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Dear Bible Believing Pastors, Family and Friends;

*“The people that walked in darkness have seen a great light: they that dwell in the shadow of death, upon them hath the light shined.” Isaiah 9:2*

The last several months we have seen much uncertainty and darkness continue to fill this part of the world. As I’m writing this letter, Russia just pulled out 45 of their diplomats from the Russian embassy here in Chisinau. Many Moldovans are speculating that war may come here, but we don’t know. Many of our people have asked us, “What is the plan?” The plan is to keep preaching and telling lost sinners that Jesus Saves and that He is coming Soon!

We would appreciate your continued prayers that God would work in and through us here and that the Holy Spirit would give us His power to continue fighting the good fight of faith. The war in Ukraine continues to rage, and we don’t see any end to it right now. Our church here continues to battle on for the souls of men. Just recently in Odessa, Ukraine, one of our converts reported to us that a mall that had been blown up. The fire raged on so much that the heat melted the windows on the adjacent nine floor house. Several

people commented that it looked like hell was advancing. I told them, “War is God’s judgment on sin here, and hell is God’s judgment on sin hereafter.” Please continue to pray for believers living in seaport cities. Many of the children there are sleeping in the bathtubs because it’s the safest place to sleep at night just in case missiles would hit their buildings.



**Youth camp and souls saved**

In August, our church in Prednistrovia hosted youth camp for children living in 3 towns. These towns are 1 hour 40 minutes from Odessa. It’s a blessing that God is working and saving souls so close to the destruction in Ukraine. In the 1<sup>st</sup> camp in Slobodzia there were 58 children who attended and 19 children trusted Jesus Christ as their Savior! At the 2<sup>nd</sup> camp in Karangash, 35 kids attended, and 10 of those children trusted Jesus Christ as their Savior! The 3<sup>rd</sup> camp in Chorbachee had 31 children in attendance, and 8 children trusted Jesus Christ as Savior! **Pray for the ongoing camp in Slobodzia-Recea.** Please pray for these children, and that God would allow our church to continue reaching young people, especially their parents.



**8 souls saved in Karangash!**

### Orphanage work

The Lord continues to allow us the opportunity to minister the word of God to orphaned and abandoned children in “Drumul Spre Casa” (The Road Home Orphanage). In August we had 4 children after the lesson trust Jesus Christ as their Savior. There are 30 children in the home, many of whom fend for themselves. After school lessons, many are roaming around the city getting into trouble. We have 14 faithful children who attend the “Bible Club” there. The children are learning to read the Bible. Ion leads the ministry there. Pray for growth in these children. One boy Dima, who got saved in our church in Balti in Vacation Bible School, lost both of his parents in one month and was sent to the orphanage. Please pray for Dima; he is very troubled and quiet. Please pray we could encourage this young man and that the word of God through the preaching would change his life!



Orphans at Drumul Spre Casa

### Vasia, Oleg, and Victoria

In August, we hosted Vasia, Oleg, and Victoria. They are Ukrainians from Harkov. Vasia and Dima his brother got saved in our church 25 years ago in our village work in Slobodzia. Vasia and Dima are pastors and lead churches near Harkov. They came to visit us in our church here in Moldova on their way to Romania. Our church was able to encourage and refresh them. Praise the Lord they were able to take back books and tracts for distribution.

## Literature and food distribution Kherson, Ukraine



Vasia

Oleg



We also report that we were able to distribute 1,000 books and boxes of food supplies for those living in Kherson, Ukraine. **God has allowed our literature to reach 201 towns and cities in Ukraine.**

### Purified Word Printing International

Since our last letter we have printed 18,250 books and 6,000 tracts. Please continue to pray that our literature continues to bring fruit for the glory of God!

Again, we want to thank all of you who go to work every day and sacrifice and pray so we can do what we do in Moldova. May the Lord Jesus Christ bless you with souls for your labor.

In His Service,

*Bro. Paal and Susan Hamilton*

Col. 3:3



*Rescue the  
perishing,  
Care for the  
dying....*

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