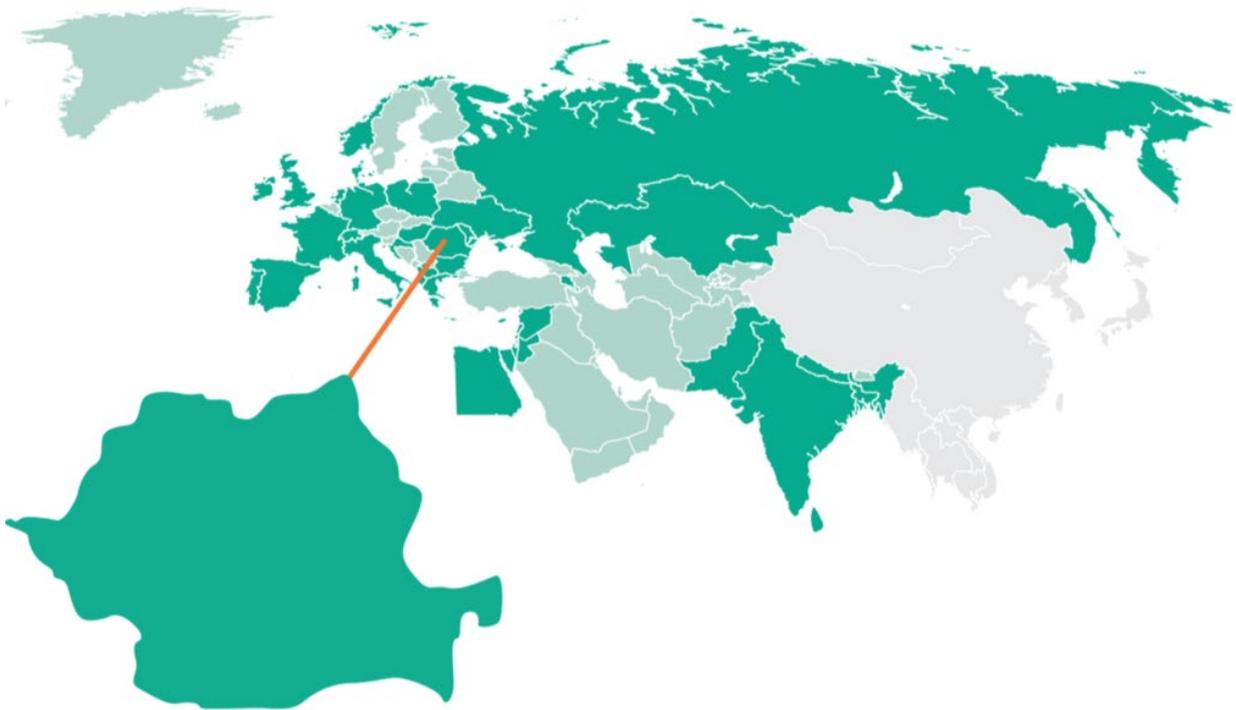


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## Eurasia Region



## Romania

The Church of the Nazarene began work in Romania in 1992. There are compassionate ministry projects, including partnerships with educational and social work to children, small businesses providing jobs, and partnership with ministry to trafficking survivors. One challenge the church in Romania faces is ministering in a traditional culture where Protestants generally are not viewed positively. The official language of Romania is Romanian with a very diverse age range within its population.



7606 Members



3 Fully Organized  
Churches



5 District Licensed  
and 1 Ordained  
Ministers



6 Missionaries  
Serving

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## PRAYER



- Pray for the churches responding in the midst of the Ukraine crisis.
- Pray for our established Nazarene churches in Romania as they continue to minister in their local communities.
- Pray for our national pastors, their families, and our mission team members as they disciple new leaders, plant churches, and share Christ with passion and conviction.
- Pray for strength and resources for compassionate ministry workers serving marginalized groups: survivors of human trafficking, neglected children, those with special needs, the elderly, and the poor.



## PRAISE

- We thank God for the missionaries serving in Romania and the work they continue to do.
- We thank God for a global church that comes together to support each other in crisis.
- We thank God for the 5 Romanians who have been approved for ordination as elders at our next district assembly.



## Nazarenes Partner with Businesses and Organizations to Support Refugees in Romania: A Firsthand Report from Romania



BUCHAREST, ROMANIA – Since February 27th, the Blessings Church of the Nazarene has been working tirelessly to accommodate Ukrainian refugees fleeing from the war in their home country. In the church building and at the Viilor property, we’ve had a constant flow of people coming and going. Some people stay for a night or two while others have been with us for a whole week now.

Aside from offering accommodations, we've given rides to and from the airport and the train and bus stations; we've also provided warm meals, phone cards, medical supplies, and hugs and emotional support. This has all been possible through an outpouring of donations from individuals, other NGOs, and even businesses like IKEA. Beds and mattresses, food, dishes, water, refrigerators, bedding, clothes, toiletries, cleaning supplies, toys – you name it, God has provided it. It's been humbling to see how so many people have come together to make sure that our Ukrainian neighbors – now friends – are taken care of during this difficult time.

Monica Boseff, a layperson in the Nazarene denomination, has connected many individuals with people who work at various embassies (Romanian, American, Ukrainian, Austrian, etc.). Train and plane tickets have been purchased for people moving on to other countries. One couple has decided to stay in Romania; they already have an interview scheduled for the visa process.

God is good. He provides. Thank you for all of the ways that so many of you have supported this work through prayer, financial support, material donations, and more. Your constant support is giving us the resources we need and the stamina to continue serving our Ukrainian friends in Romania.

**Could you serve in Romania?**

Is God calling you to use your woodworking skills to serve in holistic community ministry in Romania? Click [here](#) to learn more.



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