



Serving the people of Poland since 1954 - 70 years
Polish Christian Ministries March 2024

Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me. Cast me not away from your presence, and take not your Holy Spirit from me. Restore to me the joy of your salvation, and uphold me with a willing spirit. Psalm 51:10-12

GOD IS FAITHFUL



We are excited to celebrate 70 years of ministry this year. Special celebrations will take place both in Poland this summer and at the ICOM conference in the fall. We have prepared a brief 3-page review of PCM's history and current involvement. Please [click here](#) to learn more about PCM's ministry over the years.

PRAYER EMPHASIS

TUESDAYS AT TEN

PRAYER FOR POLAND
2024

Prayer is the foundation for all ministry. It is only by God's power that we can serve effectively and see lives transformed. Convinced that God hears our prayers and answers in magnificent ways, PCM is committed to praying for our ministry partners in Poland. We invite you to join us via Zoom on Tuesdays at 10(EST) as we pray with our Polish partners. Here is the March schedule:

Mar 5: Arek Kotlewski, Dzialdowo

Mar 12: Zbigniew Tarkowski, Warsaw Mokotow

Mar 19: Piotr Syska, Plock

Mar 26: Marek Sobotka, Warsaw Poludnie

Here is the Zoom link. ****THIS LINK IS GOOD FOR ALL MARCH SESSIONS****:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85297643391?pwd=c0NGdDUyaHJETDh1T2VEYTIKY1IxUT09>

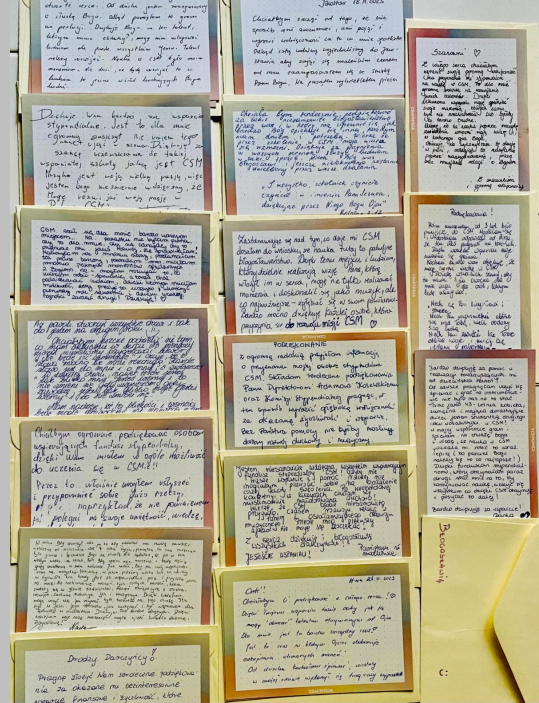
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Here are a few of those who gathered for our recent prayer session with Marek & Zofia Charis from Lublin. As you can tell, we enjoy our times together.

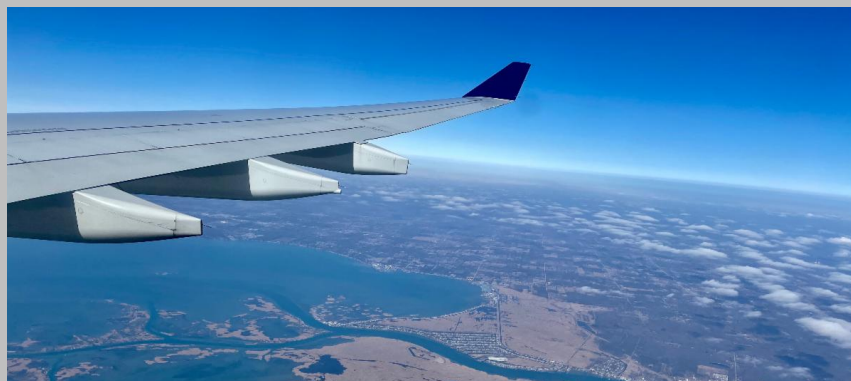
WELCOME ADAM



We were thrilled to welcome Adam Kosewski to lead worship at Brighton Christian Church in Brighton, MI, last Sunday. Adam was a worship intern at BCC in 2003. He now is the Director of CSM (the center for training worship leaders) in Poland. We are thankful for his visit and pray blessing over he and his wife, Basia, as they lead this vital ministry.

Adam brought with him a stack of handwritten thank you notes from CSM students who have received PCM scholarships to help with their tuition costs. We are blessed by their spirit of thanksgiving. Each testimony gives glory to God for the great things He is doing in the lives of the students. We are thankful to partner with CSM as they lift high the name of Jesus.

