

Dear Friends,



*This month God provided us with an amazing opportunity to travel to Slovakia, Bulgaria, and Romania to connect with our friends from CEP organizations.*

*Intimate celebrations in people's homes, authentic immersion in their reality, prayers, conversations and mutual support.*

*Simple but very nurturing.*

*Thank you for keeping us in your hearts and prayers!*



*In Slovakia we had the chance to meet the president of D3 Slovakia, Daniel Laco. D3 Slovakia has applied to join CEP.*

*D3 is a local entity representing the Navigator ministry in Slovakia. D3 is well characterized by three different programs: Education (focused on high school students), Summer Family Retreats (focused on families) and Mentoring (supporting individuals in different enterprises). Daniel's passion about reaching out to the local community was contagious and inspiring.*



*We visited two amazing schools: the P. R. Slaveikov School in Sofia and C.S.Lewis School in Bratislava.*

*It was moving to see the level of commitment of all the staff to the students, the quality of teaching and a positive atmosphere of mutual understanding and joy. We are thankful for the possibility of exchanging experience and learning from one another and supporting one another. We would love to help the Bulgarian School carry their burden.*



*We also got to spend some time with Laurențiu, Carmen and Saskia who are doing a sterling work in Ploiesti, Romania. They shared their life stories with us and told us about their last training weekend in the mountains for volunteers who serve among disabled children. Their enthusiasm, creativity, and commitment were a true source of inspiration for us!*