# Mission 28:19 | Chernihiv

### **Newsletter for June 2023**

Thanks to your continued prayerful support and faithful financial sacrifice, we are able to continue to work today to plant a new community of the Church of Christ in Chernihiv. As we minister the Gospel according to Matthew 28:19 and see people come to Christ through baptism, we witness the spiritual birth of people and the birth of a new local church that becomes light and salt with new brothers and sisters. We appreciate your prayers for our joint work in the field of God, thank you for your prayers for us and your love for us.

Serhii Shupishov









#### **CONTINUATION OF GOD'S WORK**

Despite all the difficulties in our work in the field of God in Chernihiv. With God's help and your prayers, we continued and continue to do the work of ministry together with our brothers and sisters to preach the Gospel and plant a new community of the Church of Christ in Chernihiv. In June, we traveled to Chernihiv with brother Oleg from Kharkiv, brother Viktor Prokhorov from Rivne, and brothers Roman and Oleksandr from Kamianske, On each of our trips we held Bible studies, individual meetings with people, and Saturday evangelistic meetings to proclaim the Gospel and call people to dedicate their lives to Jesus Christ.

#### A TRIP TO IRPIN

In June, Nina, Galina, and Tatiana from Chernihiv visited our congregation in Irpin and attended a Sunday church service. This trip of our friends from Chernihiv was a good example for them to see what the church of Christ is and how it is reflected in this world. We pray that these women will come to Christ in due time.





**ICE CREAM AND MILK** 

Thanks to the opportunities we had, we were able to treat 100 people who come to our Bible study with ice cream in June and bless people with milk. People were surprised and happy to receive products they don't often buy. Through such events we want to give people a small opportunity to experience the joy of life and God's care for them.







## **HUMANITARIAN AID**

Thanks to the cooperation with the Ukrainian Bible Institute and the Church of Christ in Poznyaki, we were able to help 200 people with basic food in four months. We are grateful to God for additional resources for our ministry.



#### **EVANGELISTIC MEETINGS**

In June, we continued to hold evangelistic meetings on Saturdays, with an average of 50 to 70 people attending. At the evangelistic meetings, we teach people the basics of the Christian life, creation and God's plan for the church, and the biblical understanding of baptism. We are pleased that so many people are eager to hear God's Word and open their hearts to God's faith.





On Thursdays and Fridays we hold Bible studies for beginners and people who have been coming to us for a long time and are interested in God's Word. In June, we were able to study the topics of baptism, the Bible, the Holy Spirit, and the birth of the church in Acts 2.