Polish Jews in Poland



The Jews of Poland have been there for about 1,000 years. Poland is overwhelmingly Roman Catholic (90%). Polish Jewry constitute fewer than 1% of its people, yet they have played a significant role in Polish history, usually as scapegoats. Indeed, during World War II, Nazis sent Jews to Poland to die in death camps and pogroms continued after the War. Today, their numbers continue to decline, as they emigrate to Israel and Western Europe and the United States or remain to die in old age.

Ministry Obstacles

Memory of pogroms, the Holocaust and Poland's gas chambers, and anti-Semitism are the major obstacles to reaching the Polish Jew in "Christian" Poland.

Outreach Ideas

Witness by Messianic Jews will partially offset those memories and prejudice. Repentance by Christians and the Church may heal spiritual wounds.

Pray for the Church

Pray for the Church that it publicly and genuinely repent for its complicity in the Holocaust. Pray it sincerely repents of post-World War II anti-Semitism and



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prejudice against Jews. Pray that such repentance be accepted as genuine. Pray that Messianic Jewish witness be well received, and that Christian witness be seen as an act of love. Pray for a spiritual hunger among Polish Jews that will lead the way to thousands accepting their Messiah.

SCRIPTURE You turn things upside down! Shall the potter be regarded as the clay, that the thing made should say of its maker, He did not make me; or the thing formed say of him who formed it, He has no understanding? Isa 29:16

PRAY that many from this people group will soon understand that they belong to God by right of his life-giving creation.

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