

# Menedék Newsletter



Refuge Foundation Hungary

*The Lord is good. A REFUGE in times of trouble. Nahum 1:7*

*April 2013*

## *Voluntarily*

Voluntary work, according to the dictionary, means work done for free. In the beginning the ministry of the Menedék (Refuge) Foundation was based on voluntary work. From 1985-1990 there was no social work institutes like there are today. At that time one could come to serve for a year and live full-time among the needy, living your life as an example to people under the care of the Refuge Foundation or on the Tea Bus. Those people who were willing to come were away from their loved ones, from the family and from the warmth and the security of their home. The question arose. What is the motivation to do voluntary work? Why are the young people ready to work for others and for free?

Jesus Christ, the Son of God gave an example to follow. Jesus left his heavenly Father to help the needy, to show the way to the lost, to restore their lives and to give them the sense of worth and happiness. Those who believe in Him are able to do the same. What is their motivation? The sacrificial love of God. This love does not seek its own interests but others'. Its help is not given depending on merit but according to the need. It does not want anything back. Its only aim is to understand, to restore, to help, to give and to support. It works from heart to heart. Those people live with a mission to accomplish. Their own needs are not greater than the others'. They do not love themselves more than they love others. Their source is the presence of God in their lives and for this reason they are able to

love. Their motivation is the Holy Spirit. Their lives are under his power and protection. Without the Spirit you cannot be God's volunteer. Those who are not God's volunteers seek their own interest. These people are envious, love themselves are full of self pity and there is no love in their relationships. This is the opposite of volunteering and being ready to make sacrifices. Those people do not have peace; God does not rule their lives and souls. They see themselves as the most important and they are prisoners of their own aims and ambitions.

They need freedom, love, security and peace. They need a helper who lives a life these people desire to

“Serve the LORD  
with gladness...”

have, who lives a life which is worth living, real and good. They need God's people, God's volunteers are able to help.

Love given freely cannot be bought and it does not work for money. It is God's love that moves the voluntary worker. The worker depends on God- He is the source. The life Jesus had on earth proves it. He was with his disciples because He was like us. He became the friend of sinners and gave His life for His friends so they may have life. His mission is His followers' mission. Everyday life is not free and we need finance to live. The almighty God provides our needs and we experience that. To serve meaningfully, to be in a mission you have to be a volunteer.

Zoltán Kovács



## *Milestones*

The beginning of 2013 was a significant turning point for the Menedék (Refuge) Foundation, for our very first full time worker Géza Huszár stopped his active service. We looked back over the last 27 years and we had a small celebration and thanked him for his pioneer work. We are thankful for the fruits: in Budafok, in Bodrog and in Budafok the Menedék ministry: social institutes educational and church work started. We are thankful that through the ministry we could experience God's miracles and power when ruined lives were built up again and when abandoned children received new families and hope and a future.

The new institute manager of the Mother's Shelter is Zsuzsanna Szilágyi.

We want to strengthen the relationships the Foundation has with churches. We are ready to visit fellowships and churches to share about our work and ministry. Géza Huszár will organize these visits in the future.



*Zsuzsanna Szilágyi and Géza Huszár*

## *27 years of service at the Menedék (Refuge) Foundation*

Together with my family and colleagues we celebrated and remembered the last 27 years. First I tried to receive the greetings meekly then I recognized that I do not have to for what had happened was for the glory of God and He could use even myself. We saw pictures about the past and we shared about today and the future.

I was the first full time worker employed by Menedék. I was there right from the beginning and could help in every area of the ministry.

27 years ago I worked in a secondary school and felt that I should serve among the needy. *"What do you want Lord? I received this work place from you yet you give me a different task now."* For six months or so I was asking the Lord, reading the Bible to see God's will. One day I said: *"So Lord, answer me today through your Word for me today, please."* That morning I read from Matthew 25 from verse 31 till the end of the chapter. Who are the ones you send me to? Those who are hungry, who are thirsty, who are strangers, who need clothes, who are sick, who are in prison. I thank God for the clear answer. A few days later I told in the school that I want to work for Menedék full time from 1st February 1986. The headmaster and the staff understood for they had known about our service in Menedék. Thanks to God for answering and inviting me to this ministry.

