Melkite Greek Catholic Patriarchate Parish of Our Lady of the Shepherds Beit Sahour



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To: Christen helfen Christen im Heiligen Land.

Mr. Reinhold Then

Date: 8/11/2024

Subject: A Heartfelt Thank You and a Humble Request

Dear Mr. Then,

We at the Parish of Beit Sahour extend our deepest gratitude for your unwavering support over the years. Your generous contributions have been instrumental in enabling us to uplift our community and enhance our Church.

Your assistance has allowed us to:

- Strengthen our spiritual centre: By funding essential repairs and renovations, you've helped maintain a sacred space for worship and prayer.
- Alleviate suffering: Your support for medical aid has provided much-needed relief to countless individuals, ensuring they have access to vital medications.
- **Nurture young minds:** Your contributions have empowered us to continue our children's program, fostering faith and values in the next generation.

As we embark on a new phase of renovations, we humbly request your continued support to:

- Rejuvenate our sacred space: Paint key areas of the Church to restore its beauty and inspire devotion.
- **Honor our departed:** Construct additional burial plots in our cemetery to provide a dignified resting place for our community members.
- Cultivate a peaceful haven: Renovate our Church garden, creating a serene outdoor space for reflection and prayer.

Your generosity will not only beautify our Church but also uplift the spirits of our community. We are immensely grateful for your past support and hope to continue our partnership in the years to come.

With heartfelt thanks,

Fr. Suhail Fakhouri

Parish Priest