$10,000. Thanks so much to all who have given. Please be in prayer for this camp that young lives will be touched by God and changed forever.

GETTING CLOSE



\$250,743.57 to date

PRAYER REQUESTS

Praise God for ...

... **Piotr Karel** and **Andrzej Ostrowski**, long-time pastors of the church in Kolobrzeg.
... the successful annual **church leaders conference** in early June at Zakosciele
... the **healing** of several of our Polish partners who were sick with Covid-19.
... all of our **U.S. supporting churches** and individuals, including ...

Faith Church of Christ, Burlington, Indiana
Langley Christian Church, Hampton, Virginia
Joppatowne Christian Church, Joppa, Maryland
Michigantown Christian Church, Michigantown, Indiana
New Found Church of Christ, Glen Allen, Virginia

Tomahawk Christian Church, Hedgesville, Virginia
Winder Christian Church, Winder, Georgia
Oxford Church of Christ, Oxford, Indiana
First Christian Church, Roanoke Rapids, North Carolina
Warren Church of Christ, Warren, Indiana

Medaryville Christian Church, Medaryville, Indiana
Perimeter Church, Johns Creek, Georgia
Leffingwell Church, Bozrah, Connecticut
Christian Fellowship of Scotland, Scotland, Connecticut
Calvary Chapel, Canterbury, Connecticut

Please pray for ...

... the **Ukrainian youth camp** (August 1-7).
... **good health** for our Polish ministry partners.
... a **worship leader** for the church in Sandomierz.
... the churches in **Lidzbark Welski** and **Radom** as they are in need of pastors.
... Dave and Sandy as they share a PCM update with the **Southport Heights Christian Church (Indianapolis, IN)** on **Sunday, August 15th**, and the **Fairfield Christian Church (Lancaster, OH)** on **Sunday, August 29th**.
... safe travel for Dave and Sandy as they **fly to Poland (Aug. 31-Sept. 1)**.

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

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