I needed that specific call greatly. Soon we received several attacks and the main question was: *"Who is your mandatory?" "The Lord himself."* It means that I am responsible and countable first of all before Him. People said, and even today say that whatever Menedék does is just a drop in the ocean. But water drops make the ocean. God is not going to report us about the ocean but about the drops. James writes that *"if anyone, then, knows the good they ought to do and doesn't do it, it is sin for them."*

I will be 72 this year. Many young people cannot find work- or ministry- because us the "elderly" want to see successors who do more and better job than ourselves. But if we stay they do not even have a chance to gain experiences the ministry requires. Yes, the next worker won't be like me (maybe it is good) but she/he will be an



obedient young Christian with the task to fulfill. I would leave now Lord if it is time to go and if you provide the right person. And the Lord provided: our sister in Christ, Zsuzsanna Szilágyi works now as the institute manager from 1st January 2013. May God richly bless her.

I still have many good opportunities: every day I can pray for the needy, for those who are under our care and for the fellow workers.

I wait upon the Lord, seeking His will in my life. Do you want to use me, still, Lord? This question came up when three of my long-continued illnesses changed. First my inmedicable Hepatitis C infection was gone. Then my very high blood pressure (170-180) changed due to medicines (120-126). Diet and losing weigh helped me a lot (I lost 27-30 kgs) so my hypertonic can be handled.

The third was my serious diabetes. I needed insulin and I had to have a diet and lose weight. It was a great challenge to measure and to eat six times a day. I asked my heavenly Father to free me from that annoyance. Once I forgot to have the insulin yet the next time my rates were better. I had a great joy and gave thank to the Lord and I forgot to use insulin yet my glycohaemia was improving! So for one and a half year I had a very strict diet and praised the Lord. This year in January I had to go to the hospital for checking and for a change in the insulin type. The doctors were satisfied with the rates I had but they were in panic when I told them that for 18 months I had not used the insulin. It is written in my papers that "the patient did not agree with taking insulin in the future." Just to make sure I was given some tablets I have to take twice a day and meanwhile my blood sugar rate turned from pretty good to excellent. Thanks to God.

What gives me joy and what I know for sure is that by every passing day I/we get closer to the Lord Jesus and to the place He had prepared for us in heaven.

So the works of the Lord like this. 12 years ago the doctors said that I had only 6 months here on earth. At that time it was wonderful news to hear, even today I remember that time with an excitement children have. And the time will come again and I long for it. Meanwhile I do what He wants me to do why He keeps me here I praise and worship him and I live with him.

Géza Huszár

## BUDAPEST NEWS

### MOTHER'S SHELTER

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#### *Introduction*

*"The Lord is good, a refuge in times of trouble. He cares for those who trust in him."* (Nahum 1:7) This is the leading verse of the Menedék (Refuge) Foundation and this verse has helped me again and again when I have had difficulties in my life. According to the perfect plan of God in my life I joined the Foundation, and since 1st January 2013 I have been the institute manager of the Mother's Shelter.

This change in the management does not mean a change in the spiritual background of the ministry. It is important to keep and to show and live the grace of God and the Gospel as servants in front of the mothers and their children, so they may know the Lord Jesus as their personal saviour. To help is not an aim but rather a tool in this ministry. I believe that the only solution people's lives is if they accept Jesus, through the seeds sown into their hearts. For me it is important that both the mums and the children who are residents at the Shelter may get to know the source of Life. My desire is that they may experience that they have just only a physical refuge (e.g.: they have a shelter to live) but also a spiritual one. *"The eternal God is your refuge, and underneath are the everlasting arms."* (Deut. 33:27)

I want them to understand and trust in the Lord who not only saved their lives but cares for them every day. *"Praise be to the Lord, to God our Saviour who daily bears our burdens."* (Psalm 68:19)

I am very thankful to God that he put me here and that we have experienced his great blessings. We would like to thank not only God but the people who help this ministry by providing rolls from the bakery, food, toys etc. We indeed can proclaim, that *"The Lord is good, a refuge in times of trouble. He cares for those who trust in him"* (Nahum 1:7)

Zsuzsanna Szilágyi



## *News from the Mother's Shelter*

As the carers living in the Shelter we celebrated Christmas for the last time with the residents. It has been a privilege for years to celebrate with those who cannot go anywhere else to celebrate with others. It was a special experience to see the shining eyes and hear the people: "it meant a lot..." (Reni) "...it was a nice experience" (Anita) "I will never forget..." (Rita) "...we thank you for everything" (Beatrix).

I am thankful for our supporters, for the gift we received and for the rich supper we had. I am thankful for our sons who played the guitar and shared their faith in the Lord Jesus.

