

AGAPI CYPRUS (ACL) LTD

NEWSLETTER

"we walk with the poor of any race or religion"

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Hello AGAPI CYPRUS Supporters!

The Summer descended on us with a vengeance. It is/has been really hot!

Nevertheless we carry on regardless, in our Charity Shop only with fans and no airconditioning. Our faithful volunteers who continue in spite of the heat, are to be admired and applauded.

Preparing and Sharing an International meal

In February 2024 the organisation Cyprus Center for Social Innovation (CSI) organised an event jointly with Agapi Cyprus (ACL) Ltd at the St. Barnabas Church premises, preparing international food and sharing a meal.



Migrants and refugees from all countries were invited to attend to share in the preparation,

cooking and eating the delicious dishes offered by professional Nepalese, African and Moroccan chefs. Cooking secrets were revealed. Sharing food is a binding experience everywhere.

Joint project with St Barnabas Church



In 2024 AGAPI Cyprus embarked on a joint project with St Barnabas Church in Limassol. Donors through the Anglican Church provided funds and grocery vouchers of Plus Supermarket were purchased. These were distributed to over 120 beneficiary migrants/asylum seekers/refugees who have been experiencing particular hardship eg.homelessness, unemployment, ill health, overcrowding, single parent, large families, etc.

WHERE WE ARE

Our AGAPI CYPRUS Migrant Charity Shop is located at 23A Andreas Drousioti 3040 Limassol on a corner with Zenonos Street.
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AGAPI Footballers in Agros March 2024



Aspiring football players discovered by AGAPI CYPRUS visited the village of Agros to play a friendly match organised by CSI.

One of our Afghan Refugees graduating from the American Academy Limassol

Aftab our bright young student (in the middle), a refugee from Afghanistan, has graduated from his school in Limassol. We wish him every success.



Thank you Clement Deschandel of ESSEC Business School, France

You came to work as a volunteer in our charity shop during May and at the end of it kindly ran a seminar for a group of interested Chinese nationals residing in Cyprus who visited the shop, describing to them entry procedures and student life at ESSEC.

Please donate any unwanted items to our Charity Shop. e.g. clothing, shoes, bags, kitchenware, household items, linen, etc. Unfortunately, we do not take books, furniture, videos and toys. Please bring the items directly to our Charity Shop or call 99774461. The shop opens daily Mon-Sat 9.30-2.30 Sundays 10.00-13.00 at Andreas Drousioti 23A Limassol 3040. Shop Supervisor : Paraskevi

Dragon Boat Race Limassol



Thank you Elvire, the Limassol Spartans and other dragon boat teams for your generous donations - a Dragon Boat load of Baby milk, Diapers and other items given to us in 2024 at the Germasogeia Dam.

Thank you to our Donors

- Saint Mary's School Limassol/Sister Veronica
 - St Barnabas Church Limassol
 - CIWOT- Cyprus International Women of Today
 - Gregoire & Lynne
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 - Beth Rogers
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 - The Limassol Spartans Dragon Boat Race
 - Adrian Rebello
- And Anonymous

As always, we thank our *volunteers* for their support. Without you, there would be no Agapi Charity Shop, no Agapi Kitchen and no care and support for those struggling in our midst. Every life matters and deserves love.

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