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Prayer Highlights



Normal Sunday attendance at the Third Evangelical Church in Athens, led by Stathis Yfantidis, is around 20-30 people. However, when the sermon is uploaded online it reaches 200-400 people! Some short evangelistic videos have even reached 600+ people! Pray for this exciting gospel opportunity.



István Salánki (pastor of the Hungarian Reformed Church in London) reports that five people are being prepared for baptism and church membership. The process has been delayed because of COVID-19 restrictions, but they all remain keen to make this public profession of faith and commit to membership as soon as it is possible.



EMF are passionate about training a new generation of people for gospel ministry. We get to know one of the students who is really benefitting from our Training Fund. Read the interview with Romuald Lasnes on our website!

www.europeanmission.org/blog/interview-with-romuald



Manuel López Franco (Spain) reports that the church's recently started Food Distribution Project is going very well. Twice a month, the church provides food (and toys for children) for twenty-three needy families in Almuñécar. Many of these people have been willing to receive Bibles as well.

Missionary Focus



This month we focus on the work of **Michael & Ariëtte Robinson**, who are EMF missionaries in the Belgian coastal town of De Panne. Since 2002, Michael has been the pastor of De Panne Evangelical Church, but as well as his pastoral work, he works as a freelance translator, in order to support the work of the gospel.

Praise the Lord for his sustaining grace each day

Thank the Lord for all his blessings

Pray for God to be glorified in their lives and activities

Pray for the Holy Spirit to anoint the preaching

Pray for wisdom in reaching young people with the gospel

Pray for Ariëtte, as she struggles with various health issues

Pray for future leaders for the church

To view the video, see vimeo.com/channels/emf

Webinars

Our next Europe Needs the Gospel webinar is on Monday 1st February at 7:30pm GMT—"The blessings and challenges of church planting."

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Europe Needs the Gospel
EMF Webinar Series

The blessings and challenges of church planting

Philip Moore
Acts 29 Associate Director & Network Director | Europe

Details at www.europeanmission.org/webinar
Zoom meeting ID 345-755-8772
Monday 1st February 19:30-20:30 GMT

Philip Moore (Acts 29 Associate Director & Network Director for Europe) will be speaking for us on this very important and necessary topic!

The early church grew meteorically through church planting. Europe is again in a situation where there are very few evangelical churches, so is church planting as important now as it was in the first years of Christianity? For EMF, church planting has always been at the heart of its mission focus.

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