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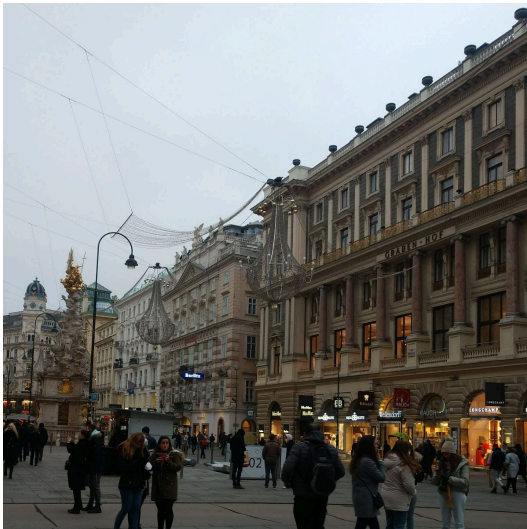
Day 1 of Prayer

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Day 1 - Austria



Only about 0.5% of the Austrian population are Evangelical believers. One barrier to the gospel is Catholicism. For most of Austria's history, Catholicism has been viewed as the "cultural thing to do." Seventy-five percent of the population would identify as Catholic today. This is beginning to change, especially with the younger people with whom I will be working. They are beginning to see God (or the idea of a deity) and organized religion as irrelevant. Either way, most people have put God into either a "cultural" or a "historical relic" box and are not interested in learning more.

Another common barrier for Austrians is their affluence. I am not saying that everyone is rich, but life is certainly comfortable for most people. When life is easier, people are less likely to see their need for God.

Pray that Austrians would be incapable of ignoring God and will have to take the lid off whichever box they have tried to put Him in. Pray that the 0.5% will live their lives in a way that grabs the attention of those who do not believe.

Verses to consider as you pray:

2 Corinthians 2:14-17

Isaiah 55:2



Austria in general is a very multicultural place. If we look specifically at universities, 25% of those studying are international students. In Austria, the Lord is bringing the nations to us! When they go home, anyone who has a personal relationship with Christ returns as a missionary.

We will be holding a prayer gathering at my church on Monday the 15th. I first sent out all the details about this in my "Part 2" email. If you'd like to see the information again or would like a copy you can print off, click on the button below.

Austrian Focused Prayer Gathering

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