

The Levtseniuks in Lviv, Ukraine

3rd Quarter Report

July/August 2022



Greetings, brothers and sisters of the BIEM mission. Grace to you and peace from our Lord Jesus Christ.

Thank you so much for your prayers and financial support. God helped to host a wonderful children's camp on the church property. I was very worried that the air raid would prevent us from holding camp, that every time we would have to hurry to the shelter with the children. But God, in His mercy, made everything work together for good. And everything was blessed. And we didn't have to go to the shelter. Hallelujah! An average of 150 children attended. Parents were also there; it's all the same war. And parents also took part in the camp. We also prepared food for them, as some were with us all day. We brought children and parents from refugee shelters, which we helped and continue to help with your assistance. We want to come up with something else for them for the Christmas holidays, if the Lord allows us to live. The camp was blessed,

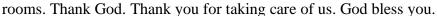
despite the war and the sad, frightened people. God has shed light on our area of Salvation Church. He was glorified.

God has blessed us with true friends, fathers. And it was with great pleasure that I went to Poland to fetch Pastor Sam Slobodian at the airport. This is a man with a capital letter, a man of God who has visited us in Ukraine many times, regardless of the war. He never showed panic during an air alarm. Praise God for such missionaries. He is like a father to my family. Thank you so much for helping us get through the war. It makes me want to serve the Lord even more,

with such support and love for us. I know that there is a whole army of praying friends who pray for us and our ministry in Lviv. God bless you.

Since we live in the church, and it was very crowded for our family with 6 people in one room, with your help we are creating an attic room under the roof.

With great pleasure we took pastor Sam and Amy to Poland (to the airport), and for the first time my wife and little Martochka went with us. It was a blessed trip. We had an opportunity to buy cheaper children's furniture for the new





Always yours,

Yura, Violetta, Aaron, Benjamin, Elizabeth, Martha

September/October

Greetings, brothers and sisters of the BIEM mission! Grace to you, and peace, from our Lord Jesus Christ.

Thank you so much for being active in our lives. You really help us survive this war. It is hard for children to endure air raid alarms. There's chaos in schools every day. Children often sit in a shelter. In such circumstances, a pastor needs to be engaged in counseling not only in his own family but also the church. Keep praying for us!

We stayed in a hotel for 2 months while the apartment in the church was being renovated.



Praise the Lord, we are no longer crowded. We can host groups, host guests! Thank God that small groups continue their studies of the Scriptures. We had a big holiday for the church—a baptism. Pray for Natasha; she, too, was supposed to be baptized, but it was clear she was not ready. I continue to study Scripture with her in the group. The time will come.



We visit patients in hospitals who are seriously injured. One of them is Andrew. Pray for him. He is very close to the Lord. We pray for his repentance. Pray also for families from Kharkiv. They are still unbelievers. They came to us at the beginning of the war. They no longer smoke. We study the Scriptures together. They like our church. They are looking to rent an apartment here in Lviv. We need to help them a little while they find a job. Thank God for your help. Currently we have 3 refugee families living in our church. Almost every

day, we have someone who is traveling abroad or from the border to spend the night. Every day the doors of our church are open to everyone. This is our ministry. We thank God that we have the honor to serve Him. We have taken in 3,000 refugees! Everyone who's been to our place

doesn't pass us by.

Despite the war and the mood, we celebrated the 100th anniversary of baptism in Lviv in the Lviv Central Church. We prayed for Ukraine, for the end of the war, and for what each of us who has not left Ukraine should do.

We also ordained brother Ivashko to the deacon ministry in our Salvation Church. There is already help for me. Thanks be to God. God is building His church. Thank you for your prayers!



Now we visit shelters

where there are children with autism, disabled people... Continue to pray for us, and we will care for these children; there are 250 of them. Thanks for all the help you give us. Thank you so much; God will reward you; I firmly believe in this. With your money, we feed refugees here in the church, we provide a warm shelter for them. We buy food for the shelter with which we work spiritually. Praise God, His name is glorified through us and you, my relatives, dear friends of the BIEM mission.

Always yours, Yura, Violetta, Aaron, Benjamin, Martha