

Baptist Charities

A Church Based Charity

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For ye know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, that, though he was rich, yet for your sakes he became poor, that ye through his poverty might be rich. 2 Corinthians 8:9

On July 2nd, a Syrian refugee camp in the Bakaa Valley in Lebanon burned to the ground. This has left about 700 refugees with nothing. 1 child died in the fire and 7 were injured. We work with Emmanuel Baptist Church, an independent Baptist Church in Beirut, to meet the needs of Syrian refugees in Lebanon. They have an amazing ministry team that has an evangelistic outreach facility in the Bakaa Valley. We are working with them to provide beds, stoves, and other needs for these burned-out refugees. The need is immediate so we are sending \$8,000 from our reserve funds to meet the first basic needs. If you can help please send funds to Rodgers Baptist Church at the address below. Put Refugee Relief in the memo. 100% of your donated funds will go to the need.



Ministering in this camp not only exposes these Muslims to the compassion of Christ, the Gospel, and His people, but it creates contacts in Syria when the refugees are repatriated after the war. Emmanuel Baptist Church has a missionary in Syria who has not retreated to Lebanon during this war. So, Christ already has a beachhead established in Syria! God is working in the Middle East in the middle of all the conflicts. Thanks for your prayers and help. Feel free to call me if you have questions. Larry Jones.

Call if you have questions. Donate through your church. Churches: make checks to Rodgers Baptist Church with Baptist Charities in the memo. If you wish to give to Larry Jones or our expenses put "work fund" in the memo.

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