



# Mentoring Ministry East Europe



Info letter  
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## “...Go over this Jordan...” Joshua 1:2

Dear friends,

There are moments in our lives when we feel like Joshua when he has heard God’s words: “Moses my servant is dead; now therefore arise, go over this Jordan, thou, and all this people,...” (Joshua 1:2). At first we are shocked, than frightened of what that means for us....the fact that now, you really have to stand and walk further on your own, without “Moses” beside you to give support.

I guess, this is what we are experiecing now in our ministry, too. As this ministry was founded by Siegfried Scharer and his German friends, even from the begining they assumed the role of leading and making sure nothing is lacking in the spiritual or financial realm. A while back, they gave Marius Chiciudean the responsibility to lead the Mentoring Ministry, having always been around. It’s been about 20 years since all has started. We are thankful for ther great legacy we have received!

During our Annual Conference held in Hungary, our brothers have announced their desire to step back due to their age. This hasn’t been an easy “piece to swallow” and, just like Joshua we were shocked and frightened.

But, we have been there because we were all called to serve God in the ministry of mentoring, helping others to mature in Christ so they would be able to lead others according to God’s Word...so, we were ready to cross “this Jordan”...which means we will move on.

Yes, there will be some challenges ahead, some giants to battle, but we are ready!

Marius Chiciudean was reconfirmed in leadership and a new international leadership team was elected. As stated before, there will be some challenges and giants...one of them being named “financial support”, because until this point most of this was on the German shoulders.



Part of the former leadership team  
THANK YOU!

Our vision remains the same, but we have decided now is a good time to “rebrand” the ministry using a new logo, a new web page and some other things that we will see fit.

We are under a major evaluation process of the ministry and we are sure this will help us see what needs to be changed and what needs to be kept.

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## 2018 PLANS and EVENTS

1. Bible School—in Petrodolina, Ukraine (6-9 May 2018)
2. "The camp comes to you" - children camp in Rumeanțev, Moldova (2-8 July)
3. Summer Bible School in Jaunjelgava, Latvia (1-5 August)
4. "In the likeness of Christ" Conference in Mragowo, Poland (5-9 September)
5. Conference in Feketic, Serbia (16-20 September)
6. "Attention—seductive teachings!" Conference in Vlahița, Romania (20-23 September)
7. "Essentials of faith" Conference in Rumeanțev, Moldova (11-14 October)

### Personal situation of Marius Chiciudean' family

We are thankful for your prayers! We are moving forward in purchasing the apartment. Hopefully within the next two months this process will be over. God has been faithful, again, and we are able to get the remaining part as mortgage from the bank.

And yes, we still count on Him to provide for the future, since the new changes and challenges ahead of the ministry means that my support drops

50% starting with 1 January 2019. This was the financial support given by the German part of the organization.

Elvin, our son has graduated high school and on the 5<sup>th</sup> of May he is scheduled to take the SAT exam in Bucharest. Once this is over, he will be applying for university. We trust God will lead him where He wants him to be.

*Marius Chiciudean*

### Special events and news



Marius is continuing his monthly trips to Lahr, Germany. The church ministry goes well there and we are glad for the spiritual build of this church.

During the months of June and July we will conduct the Bible study "Managing finances God's way" in the city of Targu Mures (about 160 miles north-west) . We are expecting to have 6 couples attending. This will mean that once a week, we will have to travel back and forth. Marius and Rinda Reiss, coworker of Mentoring Ministry Brasov will be leading the study with the intention of equipping others so they can continue by themselves.

**Prayer requests:**

1. Establishment of a new legal organization in Germany;
2. A new generation of leaders and donors;
3. New opportunities and horizon in ministry;

**Thankful:**

1. All the coworkers for being ready to go on despite the difficulties;
2. My family and the local team in Braşov;
3. Friends and faithful supporters



Introducing the new logo!  
A young artist is still working on refining it!



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*Blessings in love,  
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