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## Paddy's PRAYER REQUESTS

“And now that I am old and gray, do not forsake me. Give me time to tell this new generation (and their children too) about all your mighty miracles.” [Psalm 71:18](#)



### REPENTANCE:

**YOU CAN'T FORGIVE SOMEONE if they refuse to Repent - Jesus Didn't.**

**IN THE WORLD: People who refuse to repent - go to Hell.**

**IN THE CHURCH: If a presbyter or a priest refuses to repent, he is removed from office and evicted from the Church. If a sewage pipe is not plunged clean, the pipe will be a vessel that remains clogged and ineffective. In the church, if sin is not repented of and plunged out from us, the Holy Spirit will not be able to flow through us in all its power.**

**Ministry Notes: Pray, each month, that God will raise up Nationals in Europe, and the Middle East, including Morocco, New Zealand, and Scandinavia to be godly and scholarly National pastors.**

**ROMANIA: Pray for Pastor George and Lydia and family. George, with two other pastors cares for 6 churches. He also teaches music in local schools while Lydia teaches English during the week. George tells me that of the 135 members in his church, only 5 have work at present! PLEASE PRAY!**

**ALBANIA: Bertie and Jenny and family with “Mission To Albania.”**

**AUSTRIA: Goeksan & Beate & family as they plan a return to the US for Goeksan's Theological Education.**

**BULGARIA: Ministry Funds needed for Pastor Emanuel & theological books are needed for 20 Bulgarian pastors taking theological classes as you read this. Pray faithfully for pastor Dejan & Tinka his wife.**

**CROATIA: Dr. Jasmin Milic (Tamara). Pastor Nenad. Pastor Jasmin K. (Miriana).**

**CZECH REPUBLIC: Pavel Bartos (Zdenka) and their family-Current Doctoral Studies and ministry funds.**

**DENMARK: Pray for Jen's and Torben in Copenhagen, as they faithfully minister in a country that desperately needs to hear the Gospel of the Lord Jesus Christ. Pray for their families and their new facility.**

**GERMANY: Dr. Jurgen Klautke (Ute), his family, Reformed Church and Reformed Seminary teaching.**

**GREECE: Pastor Stavros, Tony & family, as Tony raises his family without his recently departed Christina.**

**ICELAND: Pastor Jogvan, and his dear wife, Project Manager Paul and family, and Pastor Jon and family as he ministers at the U. of Reykjavik. Pray they will “grow in the grace, & knowledge of our Lord...” 2 Pet.3:18**

**IRAQ: Pastor Yusif and his family. Pastor Yusif is an entrepreneur, & educator. Pray for his wife and three children who are influential in their own fields of ministry, and Pray for the Christian University being built in Iraq. Pray for Ed & Jo in Nashville, as they look to the Lord to prepare them for the next chapter in their life.**

**ITALY: Dr. Mario (Clara) and family and their Chiropractic practice. Pray for GPTS graduate Pastor Mike Cuneo, in Viterbo. **\*\*FOR HIS JULY MARRIAGE!** For strength for the Fornaci di Barga ministry.**

**MOROCCO: The Moroccan church and its courageous believers. For Moroccans to desire seminary studies.**

**NEW ZEALAND: Pastor John & Cheryl, as John faithfully pastors his flock and for Steve & Laura as Steve pursues his second year at GPTS so he can be theologically trained for the gospel ministry in New Zealand.**

**NORWAY: Andreas & Solveig as they grow together in Christ. Andreas faithfully witnessing on the streets of Oslo and teaching at the Bible school. Pray for Hakon, studying in Bergen **and his new apologetics class that he started in his church.****

**SERBIA: Pastor Peter, & his church planting ministry, Funding, and his need to train elders and find a wife!**

Pray that God would raise up educated National pastors in EUROPE, the Middle East, Morocco, New Zealand and Scandinavia.

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## **Men who know Paddy Cook**

"I know Paddy Cook as a warm-hearted Christian whose gifts and zeal impel him to evangelism, to disciple the converted, and to train and equip others for action in both these fields of ministry.

A well developed sense of fun adds attractiveness to the businesslike style of his work for God. He finds his deepest fulfillment in Christian service, and has much to give. I heartily recommend him..."

**Dr. J. I. Packer, D. Phil., D. D. (hon.)**

Professor of Systematic Theology

Regent College

"If any individuals or churches are considering whether to participate in any way to the ministry of Paddy Cook, I am more than happy to add my enthusiastic endorsement. I have known Paddy for more than 25 years, first when he attended the L'Abri Fellowship in Switzerland under Dr. Francis Schaeffer and later in many different places and ministries. He is a man of deep faith, strong integrity, and great faithfulness who combines an old fashioned passion for the gospel with an unforced freshness and originality of style that is both appealing and effective. Paddy reaches people for Christ whom few others today could even approach. To work with or support Paddy Cook will be a fruitful investment in the growth of the kingdom of God."

**Dr. Os Guinness Ph. D.**

Executive Director of The Trinity Forum

"I first came to know Paddy when he was a student at Covenant Seminary in St. Louis and I was one of his professors there. I was also privileged to participate in his ordination service on Grand Cayman Island a number of years ago. Paddy has always manifested a zeal for evangelism. From his student days right down to this past year in the Kansas City area, he has shown unusual boldness in his willingness and ability to testify to the Lordship of Christ in a variety of circumstances. He has also developed effective methods of training lay people in evangelism. Paddy Cook is worthy of support in his ministry for the Presbyterian Evangelistic Fellowship..."

**Dr. William S. Barker, Ph. D.**

Academic Dean

Westminster Theological Seminary

"Ever since I first met Paddy, some 24 years ago now, I have admired his love for the Lord and his deep commitment to evangelism. One person who had come to Christ after meeting Paddy said that he was the most compassionate man she had ever met. He sees how harassed and helpless people are without Christ, and yet, rather than condemning or despising them he longs to make God's truth known to them.

He communicates this truth to unbelievers with respect and gentleness, as the Scripture commands, but also with conviction and passion. It is a pleasure to commend Paddy to you as an evangelist and as a teacher of evangelism."

**Jerram Barrs**

Director Francis Schaeffer Institute

Professor of Christianity & Contemporary Culture

Covenant Theological Seminary.

Dear Paddy. You underrate yourself - the Lord has given you an excellent mind and you are brilliant as a communicator. Add to that a sense of humour and the courage of a warrior and it makes you a formidable servant of the Most High God.

**Laurie McIntosh.** Dubbo, Australia.

A friend of 35 years.

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