



Autumn 2007

Dear Friends and Supporters of the White Cross Mission,

This is just a short letter to tell you that the Guest House is looking great. Items on our huge list of "things to be done" are being crossed off daily and it's looking as if our **official opening day** on 12th April 2008 will actually happen.

The Orthodox Bishop of Oradea has asked if he can be present so I think someone must have tipped him the wink that **Johnny Cowling**, Cornwall's answer to Elvis, is travelling out to give us a concert for the big day! We're going to allow all the villagers free entrance to the concert. It should be great fun!

We especially want to invite all our supporters here in the UK to our **annual service** which this year will take place on Sunday 9th December at 3.00pm in Kenwyn Parish Church, Truro. Our patron Bishop Bill will be present and I'm sure he will not be able to resist telling us all something of his recent trip to Romania. Please come and support us that day and, also, if you enjoy AGMs come to our **Annual General Meeting** on Wednesday 10th December at 7.30pm, which will be held, not in the church this time, but in the Lichgate room of Kenwyn Parish Church.

It will be a few years before the Guest House is making enough money to help us with the wages etc. In the meantime we are having to sack staff to try and streamline our operation in Romania. We hate to be getting rid of people who have worked so hard for us but we know it has to happen.

Please pray for those being made redundant and for their families and pray for us too as we struggle to make difficult decisions as we do our best to keep everything going.

And please continue to give us money. We still desperately need your help! Thank you for all you do. I look forward to seeing you all at either the service or the AGM or even (dare I say it) as a guest in the new Guest House? Brochure and price lists are enclosed to try and tempt you!

Till then, much love and God bless

Pat

Christmas is Coming!

Why not give a loved one the chance to help our young people? Make a donation in their name.

Or, instead of sending Christmas cards send us a donation .