

AYEAR OF IMPACT

A YEAR OF EXPERIENCING AND EXPRESSING THE ESSENCE OF JESUS CHRIST



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OUR CONCERN

WHAT BOTHERS AND DRIVES US?
WE BELIEVE THAT HUMANITY IS BROKEN AND FRAGMENTED.

OUR CAUSE

HOW DO WE ADDRESS THIS CONCERN?
TO EXPERIENCE AND EXPRESS THE ESSENCE OF JESUS.

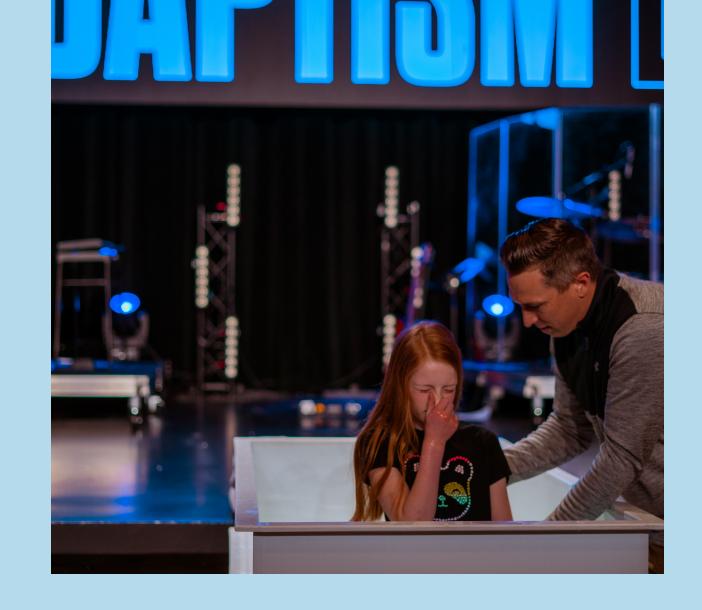


"When I visited Grace Chapel I saw something different, I heard people talking about Jesus like they were best friends, I saw people with their hands raised, people who wanted to be in His presence, and I wanted that."

REACHING A BROKEN WORLD REQUIRES A "WHATEVER IT TAKES" ATTITUDE.







GIMING SELVES AWAY

WE STARTED WITH A VISION TO GIVE OURSELVES AWAY.

Since the founding of our church in 1998, God has surprised, challenged, and blessed us beyond anything we could have imagined. He has allowed us to effectively serve both locally and globally, in ways that have put us on the front line of seeing Him usher in life change.

Looking back at God's faithfulness gives us the assurance and courage to boldly step forward into a bright and exciting future. With a strong and vibrant past, we look forward to an amazing future.



OUR CHURCH CULTURE

RISK ALL THAT WE HAVE IN ORDER TO BE ALL THAT HE WANTS US TO BE.

When Jesus imagined disciple-making he imagined a loving community in the process of transformation and formation. At Grace Chapel, we call this process *Experiencing and Expressing the Essence of Jesus*, where people experience the fullness of Jesus' life, personal breakthroughs, the supernatural power and presence of God, and live out their eternal destiny.





TWO CORINTHIANS NINE

SIX

Remember this: Whoever sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and whoever sows generously will also reap generously.

SEVEN

Each of you should give what you have decided in your heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver.

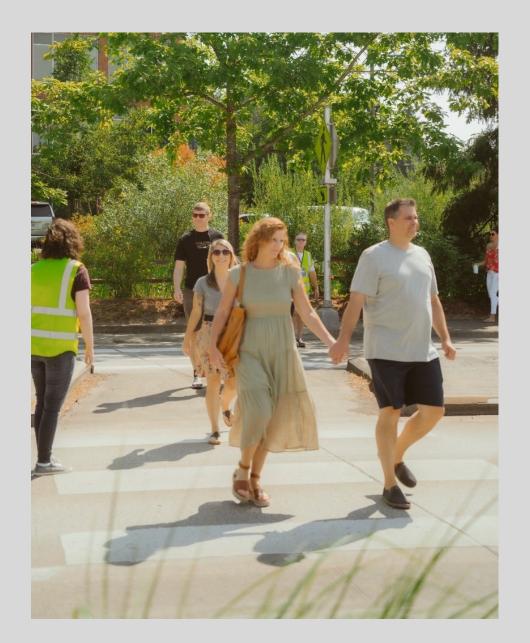
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And God is able to bless you abundantly, so that in all things at all times, having all that you need, you will abound in every good work.

