

## **REPORT FOR N.G. CHURCHES, (Ds Danie Mouton and Ds Arrie Preller)**

### **FUNDS RECEIVED:**

Dear Ds Danie, Ds Arrie and your respective church leaderships and church members. On behalf of all the people you have helped we want to thank for standing with us in this difficult time. Thank you for prayer, encouragement, and financial help.

If I can just add that, I want to thank you for entrusting me with your funds. These people and churches we helped, I have relationships with, and I trust them explicitly. Even if I gave them funds and specified for their personal needs I know they always put others needs before themselves.

On February 28<sup>th</sup>, 2023 I received R 23, 770.47. I added the difference to make it R 24, 000 round amount. It took several withdrawals so this is my very small contribution to enable the people we helped to get maximum help from the funds.

Converting the funds into UAH (Ukrainian Hrivna) the total came to UAH 49, 825.674. I added the difference to round it off to UAH 50,000.

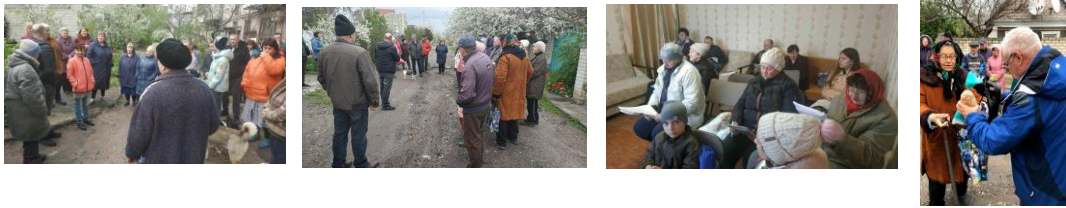
### **USAGE OF FUNDS:**

#### **UAH 1500**



This was for a youth outreach from House of Bread group of churches to four villages and towns, Hrushivka, Shyroke (both near our city in Dnipropetrovsk region) and to Novovorontsivka, and Vysokopillya, (both in Kherson region), which were taken back by Ukrainian Forces. This was done in two trips. The funds were used for fuel. Both trips were very successful and it was wonderful to be able to play a very small role in this.

## UAH 4000



This was for follow up trips with a team from House of Bread group of churches into a town and city that Ukraine Forces have taken back. The funds were used for fuel. We visited Vysokopillya and Kherson city (Both in Kherson region). In Vysokopillya there is a new group of Believers and House of Bread churches have started a discipleship group.

Pastor Vyacheslav Bulganin and his wife Olga will be moving permanently to Kherson city soon to continue establishing a new church. He is the House of Bread group of churches Missions Coordinator.

In Kherson city, we met with new Believers, shared the Gospel, and distributed household goods, etc.

We did this ministry in two separate trips. Ukrainian Forces have taken these locations back.

The situation in Kherson city is bad both from the floods because of the blown up dam but also because the city is fired on almost daily.

## UAH 4500



This was help for two village churches in the villages called Toretsk, and Niu-York. They are located right on the contact line in (Donbas region). The churches feed people daily. The house in Niu-York where they feed people, and have their church meetings was fired on recently. They used the money to buy food for their feeding project. The churches are both called (Word of Life Church), and Pastor Valariy Ryabinin from the Toretsk church leads both churches with his Eldership team because the Pastor of the church in Niu-York left with his family. These folk live under tremendous pressure and the village is under fire on most days.

**UAH 4500**



This was for Pastor Alexander Oniekienko of (Church of Salvation) in Pokrov, which is very close to the contact line in (Dnipropetrovsk region). Pastor Alexander has a smallholding where he grows food for himself. The church members and their House of Mercy. This House of Mercy accommodates people who are down and out, released from prison and people who are destitute. He used most of the funds to buy seedlings for the planting season, and for some pampers for the elderly folk.

**UAH 1000**



This was used to buy special medicine for a church member in Hrushivka, (Dnipropetrovsk region). This is a new church planted by House of Bread group of churches. The church is called (Hrushivka House of Bread. Hrushivka was at one time a frontline town. The church has mostly elderly and very poor folk and is led by Pastor Pavlo Hrehorash and his team. I know there are many needs but this was one specific need requested by Pastor Pavlo Hrehorash. Pastor Pavlo is also one of leaders of the House of Bread youth movement.

## UAH 5000



This was for the church of Pastor Victor Polunin in Kyiv. We have helped him before. The church is called (Gospel of God's Grace Church). When this invasion started, the church lost most of its members. They are starting to gain new Believers and church members. They have a small team but feed around 120 people twice a week. They also deliver food parcels at people homes and give out second hand clothes among other things. Their needs are huge and I trust Victor to use the funds wisely as with the others we help. Kyiv is also fired on with missiles frequently.

## UAH 1500



A Roma (Gypsy Church) is called (Church of the Living God) in Mukachevo, (Zakarpattia region) in west Ukraine. The church does a huge work among refugees. They phoned me one day and asked if we can use 1000 T shirts I said, yes of course. I network with different churches and organisations in our region. I spoke to Juliy Morozov (If you remember he received funds on our behalf and we have helped his organisation in the past). He is a director of an amazing community centre called Shelter Plus who help many refugees and have a wide distribution network. Therefore, I contributed UAH 1500 of your funds for the postal service delivery together with Shelter Plus for these T shirts. We have over 70,000 registered refugees in our city. There are many more but some do not register as they find jobs, and homes to rent and manage to move on with their lives. This is a beautiful example of how the body of Christ works. All through trusting and good relationships.



### UAH 5000



This was for Pastor Alexander Petrukhin, and his church called (Good News Church). Alexander and his wife Eri and their team planted a church in Popasna, in (Donbas region). We have helped them in the past. Russian Forces now occupy the town. The town has been absolutely destroyed. It is not even liveable. They had to move away from there up towards central Ukraine. Even there they continued to serve folk in Donbas by going on routine trips taking in food, etc. Now they are back in Donbas in a town called Lyman, and have started a new church (called Good News Church). They recently held their first church service. Last week the town was fired on and eight civilians were killed. They have many needs.

### UAH 15000



This was used to buy sound equipment for a church called (Word of Faith Church) led by Pastor Sergey Zichenko and his team. They are now also part of the House of Bread group of churches. They have two churches in Kherson region, both called (Word of Faith Church). The towns are called Novovorontsovka and Zolotaya Balka. Both these towns were occupied but have been taken back by Ukrainian Forces. Both towns were heavily bombed and there was a lot of destruction. People are starting to move back to rebuild their lives. I think this is a good investment because of the establishment of new churches.

If I can just add that the leadership of House of Bread group of churches in our city called Kryvyi Rih in (Dnipropetrovsk region) is very solid and the leaders of the churches come together often to receive teaching, direction, and encouragement. They have a very good and practical vision for ministry in our city and surrounding areas. I have excellent relationships with these leaders.

If I may add that the name of these churches, (Word of Faith Church) has nothing to do with the word of faith movement that seems to have caused a lot of controversy with their prosperity Gospel around the world. Pastor Sergey is a very solid and practical person and previously served in a church in Donbas.

**UAH 8000**



This was for a church in the city of Kremenchug in (Poltava region) called (Christian Missionary Church), led by Pastor Vladimir Avilov and his team. He and his wife Tanya also run children's home. This church is small but has an amazing heart and capacity in reaching out with the Gospel to many surrounding and unreached villages in their region. They do a lot with a little, including serving refugees. They have many needs so whatever they receive will be wisely utilised.

This church is involved in many areas. They share the Gospel in hospitals, old age homes, government departments, etc over and above their village outreaches.