

# Daniel & Nellie Popa



## Serving in Romania

Daniel and his wife Nellie serve the Church in Romania. Daniel pastors three local churches in the remote Romanian mountains, ministers to the elderly in these areas, counsels couples, and disciples young men. Daniel has mentored young men in his home for over two decades. Many of these young men have later gone on to pastoral ministry, including our own Pastor Andrei Sava!

Daniel is also involved in producing Christian news, devotionals, and sermons for Radio Voice of the Gospel. These broadcasts reach more than 350,000 people living in Romania. Daniel also serves as the Vice President of Christian Education in his Baptist Association.

### Prayer Requests

- Pray for the young men in our home Bible study that they would grow to love God's Word and desire to study and live for God's glory.
- Pray for the truth of God's Word to go forth through the Radio Voice of the Gospel ministry.
- Pray for our five sons that they would grow in Christ and in His wisdom.

# The Popa Family

My wife Nellie and I (Daniel) have been married for almost 27 years, and the Lord has blessed us with three sons: Samuel (25), Christian (23), and Stephen (15).

In the three small churches I pastor, my main responsibility is preaching and teaching. Most of my time is dedicated to the church closest to town, but three Sundays each month I also visit two other congregations up in the mountains. There is a group of local pastors who supply teaching for the local church when I'm away preaching in different locations. In each church, I preach expositively, going through Scripture verse by verse.

One of the most precious ministry areas for me personally is discipling young men by teaching them the Word of God and spending time with them at work or in fun activities. Currently, there are seven young men coming to our apartment for a weekly Bible study. Several of these men have grown up under the teaching of God's Word, but haven't been baptized yet! There is a lot of work ahead. I pray that the Lord will use our time together to open their hearts to the Gospel, and that they would trust Jesus as their Savior and surrender to Him as Lord.

