

Dear UkraineAid ministry friend,

The war is now approaching its fourth year, and the suffering of the Ukrainian people continues. The reality for the people of Ukraine has not changed—they are being attacked, displaced, and forced to fight for survival. Yet together with your support, we have been able to ease that burden and help save lives. Through our teams on the ground, we are delivering aid directly into the hands of those in need—bringing practical help, comfort, and the hope of Christ into very dark places.

Thank you for standing with us. May these photos testify to the compassion we have shared together as we help Ukrainian families survive unthinkable hardship and find the strength to endure.



On October 27th, Hannu Haukka delivered three ambulances donated by IRR-TV Finland (our GCMF Finnish Office) to Colonel Dimitri S. during the official handover ceremony in the Kharkiv region. That same morning, 16 Ukrainian soldiers had been wounded, and the ambulances immediately set out on a rescue mission.

Ambulances

As I write these lines, the war on Ukrainian soil has lasted 1,366 days. We have just delivered three donated Mercedes-Benz Sprinter ambulances—acquired and sent by IRR-TV Finland (our GCMF Finnish office)—during an official handover ceremony in the city of Kharkiv, about 19 miles from the Russian border and Russian forces.

As Russia's attacks continue, even targeting emergency vehicles, the need for ambulances is urgent. At the official handover ceremony, Colonel Dimitri S. of the Ukrainian Border Guard reported that during that morning alone, another 16 Ukrainian soldiers—fathers and sons—had been wounded in battle. In life-and-death situations, every vehicle is a lifesaving, indispensable asset.

We have obtained four well-maintained ambulances. Each ambulance has been equipped with defibrillators, specially designed emergency stretchers, and other much-needed medical equipment. They are now transporting wounded dads and sons to military hospitals in safer zones farther from the front lines.

And the cost? The unit price for similar new vehicles is **\$215,000 USD**. We have secured and shipped them for **\$26,800 USD** per vehicle. We are working to send more used ambulances to Ukraine.



Production of wood-burning stoves in Zaporizhzhia, made in Ukraine and delivered personally to families.

Russia has systematically bombed Ukraine's power plants and electricity distribution centers into inoperability. The facilities are being repaired feverishly, but Russia soon bombs the same targets again.

One stove represents the continuation of life—it brings heat, the ability to cook food, and is a spark of hope amid darkness.

Wood-burning Stoves

Russia continues its nationwide bombings of electricity distribution centers and power plants in Ukraine. Millions have been left without heat or the ability to cook—some temporarily, others for the long term. As winter sets in, families across Ukraine face freezing temperatures, illness, and even death.

To meet this urgent need, we are producing wood-burning stoves in workshops in Ukraine. **In October alone, 1,000 stoves were delivered,** and **more than 3,000 additional families** have already asked for help. These are ordinary people—parents, children, and seniors—caught in the middle of a war they did not choose. We are helping people survive.

Each stove is delivered personally by our team into frontline towns and remote villages. For many, this simple stove becomes their only source of warmth and their only way to cook. It restores dignity, brings a hot meal back to the home, and shines a small light of Christmas hope into households struggling through the cold and uncertainty.

A donation of **\$150** provides one Ukrainian family with a life-saving stove this winter.
One stove. One family. One chance to survive.



At the end of October, food aid packages were distributed to one hundred families in the village of Kushuhum. Each package contained cooking oil, canned fish and meat, sugar, salt, rice, corn, pasta, tea, and more. A missile strike had hit the village the previous day.



Food Aid

Many frontline villages continue to be evacuated, and access to food has become a matter of survival. GCM continues to deliver food packages to families with children in these areas. In the Zaporizhzhia region alone, about **10,000 families** rely on outside assistance.

A donation of **\$50** provides a basic food package to feed a family for one month in a frontline village, including potatoes, carrots, onions, and flour. Even a simple gift can stand between a family and hunger.



Distribution of food in the villages takes place under the constant threat of Russian drone attacks, which at times target civilians as they receive aid.



Hannu Haukka, on behalf of GCM Canada, assists an elderly woman with her monthly ration of potatoes, carrots, onions, and flour.



Jesus said, **“For I was hungry, I was thirsty, I was a stranger, I was naked, I was sick... and you came to me; you fed me, you clothed me, you took me in...”**

Matthew 25:35–36

Together, we are standing with people who have endured nearly four years of war. Your support is saving lives through ambulances, food, and life-saving stoves—bringing warmth, dignity, and renewed strength into homes facing a harsh winter. Every gift and prayer reminds the people of Ukraine that they are not forgotten and that there is hope.

This Christmas, let's save another life together.



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