

Dear friends, April 2011

Last week our shipment of 1.5 tons of food, clothing, toys, school stationary, prams, and first computer left for Eastern Europe.

Caritas in Ujpest will split the shipment on arrival, and will transport a part of this to Csaba Bjote (the Monk) and the street orphans in Deva Transylvania (Romania).

Hungary is again having internal problems as I write this letter to you. Besides high inflation and rising people out of work, the Government in Hungary has now passed through Parliament a new constitution, which we have been informed will create more problems to the Hungarians.

In the last few weeks, Hungary has faced its largest strikes since memory. For one whole day, no public transport and pilots and crew from Malev Airlines went on strike, as well as fire brigades and other services. We have received emails and phone calls indicating that this is just the start and more strikes are expected to take place. There are more shop closures to be seen and some items are scarce or no longer available.

Caritas and the RC Church in Ujpest have appealed to us as well as charities in Austria and Germany for more support, as the foodbank is for many a life line in these very difficult times.

We are now receiving food from our sponsors and donors, and are appealing for more donations as our next shipment will be around the middle of May next month. Food, clothing, sweets, toys, school stationary are all welcome

Please feel free to contact me on tel: 07845 019709 if you would like to donate for our next shipment

Thanking you kindly in advance for your help and donations which are highly appreciated.

Kind regards,

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