My husband Tivadar has planned to end his service here and he will have new tasks in the future. It means that we will move out and won't be living here. I will come to work from home.

There have been some changes in the Mother's Shelter. Many times we said goodbye to families and also to workers: in September, Mrs. Ágnes Sinka a child minder finished her service with us; Mrs. Erika Seres left for maternity leave in December; Ms. Csilla Szántó left to start another job; Géza Huszár stopped being the institute manager in December and Tivadar Molnár ended his work for the Foundation in January. May God bless their lives and their future.

Mrs. Ágnes Bóka Mischinger and Mrs. Józsa joined us as child minders. Zsuzsanna Szilágyi is the new institute manager and Andrea Halász, a psychologist, helps us part time.

It is a joy to see the play room filled each evening for games and crafts. We plan to start a group for teenagers too.



On Mondays we gather in the fellowship room to read the Word of God and to worship.

At Easter time OM Hungary Foundation came and led an Ester club for our children with crafts and activities.

The renovation work carries on in the building. We receive help from Pál Bartolák, fellow worker in the Men's Shelter.

Mrs. Marianna Molnár

## *A Refuge for me*

My name is Mrs. Katalin Józsa and I have worked as a child minder in the Mother's Shelter since January 2013.

My parents got divorced when I was one and I do not have any brothers or sisters. I grew up with my mother in my granny's home where there was a big family together. They were not Christians but the family atmosphere was great and they cared for me. Between the ages of 6 to 18, every second year my facial nerve palsy came back. What I had experienced in hospital formed my personality: I was told a lie that I would see a squirrel whenever they took me to the hospital- it made me rebellious. Then, although half of my face was misshapen for six months, I felt perfectly healthy and I did not have any pain. Then I saw children crying and having epileptic seizures. I helped them as much as I could and it was good to help.

My family was afraid for me and protected me too much. I became a silent, good, but clumsy child. I was 12 when something new happened. There was a painting on the wall at home- it was about Jesus washing the disciples' feet and I was interested in it so I asked my grandparents about it. "Shhh! We do not talk about this much" (this was in the mid 70s) so I put together what I heard: that there was a good man, he called himself the Son of God and he helped everyone. My grandfather told me that I was baptised as a baby in the Fasori Reform (Presbyterian) Church because my father was a Presbyterian. My grandfather always had time for me, he taught me a lot and even got me a Presbyterian doctrine book for children, telling me to hide it and not to talk about it with anyone. I read the first ten pages of the book and I found it boring, so I left it. But I learnt two prayers from it and



each morning and each evening I said these prayers and I remember I asked God to make me a good person when I grew up. As a teenager I was rebellious and disobedient. I attended rock concerts. I started running and swimming and aikido and I became physically fit. I worked with horses and I learnt to be an administrator.

I was 16 when I met my husband at a rock concert. We were 21 when we got married and the whole family was against it- only my grandfather and the witnesses came to our wedding. My husband grew up in state care. We wanted to have many children and difficulties came. We lost our first 4 children early in premature birth. I was very disappointed with life and about the future. As I was expecting the fourth baby I had to be in hospital, I was discouraged. There was a mother who was visited often by many people. I was surprised that she had so many brothers and sisters. She told me that they were brothers and sisters in the Lord Jesus. I listened to her. She told me about sin, confession, about Jesus Christ and his work to save sinners, God used this mother to tell me the Good News. I was not able to pray I went into the bathroom to be alone. I said: *"I do not believe in you Jesus Christ, but if you do exist I want to believe in you and please come into my heart."* I cried a lot. I had inner peace, went back to the room and shared it with the mother. She rejoiced with me and said that I had been converted. The following day I lost my baby-I had to have a premature birth but I felt protected. It was like watching a sad film but I did not have a pain inside for I knew that life would get better. My Christian sister went home.

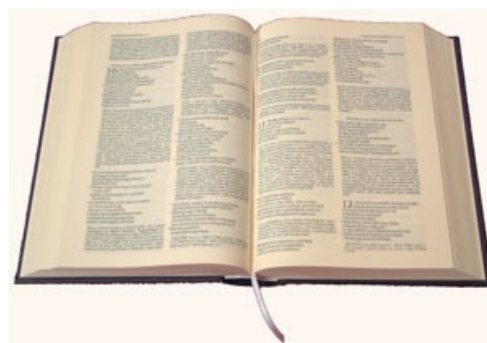
A few months later we were invited to attend evangelism on a ship where we heard the story of the blind man in Jericho. The question there was for me: *"What do you want me to do for you?"* *"Lord, I want to see"*, he replied. Jesus said to him, *"Receive your sight; your faith has healed you."* (Lk 18: 41,42) I put my hand up for I wanted to walk in the narrow road. My husband nearly put his hand up (he did not). I started attending the Baptist Church in József Street and I was baptised on 18th June 1989. Since then God answered prayer and two healthy children were born. My daughter is 22 and my son is 15.

