



## DONATION *for* UKRAINIAN AID

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On behalf of our **congregation the Sisters of St. Elizabeth**, I would like to thank you for your generosity and the huge financial aid /Euro 14,000.00/ with the allocation to the aid of Ukrainian refugees in their country and neighboring countries.

In this difficult and painful situation of the war between Russia and Ukraine, since the beginning of the conflict our congregation has begun to respond in two directions: the first is to help people in Ukraine through the Sisters who have remained in this martyred land and second in Poland.

The Sisters who remained in the convent near Odessa have used the financial support to buy food to help very poor families who come asking for help; in addition, the Sisters prepare warm meals for about 50 people every day. Because of poverty the elderly people suffer and have fled from the occupied territories, and poor people who ask for something to eat.

Sisters who remained near Lviv prepare parcels with food but also materials for personal hygiene, medicines for families who remained in the Russian occupied territories or on the spot. The sisters helped to buy two (2) anti-bed mattresses for sick people. The presence of the Ukrainian Sisters helps us to meet the most urgent needs. Therefore, the sisters, in addition to helping poor families and the sick, since the beginning of the war have been buying and bringing from Poland food, and things for personal hygiene and preparing packages that are sent to Ukrainian soldiers.

To the huge influx of refugees in Poland, Sisters have responded with generous gestures in their convents. Financial aid was sent to 2 convents with the largest presence of refugees.

The Sisters in Strzegon currently host 31 children and 23 adults. The funds are used for to buy provisions. Also in this time of summer vacation the sisters try to organize for the children some sightseeing trips, and grills to give them a chance to rest.

Instead, the sisters in Poznan are hosting 20 adults and 14 children. The funds received from the International Franciscan Conference have been earmarked to pay for Polish language courses for the children and mothers, to buy the necessary computer and books, school supplies for the children, clothes, shoes and overalls for the coming school year.

On behalf of our congregation once again I thank the President of the International Franciscan Conference for this generous help on behalf of our Ukrainian brothers and sisters who are suffering because of this difficult and cruel war.

With best regards,

Sr. M. Samuela Werbinska, Superior General CSSE



Meals for Ukraine Poor



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Packages for soldiers

