

# Asociația Neemia

Prayer Notes May 2024

Recently we were able to participate in a food collection appeal at three local supermarkets. The appeal was initiated by a national food-bank and, locally, involved both AN and the Centre of Hope in Dorohoi. Teams comprising volunteers from both organisations and local churches were on hand to receive donations of basic foodstuffs such as flour, rice, etc, in advance of the Orthodox Easter. (3-5 May). About 3 tons of food was received, which will be distributed to needy families or used to provide meals at the Centre of Hope.

This collection was in addition to continuing to receive short-dated perishables as previously described. In the first three months of this year we received food with retail values averaging £9,600 per month. This food, which might otherwise have been thrown away, often includes items such as fresh fish, dairy products and imported fruit which many of the recipients would not be able to afford for themselves.

## Recipients



#### Give thanks ...

1. For the generous quantities of food received during the collections.

### Please pray ...

- 1. About the increased workload that our staff are facing.
- 2. Cash-flow constraints which limit our ability to help people with bills.

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# The Romanian Aid Foundation

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RoAF is essentially a faith-based organisation that relies on prayer. 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 of lasting value.

Packing at Horley Baptist Church has continued on the first and third Friday of each month, until August; currently we are preparing about 40 boxes per month. We can now receive donated items of clothing, bedding and similar items at the church on packing days only.

Our lorry departure planned for 20<sup>th</sup> April has been delayed We know of two other charities who have had aid consignments that failed the customs inspections and were refused permission to unload. We want to take the time to be particularly attentive to the quality of the items we send, especially how they are presented and documented.

#### Give thanks ...

1. For the continuity of donations of goods and financial support.

#### Please pray ...

1. For guidance about our future activities in circumstances that are increasingly complex and uncertain.

Volunteer collectors at local supermarkets (see overleaf) ...



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