



# CANADIAN NEWS

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## The Lord builds up Jerusalem

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Dear Canadian Jewish Missions Partner,

Shalom in Messiah's Name! A few weeks ago, during our Shabbat service at the Toronto congregation, we read Psalm 147 as part of our worship. We also sang an old song based on verses two and three, which say:

*"The Lord builds up Jerusalem;  
he gathers the outcasts of Israel.  
He heals the broken hearted  
and binds up their wounds."*

This is exactly what the Lord is doing today among the children of Israel, here in Canada and around the world. He is building up Jerusalem and the whole country of Israel with Jewish people moving there from other countries, but particularly from Ukraine and Russia.

God is even using the growing antisemitism – as you will read about in *The Chosen People* this month – to gather "the outcasts of Israel" and bring them to Eretz Yisrael, the Land of Israel.

### Refugee Families

In Canada, we are welcoming Jewish families from Russia and Ukraine who are truly "broken hearted" as a result of

the ongoing war. The sense of devastation and loss they carry with them is noticeable as they arrive with whatever they were able to salvage.

But, at the same time, we see hope in their eyes when they are offered a helping hand in their new country. We see God's hand touching their lives and slowly healing their wounds as every new day brings new opportunities to rebuild their families.

Of course, there are many challenges to overcome: the language barrier, new customs and culture, finding an affordable home or a decently paying job.

But with God's help, and through sacrificial gifts

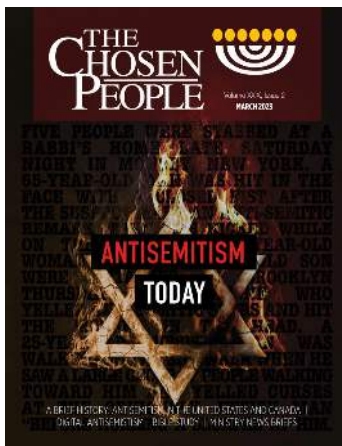
from many Partners in Ministry like you, we have been able to assist several new families with travel, rent, food, job placement and other basic necessities.

Several Jewish Ukrainian families who have arrived in Toronto

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**Thank you for your prayers and faithful financial support as we share the Good News of Jesus the Messiah with Jewish people across Canada and around the globe!**

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and Winnipeg are already believers in Jesus. They have found warmth in our congregations as we have welcomed them with open arms. They are already actively participating in our services – some helping with the children, others running the audio/video systems, and others leading various acts of worship.

God is not only building up Jerusalem and Israel, but also His Kingdom with Jews and Gentiles from all nations who put their trust and hope in Jesus the Messiah!

## The Festival of Purim

This month we celebrate one of the most fun and hope-filled feasts of Israel – Purim! Recorded in the Book of Esther, today we remember God's miraculous deliverance of the Jewish people who were scattered over the Persian Empire.

In synagogues around the world, children – and some adults – dress up in biblical costumes representing the main characters of the story: King Ahasuerus, Queen Vashti, Mordecai (the hero), Queen Esther (the heroine) and, of course, Haman (the villain).

The way God orchestrated the circumstances of this story to turn doom into victory and hopelessness into joy is just amazing! God fulfilled His promise to protect Israel from her enemies so that, at the appointed time, the Messiah would come to redeem them and the whole world from sin.

And just as God has done throughout history, He is preserving and protecting Israel so the Messiah will come a second time to reign from His throne in Jerusalem as King of kings and Lord of lords! What an awesome God we have. What a privilege we have as His children to reign with Him in His kingdom forever!



## Messiah Will Return!

As we see more and more Jewish people from all backgrounds and nations come to faith in Yeshua HaMashiach, Jesus the Messiah, we sense that the time for Israel's full redemption is near.

With your prayers and financial support, you are helping your Mission to the Jews accomplish this task. We do it through personal evangelism, door-to-door witnessing, Messianic congregations, Bible studies and all the media outlets at our disposal.

Thank you for your partnership in Jewish evangelism and missions. The time is short and only God knows when the door of opportunity for the salvation of many Jewish and non-Jewish people will close.

Every minute counts and every gift is important to bring each child, youth and adult to the feet of the Saviour.

May the Lord continue to bless you as you bless others!

Until all Israel is saved,

Jorge Sedaca  
Executive Director



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