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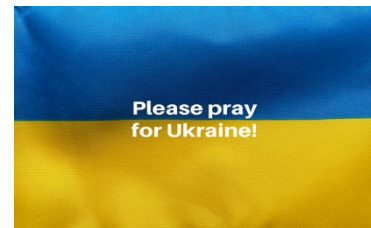
But you, God, see the trouble of the afflicted; you consider their grief and take it in hand. The victims commit themselves to you; you are the helper of the fatherless. (Psalm 10:14)



HELP FOR UKRAINIAN REFUGEES

As Ukrainian refugees flood into Poland, our Polish ministry partners are responding to the need in big ways. Ostróda Camp has been transformed into a refugee center, and as of this writing, 50+ refugees have arrived with more to come (up to 180 total). The camp was recently featured on Polish TV (see picture of the celebration at the camp for the 10-yr-old refugee who arrived on her birthday). Several of our Polish churches are housing refugees in their churches and in the homes of their people. Buses have been sent to the border to receive refugees. We have been doing our best to connect the requests we receive with those who

can meet those needs. A big THANK YOU to the U.S. churches and 100+ individuals who have already given to the “Ukrainian refugees” fund. We are amazed at the overwhelming response and pray blessing on all those who have given. The needs are enormous, so we hope funds will continue as together we reach out in the name of Jesus to care for those in crisis. All funds received will go directly toward refugee care – whether at Ostróda Camp or at one of our Polish churches. To give, go to www.pcmusa.org and click on “Ways to Give.” Designate “Ukrainian refugees” by check or PayPal/credit card. Again, thank you. Let us not grow weary in praying for Ukraine. Our God is mighty to save!



COMPASSION CHRISTIAN CHURCH

We spent the month of February traveling throughout Georgia and Florida, meeting with our supporters and providing updates. We are thankful for our time at Compassion Christian Church in Savannah, GA. Compassion CC supports Kazik Barczuk and “Send Me Ministries,” as well as the “Slowo i Zycie” Christian magazine. We are so thankful for our friends at Compassion and their partnership in serving the nation of Poland.

KISSIMMEE CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Jim Book and the Kissimmee Christian Church in Kissimmee, FL, are big on outreach. They have an outreach to the homeless, services for Haitian, Portuguese, and Spanish-speaking believers, and much more. This congregation supports Marek Sobotka and the Warsaw South church. Jim and his daughter hope to travel to Poland this summer to connect with them in Warsaw. We are so thankful for this congregation and are blessed to partner with them in ministry on behalf of the Polish churches.



CENTRAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH

It was great to worship with the Central Christian Church in Ocala, FL. Their love for people and desire to reach out in the name of Jesus is so obvious. This congregation is a Living Link with Jarek Ściwiarski in Dąbrowa Górnicza. We hope to welcome Doug Reed and other leaders of their church to Poland in the near future. We look forward to deepening our partnership together for the sake of the kingdom.

TOMOKA CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Joe Putting and the Tomoka Christian Church in Ormond Beach, FL, have a huge heart for world missions. Their enthusiasm is always such an encouragement. Tomoka CC supports Pastor Daniel Masarczyk in Sosnowiec and Adam Kosewski, Director of CSM. We were at Tomoka before the invasion into Ukraine officially began, but already they were giving donations for refugees. We pray God's blessing on this church as they continue to impact the world for God's glory.





THANK YOU

We are thankful for all the churches and individuals with whom we met during our February travels. The needs are great in Poland and it's only in connection with people like you that this work continues. God bless all our PCM supporters!

\$339,950.82

Our financial support for several building projects in Poland continues. Through the fund given thus far, we have helped build/renovate eighteen Polish churches, of which four are still in progress. Thank you for your support for these projects.



We are excited to report that the congregation in Płock was able to meet in their new sanctuary for the first time this month. We give God praise for His provision through people like you and thank Him for the many who will encounter Jesus in this place.

GLOBAL GATHERING

With all that is happening in Poland and Ukraine, plans are still uncertain in regards to the Global Gathering in Warsaw. Several teams have indicated their desire to come, and it may be that the trips will go forward but with a different "look" and purpose. We will be in touch with those teams as things progress. Please keep us in prayer.



PRAYER REQUESTS

Praise God for ...

... His sovereignty, care, and provision in times of trouble.
... the nation of Poland as it rallies to assist Ukrainian refugees.
... the overwhelming response we have received from so many donors.
... the Polish churches and Ostróda Camp who are welcoming refugees with open arms.
... the citizens of Ostróda, Poland, who are supporting the camp as volunteers and with significant donations.
... the Warsaw West church who are close to an official opening in March.
... the Biała Podlaska church who have raised the funds to purchase the materials for the roof of their sanctuary. They still need funds to cover the labor costs.
... all of our U.S. supporting churches and individuals who give so the work in Poland can continue.

Please pray for ...

... God to intervene to bring a swift end to the war on Ukraine.
... protection for the people of Ukraine as they defend their nation.
... the thousands of women and children still trying to leave Ukraine.
... comfort for the many refugees, several of whom are separated from family members.
... Ostróda Camp as they welcome scores of refugees to their facility.
... several of our Polish churches as they house and care for Ukrainian refugees.
... our Polish partners as they adjust to exorbitant cost increases for fuel and heating.
... some of our Polish ministry partners who are still dealing with effects from Covid-19.
... Anna and Jonasz, a young Polish couple who were in Miami on their honeymoon when Jonasz was assaulted and then hit by a car. Jonasz is hospitalized in Miami and Anna is being helped by our friends at Community Christian Church (Tamarac, FL).
... the churches in Lidzbark Welski and Radom as they are in need of pastors.
... Biała Podlaska as they seek to raise \$8,000 to put on the new roof.
... Warsaw West as they are in need of \$52,000 to finish their new facility.
... Płock as they need assistance in paying off a \$235,000 loan for their new building.
... Ciechanow as they seek to raise \$53,000 by Sept. 2022 to insulate their building.

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