

Mironovski, House of Prayer Church



Location: Mironovski, Donetsk area, Ukraine controlled territory

To confrontation line: 10 kilometers

Population: 7,000

Number of Baptist churches in town: 1

Church members: 30

Pastor: Peter Natalchenko (age 57)



The church in the town of Mironovski was formed in 1992 with 20 members at the beginning.

With the beginning of the war in 2014, the number of needy people and refugees grew and the church became involved in social ministry, distributing food, medicine and clothes and assisting in processing documents. This helped fill the church building with new people. Today there are 30 church members and about 70 more people who come on a regular basis. So in total there are about 100 people at Sunday morning meetings. House of the Gospel was damaged by shelling: the roof, windows and utility building were destroyed, and the building was broken by shrapnel. Work to restore the building is being done at the moment.

There is a Sunday school for children, with about 30 children who come regularly. Several small groups are studying the Bible and ministering to people, and some people are getting ready for water baptism. The majority of the church is ladies – widows and single mothers aged 40 and older.

A Christian summer camp for children is held every year.

The church also is ministering to the needy by providing social aid, visiting homes with the Gospel preached and delivering food aid.

Believers of Mironovski House of Prayer are asking you to pray for:

- people to come closer to the Lord, to be strengthened in faith and to be baptized
- God to give wisdom and health to church ministers
- the war to end and for peace to come
- people to have means to live
- completion of repairs on the House of Prayer

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