



## Asociația Neemia Prayer Notes September 2015

The drought and the heatwave continue to cause problems for rural families. There has been no significant rain in this area for some four months and the crops that many households rely on have produced very poor returns. Our own land at the warehouse is likely to produce only about 150 litres of sunflower oil for donation - much less than normal. Now is also the time to start thinking about preparing for winter but it is difficult to be enthusiastic about chopping wood when the temperatures are consistently above +35C.

### Give thanks ...

1. For several more generous, and encouraging, donations which will help towards the construction of the new Boys' House.
2. For the opportunity to introduce the work of Neemia to the Horley youth group that came to visit the Centre of Hope in Dorohoi.
3. For good stocks of winter woollies ready for the colder weather ... eventually!

### Please pray ...

1. For guidance in deciding priorities for making progress with the Boys' House.
2. For wisdom and fortitude in dealing with the ex-orphanage boys - potentially a more difficult challenge than building the house itself.
3. For those team members whose health problems are exacerbated by the heat.



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RoAF is essentially a faith-based organisation that relies on prayer. The Horley team holds a monthly prayer meeting with an open invitation to all who are interested in our work. The venue can vary so please contact one of the RoAF team for details. However, you don't need to be in Horley - just remember to pause and pray wherever you are and whenever the thought comes to mind..

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.

The post-holiday packing season has started, with the Horley team meeting in the new premises of Horley Baptist Church on Friday afternoons. Apparently, a lot of clothing has been donated during the summer and the team will be busy. If you want a fun-filled afternoon with a positive purpose then contact Pat and Brian Gawn on 01293 432026.

An update from the ladies in Hull tells us that their knitting team is raring to get going again after the summer break. A new venture is balaclavas for the children. Classrooms in rural schools can be quite chilly in the winter and these gifts will help the children to keep warm.

### Give thanks ...

1. For the Horley youth group visit to the Centre of Hope, which will increase understanding of the needs in this area.
2. For over 400 Christmas gift boxes already prepared ready for distribution and now on their way from Swansea.

### Please pray ...

1. For the harvest collection appeals - particularly important due to the poor crops this year.
2. For a safe journey for the next lorry, loading in Lampeter and Swansea and due in Dorohoi early next week (15th).

**The Billingshurst warehouse will not be open on Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> September** due to commitments elsewhere. Other Saturdays until December as normal.

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