

Sunlight Center

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NEWS

Sunlight Center is situated in the Danube Delta area (Dunavatu de Jos, Tulcea County, Romania). Raza Soarelui-Sunlight is the only charity organization in an isolated, perspective limited area. The majority of the local community consists of fishermen that lately have to deal with poor fish catch and the Among the schools of Dunavat and Murighiol we have noticed many children from underprivileged families that have consistently scored very low on school tests and are at risk of school drop out.

Dear friends,

Together with Elisabeth, we have prepared a special event for Mother's Day/8 March 2019. The children in Dunavatu de Jos and Dunavatu de Sus recited poems and joyfully sang the songs through which they thanked God for their mothers. During the socializing time, mothers and children had cakes made by Elisabeth. At the end, the mothers who attended received beautiful flowers, coming from a family close in heart to the Sunlight Centre. The finale can be seen in the large photograph, with all the participants.





We continued our program at the Centre, doing homework with the children in primary school, life lessons from the Bible and recreational activities, all beautiful and attractive to these children lacking too many possibilities.



Because we are close to celebrating the resurrection of Jesus Christ, we also had lessons about this event, followed by a special craft that can be seen in the pictures. For the end, we organized a Kinder Egg Hunt that the children enjoyed very much and took part in with plenty of enthusiasm. What I noticed with the craft is that when I organized it with the children in the city, a craft with many characters involved in the story of the Resurrection, it wasn't very successful. These kids, however, didn't go home until they



finished it and took it home with them to show their parents! Personally, I think that they learned a lot about the death and resurrection of Jesus and the importance of this event to the forgiveness of our sins.

Although the winter in Romania was not very difficult this year, it's still cold even now, and we have to turn the heat on indoors, as the outside temperature is 10 degrees. Thank you to the people who set us firewood.

We thank everyone who is praying for us, it is extraordinary to see the Power of God at work in the lives of these children. And we thank God for His answer to our prayers. We see how he sends people to help us, one of the most recent being someone who actually came to summer camp many times here at the Sunlight Centre, during 1985-2000. Mike and Mary Lou, the volunteers who help us in Sunlight Center, visit Canada before 05 May 2019.

We are still working on improvements necessary to do our activities, but also planting new trees... Trevor Oliver from REACH-UK help us for 10 days. We pray that God will make the work effective and hold it under His guidance.







To close, we wish to all of you that "The Resurection of Jesus bring you peace and joy in your souls, with your loved ones. Happy Easter!"

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