My son became a Christian but my husband and my daughter do not walk in faith yet. Sadly my

husband was unemployed for 10 years so I had to change my beloved administration work to work in the healthcare service. I did typing for 10-12 hours a day in the government office and I studied at the Baptist Theology Academy to be a social worker and a counsellor. I was not able to concentrate on my studies during my final year. I became unemployed in November 2012 and I searched for work in vain. I turned to my heavenly Father with the words of Psalm 9: 10: *"Those who know your name trust in you, for you, Lord, have never forsaken those who seek you."* (this verse parallel with Nahum 1:7). I confessed what I had to and I trusted. I asked the Lord to make it possible for me to work among Christians. After a church service I heard from Gábor Liptai that there might be a place for voluntary work at Menedék.

I went there and applied for the job. What I experienced there gave me a desire to work but I was not sure about God's will. As I prayed together with the staff after our meeting God made it clear. I spoke to Zoltán Kovács who told me that I could be a full time worker from the following morning. There was a great joy and thanksgiving in my heart. This place is a refuge for me too. I work among fellow Christians and I help others with responsibility. I want to show hope to the people under our care, letting them know that Jesus Christ is the One who can restore their lives.

Mrs. Katalin Józsa





## MEN'S SHELTER

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### *Spring in the Men's Shelter*

Thanks to God's work among us there have been significant changes in the life of the fellowship in the Men's Shelter since January. Now every resident treats the Shelter as his own and takes part in work in the fellowship building activities without being asked or ordered to. We work around the Shelter, we cook together and we plan to work in the yard. As we work and live together or sit round the table we can talk a lot about God and godly values and about God's will in our lives. We have a Bible study on Sundays and we can discuss issues about Christianity and about the Almighty God every day. In the evenings, to my great joy, most of the residents attend the quiet time after dinner. Our residents have different backgrounds and are aged between eighteen and forty four. I am happy that for more and more of them God given values are important. It is my joy that they trust me and turn to me as their friend. My desire is to see the Men's Shelter as a real refuge for those who arrive here in need. I am very thankful to God for the changes we experience in our fellowship and we are becoming like a family, living according to Christian values.

Pál Bartolák

### *A Step Forward*

In our previous newsletter we shared Attila Orschelbacher's particular need. Attila needs a special magnifier machine to read. Thank you for the gifts- the 60 thousands forint were collected. We wait for permission from health insurance authorities to buy that machine. It is a joy also that Attila has got a part time job as a packing agent together with other people with disabilities.

Gábor Liptai

### *By Grace Alone*



First of all I want to say thank you for the opportunity to share about God's grace. My name is Vilmos Glonczy, I am 43 years old. I am a father of four lovely children and a happy husband of a kind and sympathizing wife.

I spent most of my childhood in state care because my parents had abandoned me. After primary school I wanted to learn the painting and decorating trade.

Sadly, due to my laziness and drinking, I was not able to complete my studies. Sadly I was addicted and I became a dealer too. My life situation got more and more brutal so both mentally and physically my life was destroyed. I ended up in an institute for drug addicts where they tried to help me for eight years. Now I know that without God this cannot be successful.

In 2004 I was in coma for a week because of heroin. When I was conscious again I decided to look for something or someone who would be able to take away my agony.

On 16th December in 2006 together with my wife I was baptised, got married and dedicated our children to the Lord in the Budapest Agape Fellowship.

It is my firm belief, having been tempted in the world, that only God can change and form our lives according to the Scriptures. At present I live in the Men's Shelter and my wife stays in a mothers' home together with the children. Despite this situation we trust in God and our aim is to have a solid family life once again.

We receive a lot of help in the Shelter where we can experience God's love and care, so we are not discouraged. We try our best to parent our children according to the Bible. We want to find a home and employment and want to give everything we can to our children by God's provision. I want to thank God for not leaving us with our deep problems and for helping us fully by grace. I thank God for the opportunity to share about his changing power and grace. May God bless you all. Yours faithfully,

Vilmos Glonczy



## BODROG NEWS

### “THE LORD IS GOOD”

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#### Events

In January and February we had prayer weeks with the nearby churches. On 6th February Árpád Révész, an evangelist served among us and many people heard the Good News. Let us pray for the seeds that were sown.

