

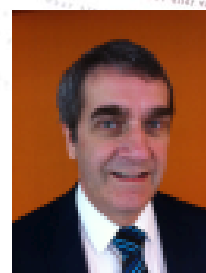


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Dear praying friends in Europe –

“If my people, who are called by my name, will humble themselves and pray and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven, and I will forgive their sin and will heal their land.” 2 Chr 7:14.

This well known verse is timeless and always relevant but the challenge for us often is to see the urgency of the times we are living in. The Canopy of Prayer aims to be a resource that will inspire each of us to take the time to lift our continent before His throne of grace. Please remember that God’s promise to forgive our sin and heal our land, if we humble ourselves, is not simply to benefit us but also so that His name is glorified throughout the earth. Surely this is an inspiration to pray for our continent, that His name would be glorified!



Ian Jeal

Launch of the Canopy Website

This issue of the Canopy No 31 is a little different to previous issues, in so much as we are not tackling an issue facing our continent or sharing a teaching on some of the political mechanics of Europe’s institutions. This issue is to **launch the Canopy of Prayer website** www.canopyofprayer.eu

Whether you have just discovered the Canopy of Prayer or have been receiving our prayer letters for some time, we truly hope you will find the website inspiring and helpful. From the very start the **image of the Canopy** has been an inspiration to see developed a fine interwoven network of different colours and expressions of prayer that reflect the rich diversity of our Christian heritage across Europe. Our hope is that the website will reflect this richness that God has given our continent. The website itself is just a start of something that will develop into a useful tool to aid our prayer. As you look at the site you will discover the heart of what we believe is God's desire for us to be a family built on our diversity of national, cultural and denominational backgrounds but united in the person of Jesus.

There is a section that will **archive** all the prayer subjects that we have tackled. Even though these articles are written to highlight a particular area at a specific time, they can continue to be used to inspire our prayers, as well as to give thanks for what God has done and is doing.

Please also pray for

- many countries like Czech Republic, Germany, Iceland and Austria which are in very complicated negotiations in forming a new government.
- Please continue to pray for Spain, that it may not come into an impasse with Catalonia.

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On the website you will also find an **interactive map of Europe** that will highlight the growing number of prayer partners. This is not just to look at but also to enable us to pray for more intercessors from our own country and also to pray for the counties that are not yet represented in the Canopy.

May we encourage you to not only sign up for the 2 weekly prayer letter but also to commit to praying for **15 minutes each week** for our continent? Take a look at the daily and weekly timetable and help us change the entire timetable from magenta to a sea of emerald green!

We believe God is looking for a Canopy of Prayer which is a family of believers who will mark a continent that ‘shall be saved’. Under this baldachin a bride will be ready to receive her bridegroom who is Christ the King of kings!

Prayer:

- Pray that this new website will raise much interest, even curiosity and above all stimulate commitment to join the European prayer army.
- Pray for a joyful and quick multiplication throughout Europe and beyond, that thousands will soon pray regularly every week for our continent.