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NEWSLETTER

NICOSIA MERCY CENTRE

*Serving the needy in the
local community since 2009*



Dear Supporters and Friends,

This is the **10th** edition of our **quarterly Newsletter**. We value you very much and we would like to keep you updated on what is going on in and through Nicosia Mercy Centre (NMC) in our local community. We believe that this will encourage you as you partner with us, enabling you to see for yourselves the fruit of your contribution through NMC. You can read more news on page 2!...

Summer is here! We remind you that NMC will be closed for the month of August so we have one more month of service before our summer break. See you all again in September!



**Standing in line to receive
the food parcels**



**Our volunteers preparing
the food parcels**



Meal portion

We are happy that we are still able to meet the ever-increasing numbers of people in need thanks to our faithful cooking teams and volunteers who stand by our side!

Dear Supporters and Friends,

Time flies! We are half way through 2022. The first month of summer is already gone and we only have one more month left before our summer break in August!

Numbers have stayed more or less the same and we are still giving out about **150** take-away food parcels every Wednesday evening. Friday numbers are still at about **100** people, serving sandwiches and hot coffee and giving out parcels with dry food (e.g. pasta, rice, sugar, jam, various canned food, etc.) that people can use to cook and eat during the week.

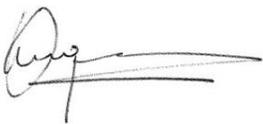
We would like to especially thank **Reto Cyprus** for their valuable help and contribution as they provide us with food, pastries and bread on a regular basis.

Once again we would like to ask you to share with your team/congregation our need for volunteers to either cook, pick up food supplies, help with serving the food into containers, cleaning, etc. Of course we welcome monetary donations, regardless how small. As you know we still have to pay rent on a monthly basis, various bills, and also buy all the disposable items, e.g. cutlery, containers, plastic bags, napkins, gloves, etc. Sometimes we even have to buy the food from a rotiserie, when some of the cooking teams cannot cook for us.

We remind you that due to lack of adequate storage space we cannot accept donations in kind at the moment (e.g. clothes, shoes, beddings, kitchen utensils, etc). We will be able to do so once we manage to rent our own place which will hopefully have a couple of storage rooms. We still have not managed to find the right place yet, but we will keep looking for the right opportunity to arise. Please let us know if you happen to know of such a place that could house our services, ideally in downtown Nicosia.

Once again, **we thank you** for partnering with us thus far and hope to see you all again in September. We wish you all a great summer!

With sincere thanks,



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