2024 POLAND BOUND OPPORTUNITIES



The following are PCM ministry opportunities available this spring/summer in Poland:

- May 10-19: Ostroda Camp (Cabin #7 Build) (FULL)
- May 17-26: Ostroda Camp (Cabin #7 Build) Limit: 12
- May 17-28: Plock (Teaching English) : Limit: 12 (FULL)
- May 17-28: Warsaw (Teaching English) Limit: 12 (FULL)
- May 24-June 2: Ostroda Camp (Cabin #7 Build) Limit: 12
- May 31-June 9: Ostroda Camp (Prepare grounds for camp season) Limit: 12
- May 31-June 9: Biala Podlaska (Building Project) Limit: 10
- May 31-June 9: Pabianice Genesis Nova (Ministry & Teaching English) Limit: 6
- June 9-20: Warsaw (Service projects/CSM Conf.) (FULL)
- June 21-July 3: Sosnowiec (Day Camp for kids) (FULL)

July 3-13: Ostroda Camp (ReGeneration Camp) (FULL)
July 19-28: Dzialdowo (Teaching English/Kidz Klub) (FULL)
July 19-28: Lublin (Life Boxes, outreach to the poor and refugees) (FULL)

Applications are due on or before **March 15, 2024**. Orientation for all volunteers will be on Zoom, **Saturday, March 23rd, at 10:00 AM EST**, followed by Zoom meetings with your team at a later time. Eight sessions are FULL. Please apply by March 15th. See www.pcmusa.org "Minister With Us" for more information

IN MEMORY & HONOR

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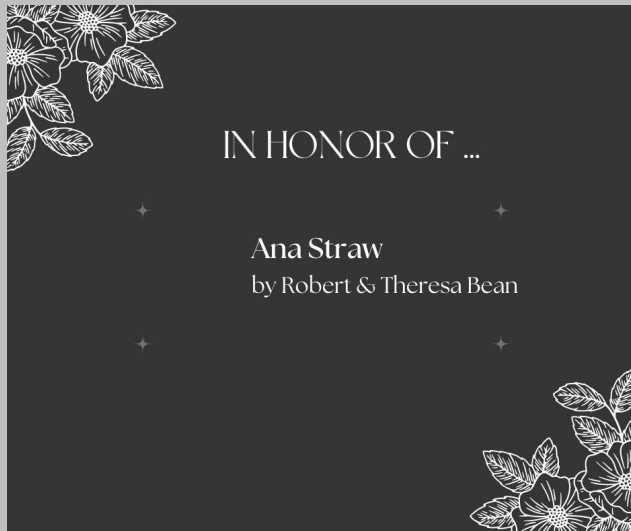
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& William Whitley, Joseph & Judith
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IN HONOR OF ...

Ana Straw

by Robert & Theresa Bean



REFUGEE RELIEF

Give to help Ukrainian refugees!

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Click on "Ways to Give"
Designate "Ukrainian refugees"

All donations go directly to
refugee relief

In February, PCM sent \$15,500 to Poland for the purpose of Ukrainian refugee relief:

- 1) Food Distribution centers in Poland - \$9,500
- 2) Ostroda Camp & Polish churches for housing/food - \$2,000
- 3) Transports to Ukraine from four Polish churches - \$4,000

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

PRAYER REQUESTS

Praise God for ...

... the Zoom prayer sessions in February with our Polish pastors and our new Ukrainian friends (see requests below).

... lives being impacted by the Gospel in the nation of Poland.

... the Polish churches as they continue to care for Ukrainians - both in Poland and via transports to Ukraine.

... the generous response from supporters to enable the work in Poland to continue.

Please pray for ...

... the Polish churches as they adjust to a new Polish/Ukrainian/Belarusian reality and continue to send transports into Ukraine.

... an end to the war in Ukraine.

... Zbigniew Chojnacki and the church in Ostroda - he is transitioning from his pastoral role to retirement; the selection of the new pastor; future food transports into Ukraine.

... Bartek Zdanowicz, Ostróda Camp Director - wisdom for the future as he leads the camp; US teams who are coming to serve in projects; rest and refreshment for he and Ania as they raise their five children.

... Marek and Zofia Charis and the church in Lublin - as they navigate the multi-ethnicity of the church (currently 12 nationalities); safety and protection as they live and serve only 60 miles from the Ukrainian border; wisdom and courage to continue to minister the gospel of Jesus Christ.

... Jarek and Lidia Sciwiarski and the church in Dabrowa Gornicza - continued faithfulness to God's calling; wisdom to provide for Ukrainians in their church and city.

... Ruslan, a Ukrainian who now lives in Dabrowa Gornicza and came to faith in Jesus in Poland after the Russian invasion. His brother is currently missing in Ukraine.

... Paula Styles (PCM Board member) who has almost completed chemotherapy and is thankful that the cancer has shrunk and surgery is not required.

... David and Sandy Hatfield's travel schedule:

March 3: Council Grove Christian Church, Council Grove, KS

March 10: Camelback Christian Church, Scottsdale, AZ

March 17: Lighthouse Christian Church, Oceanside, CA

March 24: Hillside Church (North Grand Campus), Amarillo, TX

April 7: Church of Christ at Manor Woods, Rockville, MD

April 8: Messiah University, Mechanicsburg, PA
April 9: Slavic Church of Christ, Kingsville, MD
April 10: First Christian Church, Havre de Grace, MD

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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