Christadelphian Israeli Children's Fund And I will bless them that bless thee... Genesis 12:3

May 25, 2024

Greetings, Brothers and Sisters in our Lord Jesus Christ.

In 1943, the Jerusalem Children's Home was established to care for children traumatized by the Holocaust. It has continuously provided care and effective treatment for vulnerable children with severe mental health problems resulting from family dysfunction amidst constant threats of war and terrorism. The *Christadelphian Israeli Children's Fund* (CICF) was founded to support the Children's Home, now known as *The Jerusalem Hills Therapeutic Centers* (JHTC).



Israel Isolated as Prophesied

The world was shocked on October 7, 2023 as Hamas fighters killed about 1200 civilians and took 240 hostages from southern Israel. Initial sympathy faded and world opinion turned due to the devastation of Gaza by Israeli forces seeking to eliminate Hamas terrorists hiding among civilian homes, hospitals and schools. Antisemitism is sweeping the western world and college campuses across North America. The stage appears set for the invasion of Israel by surrounding Islamic nations (Psalm 83, Zech. 12-14) and its ultimate rescue by the returning Messiah.

Impact on the Children of Israel

A quarter to a third of the the Home's children are from southern Israel, so they or their families were directly affected by the Hamas attack. This and continuing rocket attacks on all Israel have added to the challenges faced by their care teams, making this an especially difficult year for all.

What does CICF do?

From 1970 through the end of 2023, Christadelphians have supported the Home through CICF with cumulative gifts totalling almost **\$750,000**. <u>One hundred percent</u> of donations are transferred by CICF to the Home's registered charity partners in the USA and Canada. The partners issue tax receipts and transfer the funds net of expenses to support ongoing care and treatment of Israeli children.

See page 2 for new JHTC video for CICF and more info...

CICF Committee: Judy Farrar, Barbara Leachman, Ian McPhee, Mary Pike

www.cicfund.org

In the name of Jesus for the Hope of Israel

How to Donate?

Donations and *in memory* gifts for the Home can be made most conveniently by credit card online at <u>www.cicfund.org</u>. If preferred, you may still mail checks/cheques to the treasurer's postal address below. In order for tax receipts to be lawfully issued for the year, mailed donations must be received <u>by December 15th</u> to permit bank processing and transfer to the Home's charity partners by year end. **US checks** should be payable to **CICF**. **Canadian cheques** must be payable to **Canada Charity Partners**, referencing **Jerusalem Hills** in the memo/subject area at bottom left.

Treasurer: Barbara Leachman 20-1550 Gordon Street Guelph, ON N1L 1C7 Canada

Yours in the Hope of Israel,

lan McPhee, Chair

Announcing:

JHTC has produced a new video to show some examples of their work supported by CICF donors. You may view it on YouTube at https://youtu.be/h8nfRCz9U30

From the video:

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For information on supporting the Children's home through Christadelphian Israeli Children's Fund, please visit

www.cicfund.org/donate



Current information about the Home http://www.childrenshome.org.il/en

Current CICF information https://www.cicfund.org/

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