SUPPORT CHRISTIANS MINISTERING TO THE DISPLACED IN SYRIA AND IRAQ

The civil war in Syria began 13 years ago. Ten years ago, the Islamic State (IS) was at the height of its expansion in Syria and Iraq. The world was horrified by the atrocities and declarations to help came quickly. In time, the images faded from the world's awareness. The suffering, however, remained, and is still present today.

Many people still live in refugee camps. There are still more than 6 million internally displaced people (IDPs) in Syria and more than 1 million in Iraq. They live in precarious situations and depend on outside help for most necessities.

ICR partners distribute basic food staples about once a month. They also give hygiene supplies to particularly needy families.

The food baskets are distributed by local churches in the name of Jesus. Believers spend time with the families and pray with them. Through this, people experience the love of God and hear the good news. Our partners tell us the church is growing in these countries as people are drawn to faith when they interact with the faithful Christians who bring the food.

ICR aims to help 3,000 families in Syria and 500 families in Iraq. Each food basket costs \$33. The food packages contain things like sugar, tea, salt, rice, noodles, vegetable oil, and other items.

SUPPORT FOOD FOR ONE FAMILY FOR ONE MONTH: \$33









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