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| Hello Dear Friends,I need your help to lift a burden for **one of TCI’s staff members who is going through a very difficult time right now.**Our professor, Nataly Marukhno, and her husband, pastor Vitaly, live in an unfinished garage without electricity, heat, or running water. Their two small children and Nataly’s elderly grandma lives with them. Winter is coming and this family needs your help!**Would you** **please give a gift today of $50 to provide emergency assistance to the Marukhno family?**Let me tell you more about their situation.Nataly is one of TCI’s professors. She is currently working on her Ph.D. Her husband Vitaly is a TCI alumnus. He is a bi-vocational pastor and has recently planted a church in Kherson. Their church is still very small, and it cannot support Vitaly and his family. Vitaly teaches Law at a local high school to help make ends meet.   |

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| The Marukhno family  |

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| For several years their family lived in 10’ x 15’ dorm room with no kitchen and bathroom. Two years ago the state gave them a plot of land to build a house. Vitaly used funds he had saved, and with the help of friends, he was able to build a fence and a garage on that plot last winter. Vitaly lived alone in the unfinished facility all last winter to guard the property and his materials from opportunistic thieves. In January, he came down with pneumonia.  |

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| Garage, where the Marukno family lives  |

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| This summer the whole family moved to the unfinished facility because they couldn’t afford rent anywhere else. Unfortunately, Nataly’s elderly grandma became handicapped and Nataly had to move her to their unfinished garage because she is her only relative.Today this family still lives in the unfinished garage. **They do not have funds to connect to available electricity and water.**They are carrying water from a neighbor’s house in plastic bottles. Vitaly’s friends want to help him finish building the house, but the family does not have the funds needed for materials and winter is rapidly approaching.  |

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| Recently a church agreed to a **1:1 matching gift up to $8,000**, if Vitaly could raise his part. The deadline for this matching gift is **December 1, 2020**. Vitaly cannot raise these funds alone even with the help of other Kherson churches and friends.I am very concerned about Nataly and Vitaly, as winter is coming soon and it will be extremely difficult for them to live in that unfinished facility with five people.**You can change this by sending a gift today.**Your gift will help Vitaly and Nataly to complete their house and equip it with electricity, heat, and running water. **Please send your gift now. Your gift will double if you send it before December 1.**Thank You!  |

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|     Valentine Siniy,    President of TCI  |

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| **TO HELP WITH THIS NEED:**Make checks payable to: TCIMail checks to:Plainfield Christian Church800 Dan Jones Rd., Plainfield, IN 46168**Specify the need:** Vitaly and Nataly's house  |

PS Your gift today will provide much-needed relief and safety for Vitaly, Nataly, and their family.**Remember your gift will double if it is received by December 1, 2020!**   |

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