



WHY PEF?





Family love

Relations is our glue as
European Pentecostals



“In the woods around Nyhem, a large tent was set up with a lively crowd of perhaps 15.000 brothers and sisters in Christ. The Bible Week reflected the Swedish model: Not always a national, but an ad hoc elected committee was responsible for the leadership of the current conference. It was at the initiative of Lewi Pethrus that the European Pentecostal movements were invited. Experiencing the dynamics of the Swedish Pentecostals was refreshing. Especially the prayer times were ‘like the sound of many waters’, yes almost like thunder. (...)



“Tychicus will tell you all the news about me. He is a dear brother, a faithful minister and fellow servant in the Lord. I am sending him to you for the express purpose that you may know about our circumstances and that he may encourage your hearts. He is coming with Onesimus, our faithful and dear brother, who is one of you. They will tell you everything that is happening here. My fellow prisoner Aristarchus sends you his greetings, as does Mark, the cousin of Barnabas. (You have received instructions about him; if he comes to you, welcome him.) Jesus, who is called Justus, also sends greetings. These are the only Jews among my co-workers for the kingdom of God, and they have proved a comfort to me. Epaphras, who is one of you and a servant of Christ Jesus, sends greetings. He is always wrestling in prayer for you, that you may stand firm in all the will of God, mature and fully assured. I vouch for him that he is working hard for you and for those at Laodicea and Hierapolis. Our dear friend Luke, the doctor, and Demas send greetings. Give my greetings to the brothers and sisters at Laodicea, and to Nympha and the church in her house. After this letter has been read to you, see that it is also read in the church of the Laodiceans and that you in turn read the letter from Laodicea. Tell Archippus: “See to it that you complete the ministry you have received in the Lord.””

Colossians 4:7-17 NIV



Helping one another

“Carry each other’s burdens, and in this way
you will fulfill the law of Christ.”

Galatians 6:2 NIV



Protecting one another

”“Aren’t you the Egyptian who started a revolt and led four thousand terrorists out into the wilderness some time ago?” Paul answered, “I am a Jew, from Tarsus in Cilicia, a citizen of no ordinary city. Please let me speak to the people.” After receiving the commander’s permission, Paul stood on the steps and motioned to the crowd. When they were all silent, he said to them in Aramaic:”

Acts 21:38-40 NIV



Correcting one another

"As iron sharpens iron, so one person sharpens another."

Proverbs 27:17



Bringing Jesus back to Europe

When he looked out over the crowds, his heart broke. So confused and aimless they were, like sheep with no shepherd. “What a huge harvest!” he said to his disciples. “How few workers! On your knees and pray for harvest hands!

Matthew 9:35-38



HOW PEF?



Networking

The natural meeting place for
everyone who has a heart for Europe
and Gods Kingdom



PEF it's not the vision

It's a platform for visions and hard
work crossing borders and cultures.



**Nationally and
regionally driven**



Headoffice

Small enough to be flexible.

Big enough to serve the need of it's
members and the European society's
need of Pentecostal dialouge



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743 500 000 good reasons...
only in Europe...





Of the 7.4 billion people in the world, 3 billion live among unreached people groups of the world and 1.6 billion are completely unevangelized.



There are 16,562 people groups in the world. Of these people groups, 9,715 have been reached with the Gospel message. 6,847 people groups are still unreached with the Gospel.



86% of all unreached people groups lie within the region called the 10/40 window, which is between 10 and 40 degrees north and from the west coast of Africa to the east coast of Asia.



In the last 40 years, over 1 billion people have died who have never heard of Jesus, and around 30 million people this year will perish without hearing the message of salvation.



And yet.....



There are 430,000 missionaries
from all branches of Christendom.
Only between 2 and 3% of these
missionaries work among
unreached peoples



Of foreign mission funding: 87% goes for work among those already Christian. 12% for work among already evangelized, but Non-Christian. 1% for work among the unevangelized and unreached people.



Christians spend more on the annual audits of their churches and agencies (\$810 million) than on all their workers in the non-Christian world.



“Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, “Whom shall I send? And who will go for us?” And I said, “Here am I. Send me!””

Isaiah 6:8