



NATIONAL OVERSEER Bishop Petr Szlaur Czech Republic & Poland

Dear Harvest Partners,

In January, we participated in the 21 days of fasting and praying for the nations, vision, leadership of our churches, regions, our General Presbyters, International Offices, and General Overseer Bishop Sam Clements. Being a part of the COGOP family is a great privilege for us and we are so thankful for the things we are learning and what we experience through this wonderful family.

Since the beginning of the year, we have prayed for the difficult situation in China and the continent of Asia, which was hit by the Coronavirus. In Poland and the Czech Republic, the virus began to spread in March. On March 11th, our government declared an emergency and locked down schools, shopping centers, and offices. Hospitals and social services have been limited, and churches have been closed by the government decision.

The Czech Republic and Poland do not have enough masks and respirators for people. The government issued a strict ban on meetings and leaving the house without a face mask. Only two people can meet outside, and both are to wear face masks.



We immediately began sewing masks to help secure older people in our churches and needy people outside the church. We have begun to supply older people with food purchases and everything they need to operate in this difficult time.

Church services are forbidden, so we connect with our people and members through phone calls, e-mails, and live streaming. What we can do is serve, with my family, others with words of encouragement, worship, and teaching. I want to thank the Lord for the wonderful family we have.

We thank everyone at COGOP for their prayers, financial help, and support in this difficult time not only for our people but for the whole world.

Bishop Petr Szlaur
Overseer of Czech Republic & Poland

Thank you, Harvest Partners, for your continued generosity in your support of Czech Republic and Poland. The ministry of Czech Republic and Poland is deeply grateful for your love, encouragements, prayers, and faithful support.

Churches can give to special needs through Project Giving or Individuals may give through Helping Hand. Please be sure to specify the exact need your gift is intended for.

All gifts are tax deductible and 100% of your gift will be applied to the need specified.

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FOR BEHOLD, DARKNESS SHALL COVER THE EARTH, AND THICK DARKNESS THE PEOPLES; BUT THE LORD WILL ARISE UPON YOU, AND HIS GLORY WILL BE SEEN UPON YOU. - ISAIAH 60:2





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