16 March, 2022

Dear Fathers and Friends,

We know that the heart of every Orthodox Christian is grieved by the continuing devastation of the war in Ukraine. In response, there are avenues to provide aid, and declarations of support, that we would like to make known to you.

- The IOCC (International Orthodox Christian Charities) has organized a major relief effort for those devastated by this war, and you can donate at: <a href="https://support.iocc.org/site/Donation2;jsessionid=00000000.app30040b?df\_id=7543&mfc\_pre-f=T&7543.donation=form1&NONCE\_TOKEN=D8133C6BEA3803ACE4222670F119BD62">https://support.iocc.org/site/Donation2;jsessionid=000000000.app30040b?df\_id=7543&mfc\_pre-f=T&7543.donation=form1&NONCE\_TOKEN=D8133C6BEA3803ACE4222670F119BD62</a>
- The Board of Directors of IOTA (International Orthodox Theological Association) has issued a statement on the War in Ukraine: https://mailchi.mp/c697ee3f4991/2020-07-13448920
- A Letter of Solidarity with the People of Ukraine has been posted at the Wheel:
   https://the-wheel-journal.squarespace.com/blog/2022/3/3/letter-of-solidarity-with-the-people-of-ukraine?fbclid=lwAR3s0 4TDcHIZG5ifo5 RrH43Ww0iNrsIH1BHqi6qHfnl4lts8nCll0g6k

Those wishing to add their signatures can sign here: <a href="https://docs.google.com/document/d/1J-gFfUK9zDQILGgoaDamrg2xujj-TQoQLg30aNo7u9U/edit">https://docs.google.com/document/d/1J-gFfUK9zDQILGgoaDamrg2xujj-TQoQLg30aNo7u9U/edit</a>

 Orthodox theologians, scholars, and faithful have posted a declaration condemning support for the war and entreating all Orthodox to work for peace. The declaration is found at: <a href="https://publicorthodoxy.org/2022/03/13/a-declaration-on-the-russian-world-russkii-mir-teaching/">https://publicorthodoxy.org/2022/03/13/a-declaration-on-the-russian-world-russkii-mir-teaching/</a>

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With peace in Christ,

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