



Evangelical Presbyterian Church's  
World Outreach

## 2012 BENEVOLENCE ASKINGS FOR WORLD OUTREACH

**Evangelical Presbyterian Church Projects**

*"Expect great things from God; attempt great things for God."*

William Carey

***Going where the church isn't...***

### **ENGAGE 2025: CHURCH PLANTING TEAMS IN THE MUSLIM WORLD**

**WO 434**

**2012 Goal: \$35,000**

World Outreach has established a goal of sending ten new teams to totally unengaged Muslim peoples who presently have zero churches by 2025. These teams will be recruited and sent by partnerships of churches within EPC presbyteries, under the oversight of World Outreach. Finances from this project will be used for the coordinator's travel, the promotion and development of these teams within the presbyteries, research and training for team members, as well as platform development and ongoing coaching and member care.



### **KAZAKHSTAN – OUTREACH TO MUSLIMS THROUGH THE ASSOCIATION OF REFORMED CHURCHES OF KAZAKHSTAN (ARCK)**

**2012 Goal: \$10,000 Rakim Church**

**2012 Goal: \$11,000 ARCK Presbytery Development Fund**

**WO 445**

**WO 453**

In Almaty, Kazakhstan, the vision continues to grow for this young group of churches to reach their own Muslim families and neighbors who have never heard the gospel message or met a Christian Believer. Gifts to this fund will enable the national presbytery to send out workers into the harvest field beyond themselves, another step in the direction of overall self-governance.

### **MUSLIM OUTREACH MINISTRIES IN THE UNITED STATES**

**WO 450**

**2012 Goal: \$15,000**

Within sight of many of our own homes, businesses, and churches Muslim peoples are settling into the United States and becoming a real part of our everyday lives. A coalition of EPC churches in Michigan is helping to establish a church of Arab Muslim background believers in a strongly Arab Muslim community near Detroit. Plans are also underway to establish a similar ministry in a Muslim community of Denver, CO. These funds will be used to inform EPC churches about these ministries and to promote the ministries across the denomination.

### **EUROPE TRAINING CENTRE FOR BELIEVERS OF MUSLIM BACKGROUND (BMB)**

**WO 467**

**2012 Goal: \$20,000**

Funds given to this project will help establish a training center near the Muslim world for Believers of Muslim Background (BMB). The development of the ministry and the training of BMB leadership will be guided by an EPC World Outreach missionary who is himself a BMB. The ministry will train BMBs who in turn will train newly converted BMBs from Europe and the Arab world.

### **ARGENTINA – ST. ANDREWS PRESBYTERY SUPPORT**

**WO 418**

**2012 Goal: \$19,500**

A mutual goal and commitment of the Articles of Agreement between the EPC and St. Andrews Presbytery (Argentina) is the financial self-sufficiency of the Presbytery. Contributions to this fund help support the necessary operations of the Presbytery and, in some cases, the salaries of the pastors of smaller churches and mission churches. Contributions of the EPC will decrease by 20% each year through 2014, as the Presbytery of St. Andrews works toward entirely self-funding its operational budget.

**ARGENTINA – PARTNERSHIPS FOR CHURCH PLANTING AND REVITALIZATION**  
**2012 Goal: \$50,000**

**WO 426**

The St. Andrews Presbytery of Argentina has an aggressive commitment to plant new churches and redevelop existing churches with the goal of radically transforming the nation of Argentina with the gospel of Jesus Christ. EPC congregations have an opportunity to partner directly with Presbyterian churches in Argentina, sharing people and resources to make progress toward this ambitious goal.

**ARGENTINA – THEOLOGICAL TRAINING AND LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT**  
**2012 Goal: \$35,000**

**WO 425**

The St. Andrews Presbytery of Argentina has more than twelve candidates preparing for ordination, but there are no explicitly Reformed seminaries in the country. The St. Andrews Presbytery has formed the St. Andrews Theological Institute (known as “I.T.S.A.” in Spanish) to supplement the education their candidates receive from other institutions with Reformed distinctives. Giving to this fund will support scholarships for ministerial students, ongoing lay and clergy leadership development, and the work of I.T.S.A.

**THEOLOGICAL AND ISLAMICS TRAINING**  
**2012 Goal \$15,000**

**WO 480**

Two key emphases for World Outreach are theological education and church planting in the Muslim World. Africa International University (AIU) (formerly known as NEGST) in Kenya and Bangui Evangelical School of Theology (BEST) in the Central African Republic is where students from around Africa are trained in theology and outreach to Muslims. By helping to provide scholarships for students in the Islamic Studies Departments of these two schools, we are able to participate in the raising up and training of key African Leaders who will be instrumental in taking the Gospel to their Muslim neighbors.

**TYUMEN BIBLE INSTITUTE and OUTREACH PROJECTS**  
**2012 Goal: \$15,000**

**WO 451**

Footprints, Intl. is seeking to develop a strong Bible college in order to train pastors, elders, Bible study teachers, worship leaders and church members to establish strong churches throughout the Tyumen, Siberia region and beyond. Funds given to this project will enable the Bible College to become firmly established as a training center for church leaders.

**MISSIONARY MEMBER CARE AND DENOMINATIONAL TRAINING**  
**2012 Goal: \$40,000**

**WO 483**

The EPC World Outreach Committee has established a department of Missionary Member Care. This ministry’s goal is to provide quality professional care for the EPC World Outreach missionary community. To accomplish this ministry, funds will be needed for continuing education in Missionary Member Care for the leaders of this ministry and for travel and materials for on-site training of presbytery and church mission committees. There will be additional overseas travel to provide intentional pastoral ministry to our missionary families in need.

**SPECIAL TRANSLATION PROJECTS**  
**2012 Goal: \$20,000**

**WO 422**

The EPC has written materials that would be helpful in training up leaders in the St. Andrews Presbytery and the Association of Reformed Churches of Kazakhstan (ARCK). Funds given to this Asking would fund the translation of these materials. The first project is translating the Officer’s Training Guide into Argentine Spanish, per the request of the St. Andrews Presbytery.

To participate in these projects, send checks made out to the Evangelical Presbyterian Church to the address below. Please include the fund number and name on the memo line of your check.

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