

Asociația Neemia

Prayer Notes May 2014

A recent count revealed that Asociatia Neemia has over 4,000 people registered for assistance of one form or another. With most of these people representing households, typically comprising five people per family, this suggests that some 20,000 people have benefited from the work that RoAF and AN are doing.

Whilst we seek to address the physical needs of this community we recognise that there are deep spiritual needs as well. After some 20+ years of preparing the ground we are starting to see some small signs of growth in this dimension too.

Give thanks ...

- 1. For the load from the south Wales team, which arrived last week.
- 2. For a recent initiative that could lead to the provision of a permanent home for some of the ex-orphanage boys currently in temporary accommodation.
- 3. For the arrival of Spring, with new life in fields and farmyards and the promise of food for later in the year.

Please pray ...

- 1. For patience and wisdom in dealing with the bureaucracy that exists in Romania
- 2. For the arrangements for the Christian summer camp outreach to some of the children of our beneficiary families.
- 3. For guidance in progressing the proposed home for orphanage boys.







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The RoAF Prayer Meeting normally takes place at 8 pm on the second Tuesday of each month; the actual venue can vary so please contact one of the RoAF team for confirmation. 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.

During the past two weeks we have had several people contact us offering clothing and other items suitable for new -born babies and their mothers. We now have a member of staff in Dorohoi who liaises with the local maternity unit and is able to pass on 'baby-packs' to those who need them.

Another recent delevopment is providing knitted squares for residents of the local old people's home in Dorohoi, to make up into blankets for themselves and their companions. This acts as a form of therapy for those who might otherwise have very little to do.

Give thanks ...

- 1. For the quantity and quality of the goods being offered to us.
- 2. For the three loads of aid received so far this year, totalling nearly 40 tons.
- 3. For the health and strength of those actively involved in preparing these loads.
- 4. For those people who consistently support the work that RoAF and AN are doing, through physical involvement, donation of goods or prayer support.

Please pray ...

- 1. For a good turnout for loading the next lorry from Billingshurst on 17th May.
- 2. For more people to help with packing on Friday afternoons in Horley the amount of clothes and other items coming in threatens to overwhelm the team.
- 3. For those planning to visit Dorohoi in the next few months especially that they will return home with renewed enthusiasm.
- 4. For guidance in balancing necessary expenditure against a limited income.

The Romanian Aid Foundation and Asociatia Neemia

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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