



UKRAINE MISSIONS NEWS

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JULY'S HEADLINES SUCCESSES!

The month of July was one of the busiest months we have had yet. Indicative of this is the number of times our efforts were reported by the news media. Here are the headlines of the media reports that were conducted in July. I think I have forwarded most of these reports on emails. If you did not receive any of them please let me know. I hope that these headlines will show you how effective our efforts are in putting the Lord's Church into a prominent focus. Thank you to our supporters!

—John L. Kachelman, Jr.

Headlines You Helped To Make!



Ivan Skoleba visits a hospital that had received some items we shipped in on containers.

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Arkansas Christian Herald

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“Kachelman reports on container shipments”



“Former Soviet nation thanks churches for aiding victims of five-year civil war”

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“Arkansan of the Week: John Kachelman, Jr.”



Zoya is a dear sister in the Lord that attends the Central congregation.



Some children in the Donetsk Tuberculosis Hospital where we help provide some needed items for the care of children.



“Kachelman presented with certificates of appreciation from U.S. Department of State and the Republic of Tajikistan”



“Urgent help requested for Ukraine flood relief”

GREETINGS FROM ERLINDO IN HONDURAS

Dear brother John

Great to hear from you! I hope you and your family are receiving spiritual blessings. The church here remains worshipping our savior Jesus Christ and working unconditionally for His kingdom. More members have been added in the congregation at Tegus and more visitors. Thanks for your decided support (in sending more containers), now more than ever I feel compromised with this cause and try to serve God's plans and the human being, both spiritually and materially the best way I can. Thanks to you for being humanly sensitive to the problems that affect people living in the periferias who constantly suffer of hungry, unnaled and living very far away of the knowledge of God's word. Please help us to reach these creatures of God, save their souls, dress their bodies, to provide shoes and supply food to them. May God bless you, Erlindo Nuñez

NATALIA SEKERINA REPORTS ON HER EFFORTS WITH ORPHANS

Greetings, dear brothers and sisters who support me personally and my work in Karlovka Orphanage as I teach the Bible to children!

In addition to teaching Bible class at the orphanage July was busy doing more urgent and difficult tasks. I helped Galya Vityuk to take care of her mother who was dying, then I took care of my mother-in-law who was also dying and took care of funeral afterwards. Then my son Denis wound up in hospital in a very severe condition with stomach hemorrhage. Thanks to God, he was discharged from the hospital yesterday. And he's in for a long recuperation period since he's lost a lot of blood. I myself had to give blood and look for more donors. All of this happened in a row. I prayed a lot, and Lord gave me strength to endure all of these trials. I didn't



A shipment for Baghdad was loaded in Columbus, MS and flown into Baghdad by the U.S. Air Force



Loading a container for the orphanage and clinics in Kalomo, Zambia



have time to think about my own problems. However, I will not stop working in Karlovka. God willing, I'll go there next Saturday if my son is fine. I haven't even shared joyful news with you that 50 new beds and 5 cabinets were delivered there in June. I'd like to take a few pictures for you. I am very thankful to you for your financial help. Thanks to you and God for support.

May the Lord bless you.

With love, Natasha

FROM BAGHDAD, IRAQ

John, Great to hear from you.

Here where I am it is getting better. There are more good days than bad days now. Please relay to all, we are turning the corner. Let's not give up. Good will always triumph over evil. Your congregation is good people, we will win. We have the Lord on our side. Every day I wake up I am happy, because it is one day closer to home; but I am sad because it is one day closer that I will not be here helping in the Lord's mission. I will do as much as I can. Please send my greeting to all and pray. You don't know how much prayers help.

I know prayers help me through the day—your prayers, your congregation's prayers.

LTC Roberto L. Garcia, NAJAF-Iraq

(Note: This is the person who worked to secure us a fire engine for Ukraine from the city of Chicago. This email is in reply to news that the first shipment of wheelchairs, crutches, walkers, etc. would go out on the USAF C-5's out of Jackson, MS)

EMAIL FROM COUNSELOR OF THE VICE-PRIME MINISTER OF UKRAINE

Dear John,

Our meeting that was more than two months ago has made a very pleasant impression on me. I appreciate your great work to help people which need it. My humble task is only to help you in your noble work. I will be very grateful if in future you will also inform me about the smallest delays, which may disturb your work for Ukraine. But I hope that such incidents never will repeat again.

I would like to ask you to inform your people in Ukraine that they can call on my cell phone in any time in a case of any necessity. I would like once more to express to you the most sincere gratitude for your work for Ukraine and assure you in my deepest respect.

With best wishes,

Orest Chebenyak

Counselor of Vice-Prime Minister of Ukraine,

First Vice-Chairman of Humanitarian Aid Commission in the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine

From India:

My dear loving brother, Greetings in Jesus name. Thank you very much for your kind letter. The help is greatly necessary for the Lord's people here and will be a great blessing. Mr. Srinisunder said this letter is sufficient. Thank you very much. I send the duty free letter etc, hopefully in a week. Thank you once again.

In Christian love, yours in His service, Deenadayal