EMF News



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Prayer Highlights



On 14th February 2021, EMF Missionary Vitalii Mariash was ordained as co-pastor of his church in Kyiv, the Bible and Life Church, to serve alongside the current pastor, Borys Borysovych, and co-pastor Yevgeniy Yashchenko. Find out more about his

church, the Mariash family and Vitalii's work at KTS:

www.europeanmission.org/blog/vitalii-ordained-co-pastor



Pál Borzási is an EMF Missionary and pastor of the Hungarian Baptist Church at Pericei, in the region of Transylvania, Romania. In addition to his pastoral responsibilities, Pál lectures in the Hungarian Baptist Seminary in Oradea. We interviewed Pál about the seminary and his

involvement in it. You can read this interview here:

www.europeanmission.org/blog/hungarian-baptist-seminary



Nearly three years after the church in Zywiec, Poland, began their important building project under the leadership of their pastor, **Dawid Kozioł**, the work is nearing completion. Read on to find out more about his sacrificial labour:

www.europeanmission.org/

blog/the-story-of-a-polish-builder-and-friends



Antonio de Noia's latest book has just been published. It is a biography of the famous Italian Reformer Galeazzo Caracciolo who came from Vico del Gargano. 200 copies have been printed and are in the process of being distributed. To learn more see:

www.europeanmission.org/blog/galeazzo-caracciolo-marquis-of-vico

Missionary Focus



This month we focus on the work of **Eugen and Claire Peters** who recently joined EMF as missionaries in the Republic of Ireland. In 2020, they moved from County Donegal to Roscommon in the centre of Ireland. They are working in Grace Community Church which is part of the Calvary Mission church planting network in the west of Ireland. Eugen is continuing with his theological studies undertaking a Master of Divinity course. Please pray:

- For Grace Community Church to be united in Christ and in the gospel.
- That at least 1% of people living 5km around the church would by the grace of God come to know Christ.
- That God would raise more leaders and that churches would be planted in Co. Roscommon.
- For the Peters family, for Christlikeness in marriage, parenting and ministry.
- For Eugen as he leads the youth group, preaches, teaches in the church and evangelises in the community.
- For Claire as she teaches the children in the church.

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

Next Webinar

Our next webinar will be "The Great Pioneers", with Mike Tindall (Minister at Grace Church Manchester) on Monday 10th May at 7:30pm.

William Carey is often called "the father of modern missions", and his work in India was truly pioneering. This webinar will look at Carey's life and ministry, reveal some of the hard realities behind the legend, and consider the vital lessons we learn about missions.

William Carey, along with the other missionaries who went out to Serampore in the late 18th century, were pioneering in the way in which they turned principles in to practice to bring the gospel to India in a colonial context. Hard realities shaped their practice, and so much of what they learned and applied has steered modern mission. But the mission field is ever-changing, with a rapidly changing world, and so we have to constantly re-think how we apply principles and practices to reach a lost world today.

Mike Tindall re-visits William Carey's life and ministry, to think through again how we might learn from him and apply lessons to today's mission in Europe.

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