



The Cross-stitch Corner

Pray, Pray, and Pray Some More 9.2

As heard from Kerry and Nick Laper, April 6:

Thank you for your prayers and concern. Nick is able to stay in touch with the accountant and administrative assistant primarily treating refugees with the focus for both medical and dental providing treatment. Deaconess Ludmyla works alongside MCOW with evangelism outreach providing information and directions to the Lutheran Church, Bibles and other Christian literature. The two Kyiv life centers are closed. Anna, counselor from Right Bank is in Vienna and Inna, counselor from Left Bank is in Ternopil (western Ukraine where the main headquarters of GoL are located) with family and assisting at the Ternopil LC. Ternopil and Kremenetz life centers are operating and busy seeing refugees in need of counseling, along with crisis clients and others, as well as, distributing humanitarian aid. Two large shipments via Poland through the Ukraine Crisis Fund have been distributed and a third shipment is due to arrive soon. The aid is distributed at the life centers, Medical Clinic on Wheels (clinics) to refugees and civilians. Aid is also provided for church members. GoL works cooperatively with other organizations in sharing what comes in shipments in a collaborative way.

The main point is that the donations made to the Ukraine Crisis Fund are being used to the maximum, wisely with accountability and distribution well organized and reaching those who need it. The project is needed and appreciated.



Gift of Life's two medical units are stationed in Ternopil and operating out of their "storage garage" there. Medical and dental work is being done. Minor bombing has occurred as far west in Ukraine, where Ternopil is located.

(Note the map on the second page.)





Please note the location of Ternopil in western Ukraine. Pray for all our brothers and sisters in the churches in our fellowship to the east.



Cross-stitch, one of the initial donors to the Ukrainian Crisis Fund, sent **\$15,000** which paid for the first semi (\$7000) of needed supplies. Those supplies arrived on March 13, with the second semi load arriving last week. The third semi should arrive next week and the fourth is in the works. All of the supplies are distributed from Ternopil. The initial supplies were mainly food. By the fourth load, which includes more expensive medicals supplies. The cost of that semi was \$15,000.

How can we help?

At the present what is **MOST** needed are
PRAYERS
 and
MONETARY DONATIONS.



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