

# Orphan Grain Train

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Women for Justice assists families in many different villages and regions throughout the Republic of Georgia. [North Dakota Branch volunteers and donors shipped](#) hygiene items, bikes, toys, backpacks, children's items, quilts and clothing which were shared with families living in a very poor settlement which has high unemployment with no financial income. They were so grateful for the donations, especially the gifts that put smiles on the faces of children.



North Dakota Branch's shipment also helped many disabled and elderly people. Medical equipment is difficult to get, let alone affordable. OGT's recipients are always grateful when walkers, wheelchairs, etc. are included on shipments with quilts and clothing.



## *Last Stop: Africa*

Last Friday, Mid-Atlantic Branch volunteers of all ages came to load humanitarian aid for Malawi. Christ Mandate for Missions Church is excited to be receiving the much-needed goods especially during this pandemic. Glory be to God!



## Mid-Atlantic Branch

A new recipient in Honduras sent heartfelt photos of humanitarian aid being shared with families living in poverty and a disabled man. Vision of the Kingdom received the aid from [Central Nebraska Branch in Grand Island](#). Praise be to God!



## International Aid

To see more photos of aid being distributed and of OGT's volunteers loading containers please Visit and Like our Facebook page:

<https://www.facebook.com/orphanraintrain>

Recently [Norfolk warehouse volunteers loaded](#) and delivered 2,600 pounds of frozen chicken tenders to several surrounding senior centers, schools and a daycare. What wonderful blessings this time of the year!

[Rocky Mountain Branch in Julesburg, CO](#) had a local pick up go international. Members from Trinity Lutheran Church in Sterling picked clothing and hygiene kits and gave them to Latino Missionaries. Pastor Pedro Jofre and wife Deaconess Erika delivered the items to Houston which were then put on a container for Honduras. What an amazing journey!

[Maryland Branch volunteers once again distributed winter coats](#) and clothing to Baltimore area churches and a homeless shelter. Many blessings for those in need.

Manna from Heaven in Myra, KY received 4,500 pounds of various foods, furniture, toys, bikes, school kits, medical equipment and other aid from [Wisconsin Branch donors and volunteers](#). What wonderful gifts for families.

## Weekly Devotion

**This Week's Scripture:** *I delight greatly in the Lord; my soul rejoices in my God. For He has clothed me with garments of salvation & arrayed me in a robe of righteousness, as a bridegroom adorns his head like a priest, & as a bride adorns herself with her jewels. For as the soil makes the sprout come up & a garden causes seeds to grow, so the Sovereign Lord will make righteousness & praise spring up before all nations. (Isaiah 61:10-11) His mercy extends to those who fear Him, from generation to generation. (Luke 1:50)*

**Reason to Rejoice** The prophet Isaiah had harsh words of reproach for sinners. "We all, like sheep, have gone astray, & each of us has turned to his own way . . ." (Is. 53:6a) In case you're wondering who is included in Isaiah's reproach, the prophet doesn't mince words. "We all", he proclaims.

During Advent, amidst all the gild & glittering as we prepare to celebrate the birth of our Lord & Savior, we also reflect on the sin that led Jesus to be born, die, & rise again. We are forced to be honest with ourselves & honest before a holy God. We are conceived in sin. We are born sinful. We need a Savior, because on our own we cannot conquer our sinful nature.

The prophet also shares words of comfort. God arrays us in "a robe of righteousness." The evangelist Luke proclaims, "His mercy extends to those who fear Him, from generation to generation." So, rejoice, rejoice! Immanuel, Christ, "God with us," comes to us.

**Prayer:** We confess our sins to you, heavenly Father. We ask for Your forgiveness. We thank & praise You for sending Your Son to be our Savior & Redeemer. In His name we pray. Amen.

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