

More Good News from Oksana!

Oksana and the children moved to a new residence on March 14, and are very happy to have space of their own. Oksana has collected furniture and household items from several FPC families, friends and others through Celebration Church contacts. Mrs. Boshaw set them up with TV & WiFi. So they are settling in nicely there. Oksana enjoys working at The Blake to earn money for more of her living expenses including rent. (Thanks to FPC members who have donated money for her rental assistance. We have not discussed this with her yet, so if others would like to contribute, it will be much appreciated.) Oksana continues studying the driver license manual, and has taken the written test 3 or 4 times. She says she feels confident when going for the test, but when test begins nerves take over and translating to English seems overwhelming. She realizes the critical importance of being able to drive, so she is committed to overcoming these barriers.

Oksana was very excited and relieved to learn that her Asylum application was submitted and being processed by the Immigration Service on March 22... well before the April 7 deadline! She and both of the children have been called again to the Application Support Center for biometrics collection, this time as part of Asylum application. She is so very grateful for all that FPC has done for her, and especially for providing critical support for the cost of Asylum application. In her words through the Google translator, "I am immensely grateful".

