

Another of one of our first members, Sveta has battled kidney cancer for over ten years. mostly she was able to slow it down with homeopathic remedies, but it has gone into stage 4 in the last few months. please pray for her, not just physically, but spiritually.

### Special prayer request

There have been some very personal issues that have threatened the faith of some of the members, who will remain anonymous. Fortunately, Slavic and Vova are very alert and have been able to get involved before things became complicated. When things are going well, that is when Satan needs to create problems.

Overall the church is healthy, stable and continues to head in a very positive direction!

Zhenya with some of the refugees from the Donetsk war zone.



### Finances Dec 24th—Feb 29th

<b>COH 3/1</b>	<b>\$ 683</b>		
Salaries Slavic, Vova, Zhenya	\$ 3,286	<b>Account balance 12/24</b>	<b>\$3,777.13</b>
Travel expenses	\$ 44	<b>Credits:</b>	<b>\$7,253.04</b>
Rehab center	\$ 834	<b>Debits:</b>	
Benevolent	\$ 817	Cash Withdrawals	\$ 6,121.85
Materials/ supplies	\$ 633	Fees	\$ 100.00
Administrative	\$ 507	Webhosting (from CC)	\$ 27.87
<b>Total Spent</b>	<b>\$ 6,121</b>	Microsoft (from CC)	\$ 107.86
<b>Withdrawn</b>	<b>\$ 6,122</b>	<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>\$ 6357.88</b>
<b>COH 2/29</b>	<b>\$ 684</b>	<b>Account Balance 2/29</b>	<b>\$ 4,672.59</b>



## NIKOPOL EVANGELISM

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The church continues to grow and thrive as Slavic, Vova, and Zhenya continue to lead in the congregation. Recently, Yaroslav also came from Poland and spent some time in Nikopol. Here's what's happening:

### Studies and conversions

There have been three baptisms in the last several months:



Clockwise from top:  
Aliona with her children,  
Valentina, and Larisa

Aliona, a single mother of four children was recently baptized. They live in the village of Krasnogrivorivna, a few miles out of Nikopol.

The street evangelism that Slavic does continues to yield results. an woman named Larisa gave her life to Christ about a month ago.

Galina was always one of our more evangelistic members. even though she has moved to Krivoy Rog, she has still helped to grow our church. Before she moved, she introduced her landlady, Valentina to Slavic and Vova, and she became a Christian shortly after.

The men recently decided to end the effort in Ordjo, which had not produced a conversion in a year and a half of effort. Instead they have shifted their focus to the village of Krasnogrivorivna which has a growing bible study and has produced a number of Christians.

### Youth program

Ira, who used to live in the apartment above us, has moved closer to the church building, and now lives on the street where many of our youth group live.

She knows many of them, having taught music in their school



Vova teaching Sunday School in the addition, and Katya teaching the younger class.



Most of those children continue to come to church. With the influx of children with Aliona's conversion, the youth group is developing rapidly.

### Community efforts:

The church is starting to get more notoriety in town as they get more involved in the community.

Vova continues to head up the refugee ministry. In addition to bringing food, they also do bible studies at the facility.

Our church recently invited a group of disabled children and had a mini-circus/vbs for them. They coordinated this effort with a local sports facility, which provided some equipment, a special needs daycare, and the social welfare center.



### Future plans continue:

Zhenya and Vova have gotten the ball rolling on the building design. In April, Vova drew up a basic plan Zhenya to submit to the designer who did our addition several years ago.

Because of the scope of work, it has to first be submitted for approval to a local zoning board, before she can do this, however it brings back memories of how exciting it was to see the progress when we did the addition.

We continue to pursue the establishment of an independent non-profit organization for Nikopol Evangelism. an LLC has to be submitted for approval by the government in addition to a tax ID number. Our congregation has an accountant who will guide me through this, but was extremely busy during the tax season. That should clear up now that tax season slows down.

### Health issues

With the passing of Nina's husband, Gregory, she is planning to move to Minsk, where the rest of her family lives. Her daughter, Vera, is a doctor and will be able to monitor her health better. The climate will also be better for her blood pressure than the hot humid climate of Ukraine. Ukrainian estate law prohibits the selling of property until 6 months after someone's death, so that move will most likely happen later this summer.