



## Asociația Neemia

### Prayer Notes January 2013

A thought penned by Chris in Swansea, which sums up our thoughts as we start the new year: "... we are looking forward to the New Year with a renewed sense of expectation because as we look back through 2012 we see that the Lord was not only with us all the time, but was one step ahead of us, making smooth the paths on which we were about to tread. For this we give thanks and wonder what His plans are for us in the coming year. Our prayer is that we are attentive to His promptings so we don't miss out on what He has in store for us."

#### Give thanks ...

1. For the pleasure obtained by so many people from the receipt of Christmas boxes, despite the severe weather during the first three weeks of December which meant that the distribution of the gift boxes was disrupted.
2. For the increase in distributed goods, and the ability to help more people.
3. For the recognition of the value of our work and good co-operation with other charities and official institutions.
4. For the literature sponsorship which allows us to give a Bible or a Christian magazine to those who ask for them.
5. For the opportunity to use our experience and local knowledge to help other groups to achieve their own objectives here.

#### Please pray ...

1. That the heavy snow and cold weather this winter will lead to a better growing season during the coming year, and that food supplies will return to normal.
2. For the increasing number of people are asking for help on a regular basis whilst the plight of the poor continues to slip further behind acceptable standards.
3. For those who have accepted Bibles or Christian literature during the year, that spiritual seeds may be sown and their interest will grow.
4. For those whose needs we cannot meet.
5. That the new Romanian government will recognise all its responsibilities to the nation and its people, and that it will not be distracted by political agenda or by personal ambition.

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The RoAF Prayer Meeting takes place at 8 pm on the second Tuesday of each month; the actual venue can vary so please check with Brian (01293 432026) or Sarah (01293 776161). However, you don't need to be in Horley - just remember to pause and pray wherever you are at that time (or, indeed, at any other time).

Below and overleaf we offer some prayer pointers, but please feel free to add your own items as they come to mind. Prayer is our connection with God's ultimate power source and, without prayer support, this work would achieve nothing.

#### Give thanks ...

1. For God's guidance and intervention throughout the past year, which allows us to look forwards to the new year with confidence.
2. The continuing provision of goods and finance during a difficult year.
3. The dispatch of eight lorry-loads of aid items during the year.
4. For well-stocked warehouses with which to start the new year.
5. For all those involved in the preparation and dispatch of Christmas gift boxes.
6. For all those who helped load the lorries in December - it was very encouraging to see so many people willing to lend a hand.

#### Please pray ...

1. That God will guide the leaders of the charity, that it may continue to grow, for the benefit of those in need and the satisfaction of those that seek to help.
2. For those planning to visit Dorohoi later this year, that they may gain a better understanding of what is being achieved and renew their own commitment.
3. For a wider 'supply-base', particularly for new or better quality items, and food.
4. For a wider 'interest-base' which will allow a better sharing of the work, particularly in the 'behind the scenes' activities that make the headlines possible.
5. That political and economic circumstances will allow this work to continue as necessary without undue let or hindrance.
6. That the activities of RoAF will continue to offer opportunities for blessings for supporters and contacts in the UK as well as Romania.

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Working with Romanian people to bring **help** to the needy,

**hope** through the Christian message and **co-operation** through joint ventures

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