

## **Announcement of Recent Changes in the UK Movement**

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### **Leadership of the Welsh Community**

In Wales Peter Kong asked to be released from his responsibility as the pastor of the Welsh Community. Peter has served in that role since October 2011 and I am very grateful for the efforts he made in taking that responsibility. His internet business has been growing and developing to the point where he found it difficult to give as much attention as he would like, to his pastoral responsibilities. Peter will continue serving the Community by working in support of programmes for youth.

In his place Ron and Catherine German will again take up the responsibility. They have worked in this role for several years before Peter was appointed, and have agreed to take on this responsibility once more. I am very grateful for their commitment and love for Wales and the Welsh Community and wish them every success in this mission.

### **Education Department**

After serving as European and UK Education Department director, Dr. David Hanna has now been asked by our Continental Director, Pres. An, to work on an expanded level of responsibility within the European Region. He will lead the combined European Blessing and Education Department. Dr. Hanna began his work as UK Director of Education in February 2006, while simultaneously pastoring the Bromley Community. In May 2011, after handing over his pastoral responsibility to Matthew Huish, he was appointed director of the European Education Department.

During the past five years, Dr. Hanna organized, managed and taught numerous workshops from 1-day to 7-day and contributed greatly to developing materials as well as supporting other workshops, particularly in the youth and Blessing areas. I am grateful for Dr. Hanna's support for our work here in the UK and I know that the European Movement will be well served by his wisdom and experience.