



Serving the people of Poland since 1954  
**Polish Christian Ministries**  
**December 2021**

*"For a child is born to us, a son is given to us. And the government will rest on His shoulders. These will be His royal titles: Wonderful Counselor, Almighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace. Isaiah 9:6*

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## **ICOM 2021**



It was wonderful to once again be "in person" at the International Conference on Missions (ICOM) in Richmond, Virginia. The U.S. borders opened the week before, so a small group of our Polish ministry partners were able to join us. The worship, teaching, and interaction with believers who all share a heart for the nations was so inspiring. We are thankful for all those we met who have committed to praying for the churches in Poland.

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## **FAIRMOUNT CHRISTIAN CHURCH**



The Fairmount Christian Church in Mechanicsville, VA, hosted our PCM fall Board meeting and PCM dinner and update. They also welcomed PCM to their Sunday morning services. Fairmount is a Living Link with Marek and Zosia Charis and the church in Lublin, Poland. Marek and Zosia were with us this week and Marek shared during the worship service.

A big THANK YOU to Chris Santasiere and the Fairmount congregation for their gracious hospitality and faithful support.

## WAITING ON THE ROOF



We are rejoicing that the wooden rafters and metal purlins have been installed in the new church building at Biala Podlaska. The next important step is to add the roof, which needs to be in place within the month. The funds required for the roof are \$20,000 and we are praying God will provide during these next few weeks.



## CHAPEL RENOVATION



The insulation has been added and the winterization process is well underway on the chapel at Ostroda Camp. Thank you to all those who have donated toward this important project. We are excited about all the improvements being made at the camp to further enhance year-round ministry.

## NEW FOUND CHURCH OF CHRIST



The New Found Church of Christ in Glen Allen, VA, has been supporting PCM for about five years. We were happy to share an update with this congregation just a

few days before ICOM. They have recently undergone a pastoral change and we are thankful that they continue to support the work in Poland with their prayers and financial support.

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## IN MEMORY

### *Gifts given in memory of ...*

#### **Marsha Wade**

by Donna Faull

by Linda Faull

by Alice Carlson

#### **John Todd**

by Sarah Cole

#### **C. Wayne Murphy**

by Emmett & Dolores Murphy



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## ALMOST THERE



**\$298,291.82 thus far**

We are so amazed how God has provided these funds through people like you. We are almost to our goal of \$300,000, but the needs continue, especially in light of the soaring prices for building materials and labor. Thank you for continuing to partner with us as we seek to provide funds and resources for the Polish churches.

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## GIVE WHILE YOU SHOP



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Thank you ... and happy shopping!

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## PRAYER REQUESTS

### *Praise God for ...*

- ... being our Wonderful Counselor, Almighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.
- ... the Biala Podlaska church who have installed the wooden rafters and purlins. They are now waiting for the roof.
- ... a private loan given to Warsaw West so they can potentially finish renovating their ministry space by the end of the year.
- ... the healing of several of our Polish partners who were sick with Covid-19.
- ... all of our U.S. supporting churches and individuals.

### *Please pray for ...*

- ... the Polish pastors and ministry leaders to find hope in our Almighty God and Prince of Peace.
- ... the migrant crisis on Poland's eastern border with Belarus.
- ... the nation of Poland as the number of new Covid cases has exceeded 20,000 per day.
- ... some of our Polish ministry partners who are still dealing with long-term effects from Covid-19.
- ... \$65,000 still needed for the new worship place for Warsaw West.
- ... \$20,000 still needed for the roof at Biala Podlaska.
- ... wisdom for church leaders at Warsaw South as they consider leasing a larger space.
- ... Jerzy Puszcz, pastor at Lidzbark Warminski, who will retire at the end of the year.
- ... Marcin Lipski, who will be the new pastor at Lidzbark Warminski at the beginning of the year.
- ... the churches in Lidzbark Welski and Radom as they are in need of pastors.
- ... Dave and Sandy's travel schedule:  
December 4/5: East Sparta Christian Church, East Sparta, OH

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