

To Thomas Schirrmacher Secretary General World Evangelical Alliance

## **Dear Thomas!**

On behalf of the whole the Alliance for Ukraine Without Orphans we sincerely thank you for the financial support \$45000 you provided to help all the Ukrainians, particularly orphans and vulnerable children in need during the war as a result of Russian invasion of Ukraine.

Through the partnership network of churches and organizations of the Alliance for Ukraine Without Orphans, humanitarian assistance with food, medicines, clothes, hygiene products is constantly provided. Thousands of people are being placed in safe areas through the involvement of housing and other premises of the Alliance members. Evacuation of people from front-line and active fighting zones is carried out on a regular basis. Thousands of people receive psychological and spiritual support, social support and legal advice.

Orphans, orphanage graduates, foster parents, families which have children with disabilities, large and single-parent low-income families remain a special category for us. For such children and families, our volunteers organize support for every family or child. Also our partner churches pay great attention to evacuation of the support group, developing classes and provide targeted support based on individual needs and care for single elderly people from hospices and people with disabilities.

Thanks to your support through the Ukraine Without Orphans Alliance network, 14 of our partner evangelical churches and Christian NGOs in 22 regions of Ukraine have been able to strengthen their ministry to people in need. In April alone, some 510 representatives and volunteers involved provided humanitarian assistance to 6,135 people, including 670 children and adults with severe disabilities, and evacuated about 3,500.

But the most important thing is that thanks to this dedicated work of ministers of evangelical churches and Christian organizations, all 6,135 people heard the Good News in these extremely difficult times for our people. Below we share with you 2 wonderful stories about salvation of Ukrainians from among those who were deprived of proper care, remaining between life and death in war.

Thank you so much for your help and may God bless your ministry!

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Sincerely,

Yuriy Marynchak,

President of the Alliance for Ukraine Without Orphans

