Dear All,

Warm greetings from the youth and children workers executive committee of the European Baptist Federation!

We are happy to extend the invitation to the next annual conference which, as previously announced, will be held in Tallinn, Estonia, in January 16-20, 2020.

**What**:

CONNECT – We are excited to introduce the new concept and content
MESSY CHURCH – How messy can a church get and what could be our share in it
IN MEMORIAM – Special time to remember Bob and do what he loved most
Also: worship and prayer, Bible studies, plenaries and workshops as well as numerous other opportunities for sharing and interaction

**When**: January 16-20 (the conference begins with dinner on Thursday evening, January 16, and ends with worship and communion on Sunday evening, January 19. January 20 is the departure day.)

**Where**: Tallinn, Estonia

**Cost**: To secure comparatively equal access to the conference for representatives from all countries within the EBF, we set different conference fees depending on the region. The conference fee could be paid either by bank transfer (preferably) or in cash at the conference if bank transfers from your country are not an easy option.

Here are the conference fees for Tallinn 2020:

* 280 euro if you are coming from: Austria, Belgium, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Great Britain, Italy, Netherlands, Norway, Portugal, Scotland, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Wales
* 180 euro if you are coming from: Bahrain, Croatia, Czech Republic, Egypt, Estonia, Hungary, Jordan, Latvia, Lebanon, Lithuania, Malta, Poland, Slovakia, Slovenia, Turkey
* 150 euro if you are coming from: Albania, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Bosnia & Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Georgia, Iraq, Israel, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Kosovo, Macedonia, Moldova, Palestine, Romania, Russia, Serbia, Syria, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Ukraine, Uzbekistan

**Accommodation**: The conference fee covers accommodation in twin rooms and meals on the days of the conference (starting with dinner on Thursday and ending with breakfast on Monday). Conference participants will be staying at Go Hotels Shnelli and meetings will be held at the Baptist Seminary.
If you wish to arrive early or stay longer you need to arrange accommodation on your own.
You can check the website of the hotel at: <https://www.gohotels.ee/>

**Registration**: To register for the conference you need to fill in the Registration Form not later than December 10, 2019.
It is available at: [Registration Tallinn 2020](https://forms.gle/J4psT5ma3mSY8maV7)

**Finances**: Thanks to your investment in the ministry of EBF Y&C through your annual contributions some funds are available for financial assistance. Please see the Tallinn 2020 Financial Assistance file or write to yanita.d.georgieva@gmail.com

**Visa**: Please check with your local Ministry of Foreign Affairs if you need a visa for Estonia. If a visa is required, contact me ASAP (yanita.d.georgieva@gmail.com) to start the application process. Be aware that we cannot cover any visa-related costs.

**Your input**:
As always, we will be happy to hear about your ministry. Sharing and caring is part of the vision of CONNECT. Feel free to bring pictures, leaflets or any other promotional material to present your ministry.

The conference is also a convenient time to pay the annual contribution of your union/organisation directly to the EBF Y&C treasurer. If you are unsure of the amount, contact our treasurer, Dimitar Georgiev at d.georgiev@sebc.bg

**EBF Y&C ExCo**: Some of the positions at the EBF Y&C Executive Committee will be up for election in January. More information will follow.

**The programme** of the conference and some other details will follow shortly.