



## WHAT GOD IS DOING

Since the last issues of this newspaper God has been guiding and providing in some wonderful ways

### Weekly Soup Kitchen

Every Saturday at noon we are privileged to serve a warm meal to refugees from around the world (mostly Muslims from Kurdistan). In addition, we are able to share an evangelistic message with them and put the Word of God into their hands in their native languages. If you would like to contribute financially or personally help us serve at these meals, please call 52-36-812 for more details.

### Language Classes

After a long time of praying and planning, God finally opened the doors for us to begin offering free Greek and English classes to the refugees which are currently held on Saturday mornings and after the meals on Saturday noon. This is a very strategic opportunity to meet a practical need and build friendships with the refugees so that they may know the love of Christ. If you would like to contribute financially or personally help teach these languages classes, please call 52-36-812 for more details.

### Tea Bar

On Monday, Wednesday, and Friday evenings from 6:00 PM to 9:00 PM we open our facility at Menandrou 47 to serve tea and a small snack. The atmosphere is informal and the refugees have the chance to sit and talk, read magazines, watch videos, study the Bible, and play ping-pong, chess, or backgammon. If you would like to help provide snacks, contribute financially, or get involved more personally with this ministry, please call 52-36-812 for more details.

### Shelter Ministry

We are currently in the process of acquiring a facility that we plan to use for homeless refugees to have a safe, warm, and dry place to sleep. Lord willing, we initially plan to put in at least 30 bunk beds. In addition, it will have a clothing room, storage space, restroom facilities, and other possibilities that will help meet physical and spiritual needs. If you would like to contribute financially toward the cost of bunk beds or the other needs for getting this facility ready, please call 52-36-812 for more details.

## FUTURE POSSIBILITIES

With the help of God and His people, we hope in the near future to see His Kingdom advanced among the nations in the following ways ...

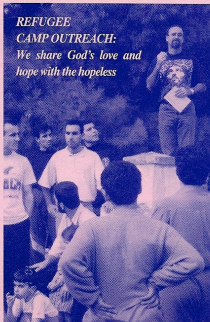
### Refugee Ministry Seminars

In the new year we hope to conduct on a regular basis, opportunities for further education concerning helping refugees in spiritual and practical ways. We will provide more details as they are available.

### Job-Placement Service

In some ways, we have already tried to help a few people find temporary work. However, we hope to establish a more formal and effective service in the coming months. If you would like to be a part of this ministry or if you have some work to offer, please call 52-36-812.

**REFUGEE  
CAMP OUTREACH:**  
*We share God's love and  
hope with the hopeless*



*There are many chances to serve ...*



### Christmas Outreach at the Refugee Camp

On December 14th we plan to visit the Kurdish refugees to share some food, a Christmas program, and some special Christmas gifts. If you would like to be a part of this special opportunity to share the meaning of Christmas in a personal way, please call 52-36-812.

### Christmas Meal

A day before Christmas, 24/12, 6:00 PM, we plan to share a Christmas meal and program with the refugees in the downtown Athens area at our facility in Menandrou 47, 5th floor. If you would like to help contribute financially or help us serve personally, please call 52-36-812.

FINANCIAL INVESTMENTS MAY BE MADE AT THE  
FOLLOWING BANKS:  
ERGO BANK #81/92 003/50 or  
NATIONAL BANK #100 94 62 79 15 AB (3 names)

Send correspondence to: HELPING HANDS,  
Menandrou 47, Athens 104 37.



*... and many people who need help*

## ΑΤΖΕΝΤΑ ΔΕΚΕΜΒΡΙΟΥ 1997

- ΣΑΒΒΑΤΟ 13/12, 7.30 μμ : ΧΡΙΣΤΟΥΓΕΝΝΙΑΤΙΚΗ ΣΥΝΑΓΙΑ (Αιόλου 70, 7ος όροφος)
- ΚΥΡΙΑΚΗ 14/12, 1.00 - 5.00 μμ : ΕΞΟΡΜΗΣΗ ΣΥΜΠΑΡΑΣΤΗΣΗΣ ΣΤΟΥΣ ΚΟΥΡΔΟΥΣ ΤΗΣ ΠΕΝΤΕΛΗΣ Αναχωρήσεις Πούλυαν 1.00 μμ : Μενανδρού 47, ΟΜΟΝΟΙΑ 1.30 μμ : ένοικιο Η. PRESIDENT, Αμπελόκηποι 2.00 μμ : Αναβρύτων 20, ΜΑΡΟΥΣΙ 2.30 μμ : Αφιξη στην Πεντέλη 5.00 μμ : Επιστροφή (λόγω πιθανής μεταφοράς των Κούρδων σε άλλη κατασκήνωση, για να πληροφορηθείτε εγκαίρως, τηλεφωνήστε στο 5236812)
- ΤΕΤΑΡΤΗ 24/12, 6-9 μμ : ΧΡΙΣΤΟΥΓΕΝΝΙΑΤΙΚΗ ΠΟΡΤΗ & ΔΕΙΠΝΟ (μπουράκι) ΓΙΑ ΠΡΟΣΦΥΓΕΣ
- ΤΕΤΑΡΤΗ 31/12, 6 μμ : ΠΡΩΤΟΧΡΟΝΙΑΤΙΚΗ ΠΟΡΤΗ ΓΙΑ ΠΡΟΣΦΥΓΕΣ

Τα ΧΕΡΙΑ ΒΟΗΘΕΙΑΣ

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