



Annual Report

Connecting people to the hope and freedom found in Jesus.

Dear Friends,

As we reflect on 2022, each success and struggle reminds us we cannot accomplish anything without God, as well as you, our partners. We are beyond thankful for your commitment to impacting lives in Poland. Real life begins when we live our lives in service to others. We treasure our relationships worldwide and anticipate what God will do next through them. It's an exciting time for Proem!

Since the beginning of 2022, we have lived under the pressure of the war, and Ukraine is still under heavy attack from Russia. We are continuing to provide help and aid to the Ukrainian people because they are our neighbors who, through this struggle, have also become our friends. Because of the current circumstances, we are in the process of forming long-term care plans as our ministry grows, and we are prayerfully considering how to best meet the needs of people in crisis as we point them toward Christ.

Proem was blessed to experience growth in all areas of the ministry in 2022 and we anticipate the same in 2023!

- The Tomy Church continues to grow across all three church campuses in Tomaszów, Łódź, and Piotrków.
- We are excited to offer 11 weeks of camp this summer, where we will have the opportunity to inspire over 2,000 campers to fall in love with Jesus.
- The expansion of our Christian school will be complete in June, giving us more capacity to care for the 489 students currently enrolled there.
- Our media team has developed and expanded a multitude of digital resources and bible studies to better equip the local people with the tools to hear the Gospel, share their faith, and equip the next generation of leaders.

We are excited to see the change God will bring to lives across Poland this year. Because of your continued support, people will experience new life in Jesus. We believe the best is yet to come!

Sincerely,
The Proem Leadership Team



ZAKOŚCIELE
ŁÓDŹ
TOMASZÓW . . .
PIOTRKÓW . . .
WARSAW
where we exist.

Our History & Impact

Proem Ministries was founded in post-communist Poland in 1990, soon after the first free democratic elections in Poland took place. Proem began with the vision of moving across denominational and political barriers to reach young people and their families with the Gospel. Proem has grown from serving 150 kids at the first camp season in 1990 to 3,500 youth annually from Poland, Belarus, Lithuania, Ukraine, and Israel. With over 65 full-time staff, the ministry has expanded from hosting camps to now include Christian education, church planting, and community outreach.


Proem's Partner, Proem "Support" Ministries assists the work of Proem Poland in the areas of communications, mission team logistics, financial administration, and church partnerships.




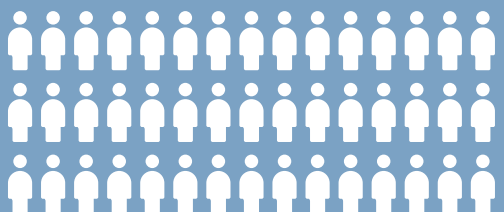
690
Decisions for Christ
Camps




20
Students enrolled at the new preschool in Łódź
Christian Education



120 Individuals with developmental disabilities cared for
Camps

1,100 Ukrainian refugees received care
Community Outreach

73,000 People from 122 countries listening to Exodus 15's Spotify music channel
Community Outreach




400 People worshipping weekly in the 3 campuses of the Tomy Church
Church Planting



28 Ukrainian students enrolled at Proem's Christian School
Christian Education




350 Volunteers from the U.S. traveled to Poland to help serve refugees, campers, and the community
Community Outreach




489 Total students attend Proem's Christian School
Christian Education



39 People training for small group leadership
Church Planting



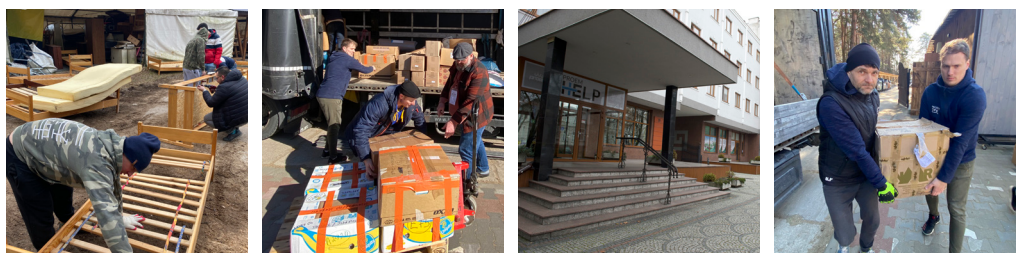
70 People receiving care each month from our Counseling Center
Church Planting



11,000 Guests attended Road to Jerusalem/Journey to Bethlehem
Camps



Ukraine Report



On February 24, 2022, Russia invaded Ukraine, forcing the mass exodus of more than 12 million Ukrainians from their homes. More than 10 million have crossed the border into Poland, with 3 million remaining in Poland. We are in the midst of an ongoing crisis that will undoubtedly change the face of Eastern Europe.

Because of the war in Ukraine, Proem experienced an unprecedented year in 2022! We were able to house, feed and care for over 1,000 Ukrainian refugees, expand our Christian Counseling Center into a multi-room facility, and provide ongoing trauma care, support groups, and spiritual guidance to a multitude of people in need.