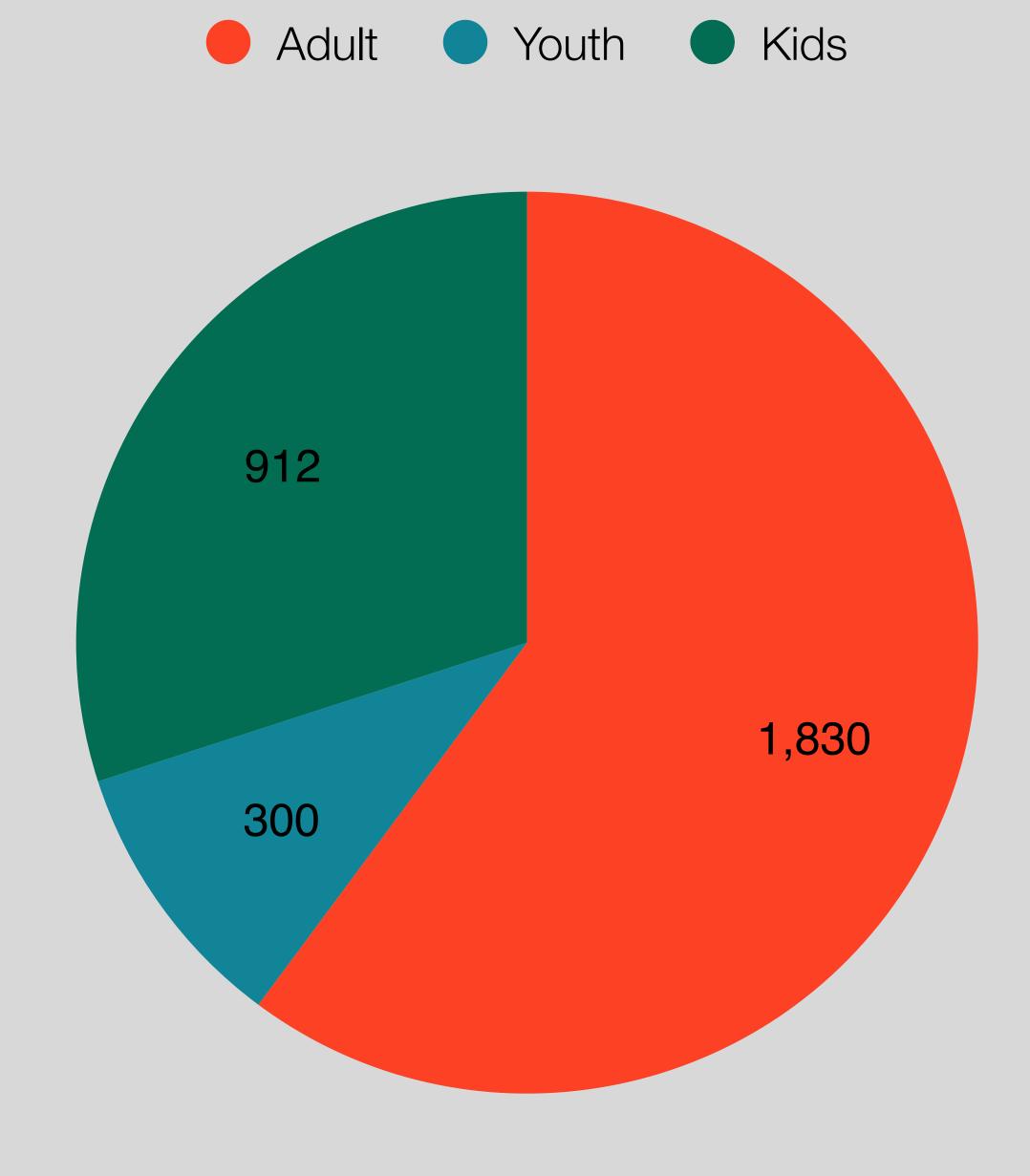
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Kids, Youth, and Adults

While 60% of our church body is adults, we continue to see a growing kid and youth ministry.









110 PEOPLE ATTENDED TASTE OF GRACE

Taste Of Grace is an informal gathering for people who are new to Grace Chapel. It's a time get to know one another, share a little about us, and host a question and answer time.



WE WERE CREATED TO LIVE IN COMMUNITY WITH ONE ANOTHER.

41 BAPTISMS





Being a Jesus follower means being a part of something bigger than our individual selves. Baptism and communion are sacred experiences that represent both the individual, inward commitment to a personal relationship with Jesus and the corporate, outward sign of being connected to a local community of Christ followers—the local church.