On 8th-9th February we had a group from the Word of Life Bible Institute. They performed a drama called “Hope for a New Life” and held outreach meetings in Kaposvár, Kürtöspusztá, Nikla and Bodrog.

In February we held a fancy dress ball at our institute. Children and adults, young and old enjoyed the fun together.

On 4th- 11th March our church joined the Pro-Christ satellite evangelism group from Stuttgart. Over eight evenings we were able to follow the colourful programme with music, interviews and preaching of the Word of God by Ulrich Parzany.

On 2nd-10th April we hosted a team from Jesse Remington High School, USA. The ACSI member Christian School came to Bodrog for a mission trip. They were involved in Bible and English lesson teaching and helped with the building project in the attic of the BOK. We are very thankful for the blessed time and fellowship with them.



#### Our needs

As we have already shared in the previous news letter, we need to renovate the playground to meet EU standards. The extension work in the attic of the BOK building is carrying on as we are creating storage rooms for the school. Both projects cost approximately 5-5 million HUF. We thank you for your faithful prayer, financial and practical support towards our ministry. We are thankful for the support we have received so far. Please pray that that the necessary resources will become available for these projects.

Mrs. Ottilia Selmeczi

## NETWORK OF FOSTERING FAMILIES (NECSAK)

We would like to extend the Network, and look for families who are interested in fostering. The children’s homes are full and there are not enough fostering families in Hungary. Children need to be in families as it is the best and most effective way of helping them. NECSAK is advertising the fostering ministry by sending out an appeal to many churches. We ask you to pray about this, that may God call couples to join in this important ministry among the needy children.

## SAS ALAPÍTVÁNY - “HELP IS QUICK TO ACT” FOUNDATION

We have started a new ministry, supported by “The Lord is Good” Baptist Church. It is the Help is Quick to Act (SAS) Foundation and the founder is pastor Zsolt Paróczi.

The aim of this ministry is to help those who live in poverty through no fault of their own, both in Bodrog and in 8-10 nearby villages, by giving them practical help: supporting them physically, spiritually and mentally to manage everyday life.

We asked the mayors and from family workers to help find the neediest families. We have already visited some and we were stunned to see



individuals and families living in such poor conditions in the surrounding area. We gave them a kilo of bread and a litre of milk and they took them with joy and with weeping eyes. These people do not have the facilities for normal everyday life. They do not have chair or a table to sit at and eat. We have met someone who has been living without electricity for 20 years; he puts the heating on just during the night so as to not to freeze. When we visited that person the outside and the inside temperature was the same. (Since then we have not complained but rather we give thanks whenever we arrive home in the evening and there is 17C in the house). Our main aim is to bring the good news of God to this people as we help them in practical ways. The foundation needs all kinds of support and gift (e.g.: food, clothes, cleaning materials and furniture). We plan to approach Hungarian businesses nearby to ask them for support, sharing our faith with them and let them know that God loves those who give with joy: if they freely scatter their gifts to the poor, God is able to bless them abundantly.

We also want to build relationship with Christians both in Hungary and abroad and ask them to support our ministry in any way. Officially the foundation will be registered in early April. After this we will have a website and a bank account we will share on the webpage of the church and the Refuge Foundation's page. We would like to ask for prayer support that our service may be a blessing both for the needy and for the givers.

Kata and Norbert Erdei

## KISKUNMAJSA NEWS

### TEMPORARY HOME FOR HOMELESS FAMILIES

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*"Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus." (Phil 4:6,7)*

With thanksgiving we give this report about the past six months and we would like to share our pain and difficulties too.

With deep sympathy and pain we have to let you know that we share the grief and the immeasurable pain of the family who live in our institute and who lost their 6 years old daughter Liliána, whom everyone loved very much, in a tragic road accident.

Earlier we wrote about the success our children had in a talent show in Budapest. They received presents from the SOS Crisis Foundation. The children received the rich surprise gifts with great joy - their poor and needy family most likely would not be able to provide such presents for them.

Here we want to thank all the people and churches who generously supported our Christmas celebration.

During the long winter evenings the children learned songs from the child minders, we had our annual fun dress party and the mothers made doughnuts to the great joy of the children. We had our spring cleaning in the church hall and we also cleaned the garden collecting the branches and the leaves. Both were hard work and a good opportunity for team work and to strengthen the fellowship.

