



INTERNATIONAL DISASTER EMERGENCY SERVICE

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Dear Pine Lake Christian Church

God's gifts take many forms. Some are gifted at sharing the Gospel. Some are skilled at working with their hands. Others are incredible at showing hospitality. Still others provide financial resources.

Caring individuals with each of these gifts are needed when we respond to the needs of suffering people. Volunteers build homes, churches pour into their communities, and those who are able to give generously make our response possible. Finally, the Good News about Jesus Christ is shared, and lives are changed for eternity.

Each of you should use whatever gift you have received to serve others, as faithful stewards of God's grace in its various forms. 1 Peter 4:10

Just yesterday, I saw the fulfillment of people using their gifts as they served one another. We were sent a video with the minister from one of our Partner Churches baptizing a man whose home we rebuilt following Hurricane Helene. In the video is one of our Site Managers who gave of his time leading these efforts. As I read this verse, I think about the hundreds of volunteers who built a stranger's home, the church that cared for our volunteers, individuals who shared the Good News and poured into this family, and supporters like you who provided the necessary funding to build a home, show Christ's love, and change a life.

Your partnership with IDES is stewardship of God's grace. Your investment in the ministry of IDES has an eternal impact as we meet physical and spiritual needs around the world.

Thank you for joining us in providing Help and Hope!

In Christ,

PRAYING

FOR OUR PARTNERS

In the U.S. and Abroad July 2026



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By providing tricycles to traveling evangelists, IDES enables them to transport goods to various villages while conducting their ministry. This initiative creates opportunities to connect with community members and proclaim the Gospel. Furthermore, these vehicles empower evangelists to achieve financial independence.

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EASTERN KY

Our rebuild efforts are wrapping up in the Pikeville, KY area from flooding last year. Please pray for a smooth ending as well as Gospel conversations to happen with homeowners. Pray they experience the love of Jesus and accept his gift of salvation.



UKRAINE

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Several families from a local church have had their lives upended and their homes destroyed by recent drone strikes. In response, IDES is collaborating with our project manager to provide critical assistance, including temporary shelter, clothing, and food. Pray for peace and strength.

