

KYIV CONNECTIONS



Prayer Letter of George & Sarah de Vuyst

Engaging People. Embracing Christ.

Our Mission

By God's grace and the Spirit's working we help facilitate the transformation of lives, families, churches and communities in Ukraine and around the world.

Three key ministries are our tools to fulfill this mission.

Healing Hearts, Transforming Nations takes people through a Spirit led, cross centered process of healing and reconciliation. As part of the global teaching team George leads events and trainings in Europe, Africa and, recently, North America. Through "schools of reconciliation" we, together with our partners, train others to develop and lead healing and reconciliation ministries in their own contexts.

Timothy Leadership Training Institute equips church leaders to develop healthy congregations and effectively train their own leaders.

In addition to these ministries we are helping facilitate the introduction of **Educational Care** and **Global Coffee Break** to Ukraine and the Russian speaking world.

Dear Friends,

North American School of Reconciliation

From September 7 to 17 we held the first ever "school of reconciliation" in North America (NASOR) at Cedar Springs Christian Retreat Center in Sumas, Washington. It was a wonderful time with 24 people being trained to lead Healing Hearts, Transforming Nations events. Participants came from around the world and from different denominations. It was a time of continued healing and growth for all of us. We learned from each other as we struggled with how to bring healing and reconciliation to our own churches, communities, and countries. We eagerly anticipate the ministries that will grow out of this event.



International School of Reconciliation

On September 30 George departs to Rwanda to help lead the International School of Reconciliation. This training is held every other year in Kigali, Rwanda and attracts participants from all over the globe. This year the majority of participants come from South Sudan and Ethiopia, but others are coming from Uganda, Burundi, Rwanda, Liberia, Burkina Faso, Great Britain, and the USA. Pray that God moves through this time of healing, reconciliation, learning and putting into practice what we have learned, so that the power of the cross would be abundantly clear, and so that the participants would be inspired to bring this incredible message to their home countries.

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Prayer and Praise

Thanksgiving for:

- all God did at NASOR.
- for the plans made to bring HHTN to different places around North America, Latin America, Japan, Korea, and China.

Pray for:

- ISOR 2022 – spiritual protection for facilitators and participants alike
- for travel as people come from all over the world
- for finances to come together for those still seeking support to be able to participate in ISOR
- for the families of everyone gathered in Rwanda – that they would be safe and well at home while their loved ones are away (the enemy often tries to bring up things back home to keep us from engaging in the work at hand)
- for Ukraine!
- also for Russia!



Pray for Ukraine!

So much seems to compete for the headlines here in the U.S. Please keep praying for the situation in Ukraine. The war continues. More and more atrocities against the civilian population are being uncovered as Ukrainian forces liberate territories that were under Russian occupation. With the conscription of Russian men, the situation has become more tense and unstable. The sham referendum held at gunpoint in the occupied regions of eastern and southern Ukraine has also increased instability and risks of escalation. We don't see where this is going, but we continue to pray for peace, for the end of the war, for God's will (not the will of humans who think they have power) to be done on earth as it is in heaven.

Opportunities to Partner with Us

Thank you for your continued faithful support and prayers. More than anything, we need your prayers for the spiritual battle that takes place around ministries of reconciliation. See our prayer requests!

We also need your support in order to continue these vital, life-changing, and transformational ministries. If you would like to support the work of "Healing Hearts, Transforming Nations" you can give either online (choose "Projects – Europe" and then "Healing Hearts, Transforming Nations" from the drop-down menus) or by sending a check to Resonate Global Mission noting fund-code 806029 in the memo line.