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Welcome to the NBRs Winter 2021 Newsletter

It has been a very quiet 6 months.

The borders are still closed to refugees, so we have only helped 7 people with airfares.

We helped with a family of 5 from Afghanistan and 2 from Sierra Leone.

The family of 5 were helped by a community organization. They managed to arrange an airfare and travel here quickly. We are still waiting for the 2 from Sierra Leone. They are 7 and 15 so arranging travel has been difficult.

It brings our total 7064.

Our bank balance is increasing with the repayments of outstanding loans. We currently have over \$800,000 in the bank which is about 88% of our funds. Sadly, we are earning very little interest.

I have been delighted at the repayments this year. We have seen a reduction in the bad debts. It has been a difficult time and we expected to see more loans fail.

We are looking forward to the borders opening and been able to help with airfare loans again.

We are not looking donations at this time.

David Addington

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