FFWPU UK: Our Young Community Grows In Warsaw, Poland

Michael Balcomb November 22, 2023



Over the past weekend, our National Director couple visited the new young community in Warsaw who promote co-living together.

After attending the Blessing and Matching workshop in Glanow, Poland, Fumiko and I went on to Warsaw. Together with FFWPU Poland leaders, Kristoff and Martha Kral, we wanted to meet up with the exciting new witnessing team led by a group of young Ukrainians. They came to Poland just a couple of weeks before the war in Ukraine began and have stayed in Warsaw ever since, bringing a lot of youthful energy to our Peace Embassy.





Team leader Vlad explained that the team goes out on campus and in the downtown area almost every day. They found it difficult to invite people to come directly to the Peace Embassy or our new downtown witnessing center - everyone is busy, and a little suspicious. So instead they hold discussions in local coffee shops and then invite their new friends to do a little study online through the website or social media channels. Those who do so can then be recontacted and invited to a cultural evening or a one-day seminar. After that, those who want to go further have the opportunity to move into the Peace Embassy.



"We are promoting the idea of co-living," said Vlad, "and already a number of young Poles have joined our community, and one has made a full one-year commitment to join our activities."

Fumiko and I were impressed that, even though their homeland is suffering so much, the team has devoted themselves so well to the higher calling of sharing about the truth and love of God. And we felt that we could try a similar approach for our own co-living community at Livingstone House.

If you want to find out more about our Young Adults Spiritual Community in Livingstone House project <u>click here.</u>







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Livingstone House Room Vacancies For Young Adults

Livingstone House has been given the green light to start a new "Young adults spiritual community" where the building will return to its original purpose as a haven for young members to study, form life-long bonds and foster a culture of creativity under our True Parents.

The River South Pastor will be involved with the spiritual well-being of the community whilst focused efforts to restore the house through business income will be under the guidance of the newly formed Livingstone House management team.

The community will be organised to provide a good study environment with high-speed full fibre internet as well as quiet study areas. There will also be public areas for gatherings, entertainment, music, and sport for the resident community.

Single and double rooms are now available for students and young adult members to participate in this pioneer project as long-term (annual) and short-term (monthly) residential agreements are now available.

If you are a student or young adult wishing to study or live in London and participate in this community, please contact either Clive P. (clivepollitt@aol.com / 07815964011), Adza M. (07852211167) or Saoirse M. via social media.



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