In February the director of the Petőfi House in Kiskőrös visited us. She gave us a lecture on the life of Sándor Petőfi and we listened to his poems being recited and sang.







With thanksgiving in our hearts we can share that a cake and bakery businessmen gave us financial support to renovate one of the flats. We were able to buy new furniture to make the flat cosy. The baker gives us fresh rolls and cakes each day- we are very thankful for this generous support.



The second child of our staff member, Mrs. Szilvia Valentovich, Áron was born. We greet the family with the verse from Psalm 127 *"Children are a heritage from the LORD, offspring a reward from him."*

György Antal

## TEMPORARY HOME FOR THE HOMELESS

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16 years ago, on 17<sup>th</sup> March 1997 the first five conquerors arrived to the former Russian army base. I remember their stories of what they had seen and experienced in the uninhabited Refuge Town. They spent their first nights in the Tea - bus and the water was frozen in the wash basin. But they were dedicated in spite of the difficulties and challenges and with prayerful hearts they accomplished what God had entrusted them with. When I visited the Refuge Town for the first time in April 2000, I saw and met a living fellowship here. Everyone was busy working. There were animals and vegetable gardens to help self-sufficiency. At that time the residents spent their time and their daily activities together: they had their meals together, went to church services together on Thursdays and

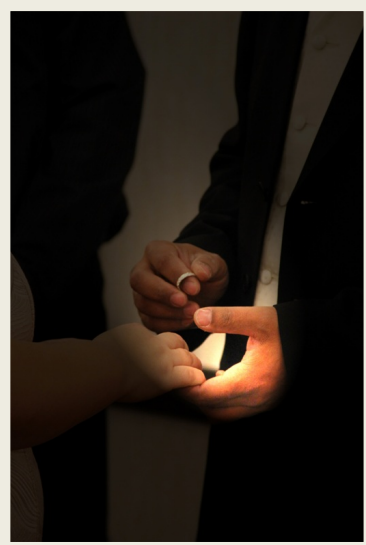
Sundays, went to the spa on Saturdays and worked together.

16 years have passed. New people and new faces have arrived; the children born at that time have grown up and become taller than me. Names bring memories and some we have forgotten. We have changed too, and we have become wiser. The years are passing by, but three things have not changed: the covenant of God, the grace of God and the task He has for us. He promises the same things and He expects the same things from us. His guidance is real, although many things have now changed. There are lots of laws we have to keep and sometimes we wonder where humanity is among the rules. We treat the needy as fellow men, for we were once needy ourselves and we have the example Géza Huszár gave to us follow as one of the conquerors.

At present there are 50 places in the Temporary Home for the homeless and this year was the first year at full capacity. As a staff we meet new challenges and gain new experiences every day because of the difficult situations in people's lives. We try our best to help yet sometimes we ourselves are the obstacles to the solution because we do not trust enough or we underestimate the wisdom and grace of God. Or sometimes we miss the direction and we do not look up but down. Sometimes I wonder why, because I know the truth of 1Jn 4:14:a: *"And so we know and rely on the love God has for us."* - due to his love we are still here.

At present eight of us work here at the Temporary Home for the Homeless. We are very different but we know that GOD has called us here and has given this difficult task to us.

Why do I say that it is difficult? Because the rushing world tells us to be impersonal but we cannot. We believe that we should know each individual who is under our care. It is important for us to know how and where they go on from here. We try our best to share the love we receive from Jesus. And we meet difficulties. We find it difficult to find a place for the elderly with their small amount of money because at present there are not enough homes for the elderly around us. We would like the young ones to leave this place so that they are able to live in the world and stand firm, giving them a good foundation for their lives. We see the middle



aged as those who have slipped and then stood up, taking a rest here to continue their journey up the hill. So we carry on with our task with the help of God. Sometimes we are weary and weep, but with clean hearts. We give thanks to the LORD that He is

faithful to his covenant with us and to our FAMILIES. I know that without our family members, wives, husbands, parents and children it would very difficult or even impossible to walk this road. After God, our families are the ones who help us most, and for this I want to thank them. For our ministry is made whole with them and whatever we have is a gift of God.

Today after 16 years since the beginning we are still conquerors in the Menedék Town. We are conquerors not on earth but of the heaven that we long for. *"Thanks be to God for his indescribable gift!" (2Corinthians 9:15)*

Mrs. Éva Bogdán-Csató

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