



Asociația Neemia

Prayer Notes

April 2013

The wintry conditions which started at the beginning of December have persisted right to the end of March, with snow lying for the whole period. The start of April brought some evidence of the coming Spring; outdoor work will become possible and the number of casual jobs in agriculture and construction will increase. However, there are many people who cannot avail themselves of these opportunities and remain dependent upon the aid that AN provides.

Give thanks ...

1. For the continuing generosity of so many people, and for the hard work involved in preparing, loading and transporting the donated items.
2. For improvements in Iulian's health; although the underlying problem has not been resolved the doctors are pleased with his progress. Thank God too for the offer of sponsorship for the operation that he will need shortly.

Please pray ...

1. For the coming growing season, that last year's drought will not be repeated and that food will become more readily available to those in need.
2. For the preparations necessary in advance of the team visits in May.
3. For spiritual discernment for the AN team in situations where opportunistic demands compete with real needs, and compassion fatigue is a risk of the job.



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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 Richard and Steve who brought the lorry in mid March; despite some difficulties, they were spared the problems that closed roads in much of the rest of Europe, and returned home safely.
2. For 40 kg of assorted seeds, including fruit and veg which will be given to families with land so that they can grow some food for themselves, and flowers to give those with balconies a brighter outlook.
3. For the harp recital; for the generous support of artistes and audience, the good turnout and the opportunity to share the latest news with our supporters.
4. For God's continuing blessing on the work of RoAF and AN, with the provision of donated goods and funding just as they are needed.

Please pray ...

1. For the two teams planning to visit Dorohoi later this year, from Horley at the beginning of May and from Tollesbury later in that month.
2. For the lorry being sent from Wales later this month and that from Billingshurst in May. Pray for guidance in the choice of items to send, a good turnout for the actual loading and safety for the vehicles en route.
3. That the anti-Romanian stance of sections of the UK press will not discourage people from helping to sustain needy Romanians who stay in their own country.
4. For the spiritual dimension of the work in the UK - how we relate to those with whom we come into contact and how we demonstrate God's love in action.

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