Additionally, with the help of U.S. partners, we purchased a 47-room former hotel in Tomaszów, which provides ongoing care for displaced Ukrainians. Proem's "Help Center" is a permanent response to meet the ongoing needs of families and individuals in immediate crisis. There is a continuous need to care for single mothers, people going through mental health crises, and those recovering from addiction and returning to the community.

February 2022

During the first days of the conflict, Proem received hundreds of calls from Ukrainians looking for refuge, volunteers willing to serve, and churches looking to assist.

Our camp received and distributed food and supplies from the very beginning, including more than 122 tons of food, medical items, and vehicles, and we were able to send supplies to the areas of Ukraine most in need.

March 2022

Within the first month of the war, 200 refugees were living temporarily at Proem's camp. We immediately provided holistic support, including counseling, online education for children, medical assistance, and logistical planning for their next steps.

April 2022

We assisted over 1,000 Ukrainian refugees in finding more permanent residences in North America and Western Europe.



May 2022

Proem raised \$2.5 million in just 4 weeks to purchase the "Proem Help Center" hotel.

June 2022

A team of trauma care counselors from the U.S. arrived to assist and train the Proem counseling staff in how to best meet the mental health needs of the refugees.

July 2022

During the initial six months of the war, Proem served over 1,100 Ukrainian refugees.



August 2022

Over the spring & summer, 330 volunteers from the U.S. traveled to Poland to work with both the youth at our camps and the refugees from Ukraine.

September 2022

28 Ukrainian students enrolled in Proem's Christian School, at no cost, to receive a quality Christian education.

October 2022

60 Ukrainian refugees received therapy and trauma counseling care through Proem's Counseling Center.

November 2022

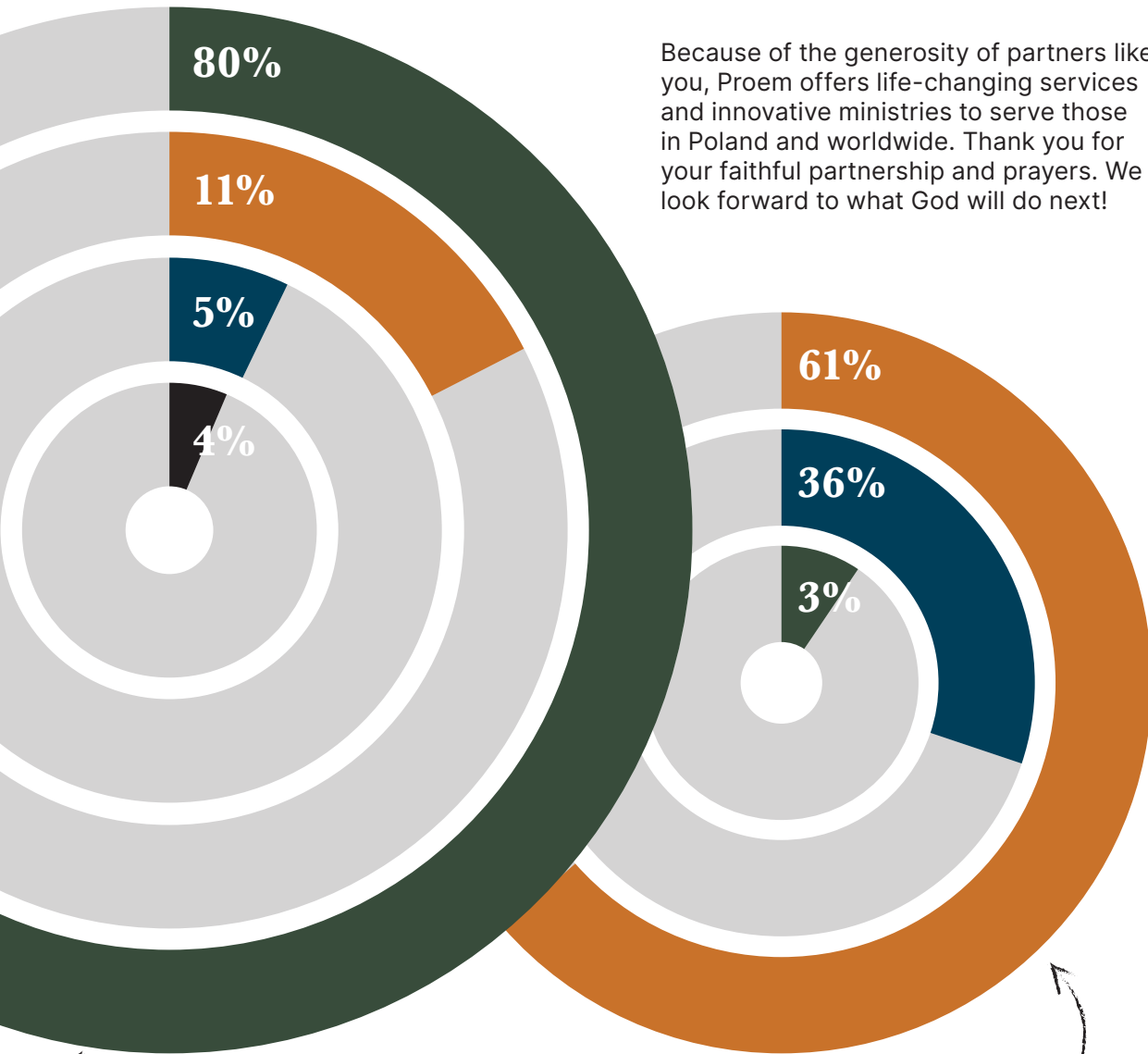
All Tomy Church services were translated into the Ukrainian language allowing a large number of the refugees to be able to participate in worship.

