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Reviving the Catholic Church in Eastern Russia

## Dear Benefactor

December 31, 2016

Happy New Year! Thanks to all the benefactors who have made this a happier new year for the poor recipients of our Soup Kitchen packet of food, mostly folks who can't walk or leave their apartments. I've put just a few of the pictures on the back. And thank you, too, to the Guardian Angels who take care of 70 poor children here in our area. Hopefully they all got a Christmas card from their angel child but I don't have time to check that out—A busy season for sure! And thank you very much for your donation,! It means so much to us that you provide for the people that we serve, not just the Catholics of our region, but also the poor, and the seminarians who are our hope for the future.

I'm starting to get excited about the ordinations and vows scheduled for January, and I'll be travelling to those events just about the time you get this letter. What a blessing to have vocations--young men and women who want to join us! I'll be sure to give you pictures. Ordinations are scheduled in Maumere in Indonesia for January 13, and in Las Vegas, Nevada on Janaury 25. Vows of our sisters are scheduled in Jakarta about January 20, or whenever I can get there!

God bless you! Thank you so much for your help!! The brothers and I pray for you every, every day at the Liturgy of the Hours. And so do the parishioners at daily mass, as we always include our benefactors in the Prayer of the Faithful. I like to pray for each donor as I sign this letter and see the name. God bless you!

Happy New Year! Yours truly,

V Rev Myron Effing, C.J.D.

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To watch our new video, go here: http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dwiQLQzvDPY&feature=youtu.be



Happy New Year!

Just a few of the recipients of the Caritas Soup Kitchen package for Christmas



Soviet County



Alexandra, First of May County



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