

## Mykhailo Ilin need help - UPF Ukraine's Peace School Global Giving Fundraiser

Jim Boothby  
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*Flags of the USA and the Ukraine*

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

Many of you will remember the visit of Rev. Mykhailo Ilin, Family Federation President of Ukraine, in November 2014. Rev. Ilin was invited to visit New Hope Family Church by the local leadership as a way of furthering the “20/20” mutual aid relationship between the Maryland Community and the Family Federation in Ukraine. The “20/20 project” was initiated by True Mother in July 2013. Ukraine is "our country" to support per True Mother's 2013 plan.

At the time of his visit, Rev. Ilin inspired many of us with a sermon at Sunday Service, as well as with a presentation followed by Q&A about the encouraging developments and future plans in Ukraine.

Rev. Ilin and our Ukrainian brothers and sisters now ask for our help with their latest project, the Peace School for Ukrainian Youth. The goal is to teach skills for peace mediation and conflict resolution to 1,000 young people in five Ukrainian regions, as a means to help youth refugees from war areas in Ukraine to find their place in communities.

Even a small donation from you to this worthy cause can make a big difference. As Rev. Ilin explains below, our Ukrainian friends not only need to reach a goal of \$5,000, but also need to get 40 different donors participating in order to be able to continue the use the fundraising platform “Global Giving.”

Please read Rev. Ilin's letter below and consider contributing to this cause.

Thank you.

Claude & Satomi Aubert, Former missionaries to Ukraine

Jim Boothby  
Pastor

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Letter below From Rev. Ilin:

The Universal Peace Federation of Ukraine was recently accepted on the international platform of crowdfunding "Global Giving". For us it is a HUGE opportunity to raise additional funds for the further development of our project "Peace School" and to become financially independent. But in order for us to stay constantly on this platform we need to pass qualification. In 40 days we have to raise at least \$5,000 from 40 different donors. This goal looks achievable, but it requires a lot of help from our friends and colleagues.

How can you help?

1. Follow the link to our project and make a donation: [www.globalgiving.org/projects/peace-school-for-1000-ukrainian-youth/](http://www.globalgiving.org/projects/peace-school-for-1000-ukrainian-youth/)  
(for donors from the USA this donation is TAX-DEDUCTIBLE)
2. Forward this letter to your friends, relatives, and co-workers.

We understand that in the modern world of constant changes, not everyone has available funds to support the project, but every little bit counts and even the small contribution from each turns into ONE great result.

Below you can find link about the "Peace School" project.

[youtu.be/Dc3HNQ1GEIk](https://youtu.be/Dc3HNQ1GEIk)

[www.youtube.com/watch?v=Dc3HNQ1GEIk&feature=youtu.be](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Dc3HNQ1GEIk&feature=youtu.be)

Faithfully yours,

Mykhailo Ilin  
Universal Peace Federation, Ukraine.