

2023 Annual Report

Introduction:

Literacy Ministry Ukraine (LMU) became an LEI Member Nation partner in 2021. It provides local literacy teacher training workshops, Bible-based reading primers and coaching of new literacy teachers. In addition, LMU also provides teaching English as a foreign language (EFL). LMU's board consists of 7 board members.

Viktoriia Rohozhnikova graduated from the International Literacy Training Institute in Tulsa, Oklahoma, in August 2018 and has served as a missionary in Ukraine since 2019.

In autumn of 2018 a group of Ukrainians, Polish, Trans Carpathian Romas and Americans (Viktoriia Rohozhnikova, Viktoriia Suponina, Milena Svencicka, Svitlana Tyrpak, Angelina Diord', Iryna Surmai, Ruslan Surmai, Georg Ort, Martha Ort, Virginia Newton) gathered to work on a Ukrainian primer and in April of 2019 it was printed.



Literacy

Ministry

Ukraine



In April of 2020 a team, that included Elena Kozinets, Viktoriia Rohozhnikova, Milena Svencicka, Anatoliy Shkarin, Virginia Newton, Georg Ort and Martha Ort, revised the Russian primer for literacy students "Zaria Pravdy" (Заря правды) and LMU published new version of the primer with a new title "Doroga k svetu" (Дорога к свету).

Since 2018 there were 5 TTWs (Tutor Training Workshops).

Support during the time of war

In February 2022 Russia attacked Ukraine and occupied some of its territories. Many people moved to other locations and besides Literacy Ministry and EFL Ministry, LMU also have supported many individuals and families providing food packages and bottled water, vegetables and flour, medicine and reading glasses, hygiene items and laundry powder, clothes, shoes and funds to support people in need as well, sharing the Good News with them. Over 2,250.00 dollars were received and distribuited to help those in need.



EFL Ministry: In spite of the war for most part of 2023, English as a Foreign Language continued both online and as in-person classes. Especially among the younger generation there is a great need and interest for learning English. A lot of children now do distance learning as it is impossible to have classes at school





buildings in many areas of Ukraine due to air attacks and ruined school buildings. As a result, many of the children require to have additional help with a school program.

Also EFL became a part of Youth Ministry in the Living Well Church and up to 40 teenagers are reached through English classes,

because the inclusive approach is based on God's word.



Literacy Ministry:



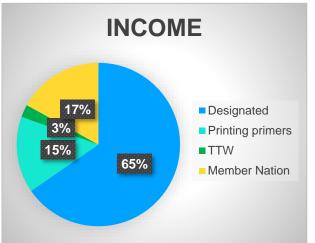
Previous year there wasn't a possibility to have TTW, but in 2023 LMU held one TTW in Ivano-Frankivsk, West Ukraine, for a group of potential tutors, who have their ministries among Roma people, and two of them were Roma themselves. As a result, there were 4 literacy students in Odessa, South Ukraine, both children and adults.



Ministry Statistics:

Literacy Classes:	3	EFL Classes:	20
Sessions/ Meetings	19	EFL Sessions/ Meetings	290
Literacy Students:	4	(online, individuals, in-person)	
-		EFL Students:	55

Ministry Finances and Resources



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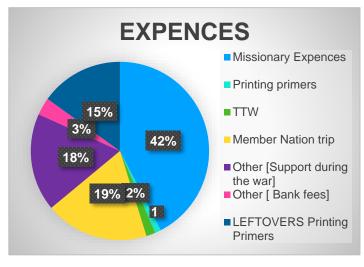
1. Designated

a. Missionary support & ministry needs \$9,164.92

- b. Project support
 - printing primers **\$2,118.96** [2.048.28 received]
 - TTW in May **\$350.00**

2. Other. Trip to LEI Member Nation meeting (once every 5 years) **\$2,382.00**

Total \$12,310.52



- 1. Missionary Expenses \$ 5,378.55
- 2. Program/Organization
- #1 printing 50 sets of A5 Ukrainian primer (April-May, 2023) **\$137.15**
- TTW in May **\$211.65**
- 3. Other

a. Trip to Member Nation meeting: air tickets **\$2,198.83**, hotel **\$52.31**, bus tickets **\$130.86** (**\$2,382.00**)

- b. Support during the time of the war **\$2,250.00**
- c. Bank fees **\$140.00+\$263.00**

LEFTOVER: Printing costs: **\$1,911.13**

Planned

Unfortunately, we had to postpone printing of the primers as the printing company lacked special type of glue as for December, 2023.

- #2 printing 200 sets of A4 Ukrainian primer (January, 2024) new printing place, so we need to check up the quality before printing the stack of books.
- #3 printing 150 sets of A5 Ukrainian primer; 100 sets each A4 and A5 Russian primer) (February-March, 2024)

Prayer Requests: Please lift up the following prayer needs:

- For the war to be over soon;
- For those people who due to the difficult times come to hear God's Word and are open to accept Jesus;
- For opportunities to teach TTWs in 2024;
- For literacy and EFL students to grow in their faith and capacities.

Thank you for your support and interest in literacy and EFL ministry in Ukraine.

Gratefully,

Viktoriia Rohozhnikova, Literacy Consultant Ukraine

for Literacy Ministry in Ukraine