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To help the one who is most difficult

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From the very beginning of our volunteer work, we try to respond and help where it hurts the most. Maybe that's why our people from Mariupol were the first to be admitted to our volunteer center "Always Together". We still remember the state of despair we all felt in those days. It seems that we have hardened during the months of war. But our work principles remain unchanged: **To help the one who is most difficult.**

There are currently several addresses in Zaporizhzhia that look like wounds. Where possible, buildings are being "healed", and people who have survived the shock of shelling need help and sympathy.



Consequences of shelling. Holes in the walls of the house are repaired

Anatolii Tyagunov from the neighborhood took over the organization of receiving humanitarian assistance for 30 families from Potochnaya and Nizhnaya streets. He invited the residents of the buildings that were affected by the shelling, mainly the elderly. Volunteers from the "Always Together" center handed out food packages and what we call "magic" buckets. The contents of these buckets are practical and cute at the same time. Given to our charitable foundation "Chernobyl Veterans" by Ukraine Missions (USA) as part of aid to our country, they are in the form of urgent aid. We are

thankful to John L. Kachelman Jr., who works with Churches of Christ, for constant attention to our problems.



The people who gathered on Potochnaya Street on this sunny October day had some sadness on their faces... But after talking, we started to smile at each other. Volunteers invited, handed over, helped to carry the house to the gate. Someone was taking apart the "magic" buckets. There were letters from families that shaped the contents of the gifts. Someone got a ball for a grandson! And the sweet lady laughed and cried like a little girl, because her granddaughter had long dreamed

of having a Barbie doll.

Those who were unable to come to their destination for help should be transported and handed over to Anatoly Tyagunov.

The report on this event should be broadcast on the MTM channel today, October 26, at 5:00 p.m.

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