



"The amount of love you give out is returned to you ten-fold by these kids. What a beautiful experience God has given to me!"
- Jonnie Ardelean, Orphans Camp

Friends, Family, and Faithful Supporters:

Let us take you, even if for a moment, to stand face to face with an orphan child whose eyes fill with tears when handed a simple plastic bag containing items we often take for granted.

Or perhaps to an elderly woman left humbled and filled with emotion by the idea that a young girl would want to wash her calloused, aged feet. Or how about to a place where 100 deaf and mute young adults were, for once, not society's outcasts, but souls worth loving and caring for.

These are but mere glimpses of what we encountered daily in Moldova. Our Lord Jesus Christ calls for total surrender of self – "Lose your life and you will find it" – and the mission field asks for no less.

The need is great, has been great and will always be great. Many of us see the need, but to feel it, even act on it – that goes a step beyond. Taking that step is what we are called to do. It is not an option, or an act of mercy that deserves applause, but a plea and a commandment.

You took that step. You acted on that plea. You followed that commandment. You were able to look past issues and circumstances, and come to an understanding that giving, serving and supporting reaches

beyond our limited view point, and into the heart of God.

We want you to know that along with a handful of young people, you have built on the Kingdom of God.

240 Missionaries 40 Different Churches
7 Projects Over 1500 were cared for
1000+ Care Packs donated
\$100,000 required
\$85,000 raised prior to MT5
\$15,000 found through the grace of God

Before MT5, the question, "Do you care?" was posed. Hundreds of people stepped forward in many ways to answer that question and MT5 was carried out.

See it through our eyes:



MT5

"We have one life to live. One chance to do what we are called individually to do by our Lord Jesus Christ. I am humbled to live such a life. There is so much more to learn. But I say, 'Lord I am here - use me, send me, make me Yours.'"

- Anca Husu, Orphans Camp

"The mission taught me that what we do is for the glory of God and not for our glory. I may have had a small part, but anything done for the glory of God is worth it."

- Elizabeth Peptenar, Village Project

"I went there thinking I was going to change these children's lives. Little did I know that God was taking me there so that He can change my life."

- Jeniffer Gherman, Orphans Camp



"There are no words to explain what God did. I felt that God used me, by encouraging me to use my gifts and talents. Every moment spent there, every experience, every leader, every kid, every new day, every problem that occurred, every tear, every smile... all these together made me want to serve my Lord with my life, with all I am, in the best way..."

- Anna Nedelcu, Discipleship Camp

"When you go on a mission trip, expect at least two different people to be changed- yourself and the person who you are ministering to. God will teach you unbelievable things. Get ready for a life changing experience!"

- Sam Nicorici, Discipleship Camp

Igniting a Passion, Equipping and Creating Opportunities to Serve

Orphanage Camp

For the fifth consecutive year, 188 children, ages 2-20, from four different orphanages in Moldova were cared for and com-



forted. As Jesus calls little ones to Him, He proves to be the Defender and Provider for all. There were obstacles faced, like the unhygienic camp conditions and building

a relationship with an angry camp director who disliked having Christians lead the kids. Yet, all the roadblocks were made worthwhile by one smile from a freshly clothed child, one small hand holding a care pack, one tear rolling down a tiny face that says, "I'll miss you!"

Imprints were left on many hearts at the Discipleship Camp, a sub-project of the Orphanage Camp. This particular camp focuses on orphans ages fifteen and up acquiring the skills necessary for survival outside the orphanage. Amazing results can be seen from this Camp even in the fact that over 25 youths chose to give their lives to Christ this year.

Timothy and Esther Projects

Two years ago, ten orphan young adults were chosen from the orphanage and placed under the mentorship and care of two Christian leaders from Moldova. The project has paid for the cost of school, medical care, and room and board while allowing the youths to experience God in a familial setting. This year, five of those ten leaders served as Orphanage Camp leaders. The changes that had taken place inside their hearts showed on the mission field as they were helping to care for, counsel and lead orphans. They learned to live life for others and continue to do so as the projects continue.

Bridge of Hope Camp

As Christians, we all know what it is like to be persecuted, ridiculed and looked down upon for our religious beliefs. Add to this the difficulties of not being able to speak or hear and you have found yourself among 100 boys and girls at Bridge of Hope Camp. Despite their inabilities, they sang and worshipped and participated through sign language, becoming an inspiration to all. Many participants received Jesus Christ without the use of words, but with a hand raised in love.

Soccer Camp

If God can use a donkey to speak truth, or a mute to speak of His love, why not a soccer ball? This camp uses sport as a tool to bring the Gospel to hundreds of young boys between ages twelve to twenty. A perfect example of a life turned to Christ by Soccer can be found in a particular leader of the Soccer Camp who not only attended the camp but also then brought the young men from his town to the camp. The camp participants take part in athletic activities, Bible lessons and chapel gatherings. The boys were reached, lives were changed, and God was found with a soccer ball!

Girls of God Camp

The vision of the Girls of God ministry of reaching out to young ladies through Bible Study, fellowship and acts of service has extended throughout Moldova. Approximately 100 girls came to a camp they regard as a haven, spending ten days in the life-giving Word and meaning-filled activities in a loving atmosphere. The girls now continue to meet all year round and encourage each other to seek God's kingdom and grow in His grace.

Village Projects

Two localities altered when touched by the hand of God

Tarnova



This quiet village was changed by people acting as God's instruments in providing for its physical and spiritual needs. The medical clinic treated illnesses, sores, and

wounds with an established clinic and a mobile one to help the immobilized. The foot-washing clinic allowed elderly men and women, who daily work in the fields, to come to get their feet washed and pedicured. At this clinic, one woman was so moved that she began crying when she saw that the hands of a young 17-year old girl gently picked up her calloused, dirty feet and washed them with love. This woman later gave her life to Christ.

Donduseni

This small city was filled with the Good News as Vacation Bible School, English and Computer classes, drama and sports activities took place in grand



outreach. Young and old heard about Jesus and now come together to plant a church in the city.

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