

Dear brother William

Greetings in the Saviour's Worthy Name.

Please convey to all the dear believers in St Barrhead assembly our sincere thanks and gratitude for the generous gift of £xxx.xx received via the LWT and as from the Lord. This practical token of love and fellowship with us in the Gospel of God and the liberality expressed through this gift brings us much spiritual encouragement and is overwhelming! We feel so unworthy of such sacrificial care from the Lord's dear people, such grace is truly a blessing and a reminder of God's mercy. Due to the extreme needs of our fellow believers we will be able to share your fellowship with us, with the believers in Lviv and this has only been possible through your thoughtfulness and exercise before God.

Presently we are in N Ireland as I (Edmund) suffered a heart attack at the end of last year and underwent surgery. I am very glad to be gaining strength and appreciate God's healing hand upon me. We would value your prayers.

As all are aware Russia continues their relentless horrific bombardment against Ukraine and it is heart rending to speak with those by telephone in the city of Lviv to try and understand and imagine the extreme fear, trauma and worry of the "unknown". We know you are praying for all in Ukraine and would ask you to continue to uplift the people of God in that war torn country to the Throne of Grace. Brother Ruslan from the assembly has taken on responsibility for 200 refugees in a factory warehouse in Lviv and has been able to buy food, meat and vegetables. Also he has had opportunity to share Gospel calendars and literature - last week he used the assembly mini bus to deliver 13 women to the Polish border where they will reach safety. He also with his wife Tanya continues to visit and support several orphanages that we were involved with over the last years.

We trust all in the assembly keep safe and well and are enjoying the Lord's presence in all your gatherings.

With renewed and heartfelt thanks.

Yours through Grace,

Edmund & Agnes,

I will mention the loving kindnesses of the Lord, and the praises of the Lord, according to all that the Lord has bestowed on us,...

Isaiah 63:7