December 2022

The Journey to Bethlehem outreach event at Proem's camp reached thousands of people, with numerous Ukrainians now among the volunteers.

Financial Report

Because of the generosity of partners like you, Proem offers life-changing services and innovative ministries to serve those in Poland and worldwide. Thank you for your faithful partnership and prayers. We look forward to what God will do next!



Allocation of Ministry Funding

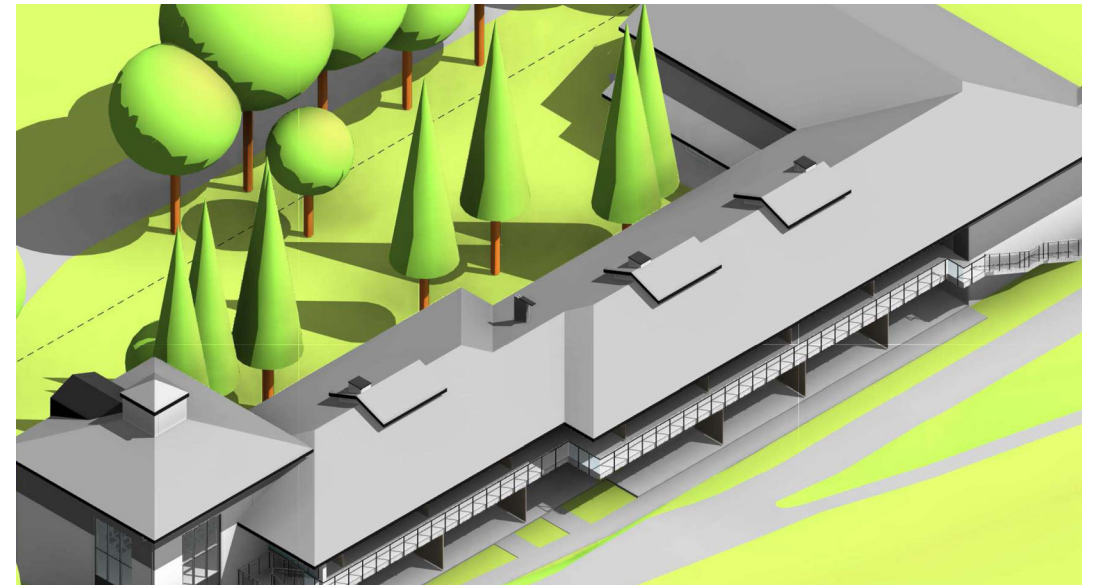
CAMP **GENERAL**
CHURCH PLANTING **UKRAINIAN CRISIS**

Sources of Funds

CHURCHES **GRANTS**
INDIVIDUALS

Starting on 1/1/2023, we reserve 8% of donations for general ministry operations.

Leadership Development Center



Due to the crisis in Ukraine, various projects have been placed on hold in order to respond to the immediate needs of refugees. We're excited to announce we are continuing our efforts to raise funds for the Leadership Development Center at the camp in Zakościele! As we wait on the final building permits, we anticipate the increased ministry opportunities that this new building will afford. The Leadership Development Center is being built in response to two growing areas of need:

Discipleship & Leadership Development:

The center will allow leadership development opportunities for the next generation of church leaders and ministers.

Spiritual Retreat for Missionaries and Church Leaders:

The center will be used for missionaries and church leaders to host conferences, workshops, and retreats, specifically for our partners in Europe, Asia, and Africa.

The cost of the project is \$2.5 million. We're happy to announce that throughout 2021-2022, thanks to the generosity of both individual donors and churches, \$1.6 million has already been raised.

Looking Ahead

Proem's theme for 2023 is "Connect," which both reflects who we are and further defines our areas of ministry.

Through God's blessing and our partnership with you, we hope and pray 2023 will bring more opportunities to impact lives and share the Gospel with those in Poland and abroad.

"While connecting with people in the community or within one of the ministry programs at Proem, we challenge our staff and volunteers to connect with God and His word."

Maui Dwulat, Proem Founder/Director



"I will instruct you and teach you in the way you should go; I will counsel you with my loving eye on you."

Psalms 32:8

"Even though I have failed many times in my walk with Christ, God has reached out to me, embracing me with His love. He continues in His unfailing support of me, cheering me on and giving me hope."

Tomek Mikołajczyk

"It matters to have a school like ours, especially in our city. We not only give the kids the education they need but also teach them the most important things, like how to love other people, be a friend, and, above everything else, who God is."

Karolina Kupczyk







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