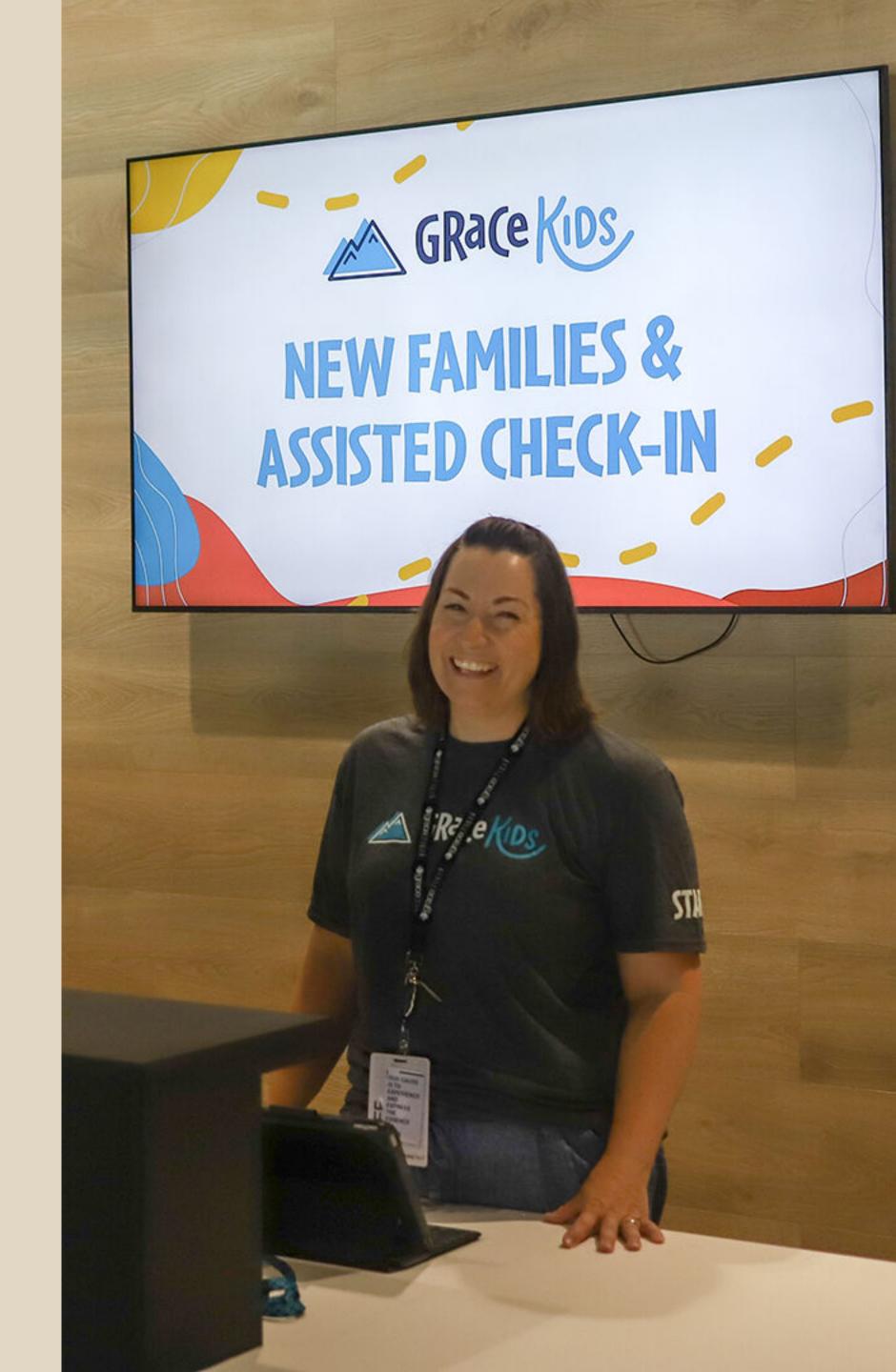
281 NEW FAMILIES

HAVE CHECKED INTO GRACE KIDS



On average, Grace Kids welcomes six new families each week. We sign in infants all the way up to 5th grade. It is our hope and prayer that from the moment kids arrive at Grace Kids to the minute they are picked up, they feel loved, comfortable, and experience who Jesus is.

Grace Kids partners with parents and leaders to create an engaging environment where children can experience & express the essence of Jesus. We desire to see kids and families live on mission together through a lifestyle of being involved in God's Word, responding to His Spirit, and by serving together. The primary way we do this is through relationships and community.



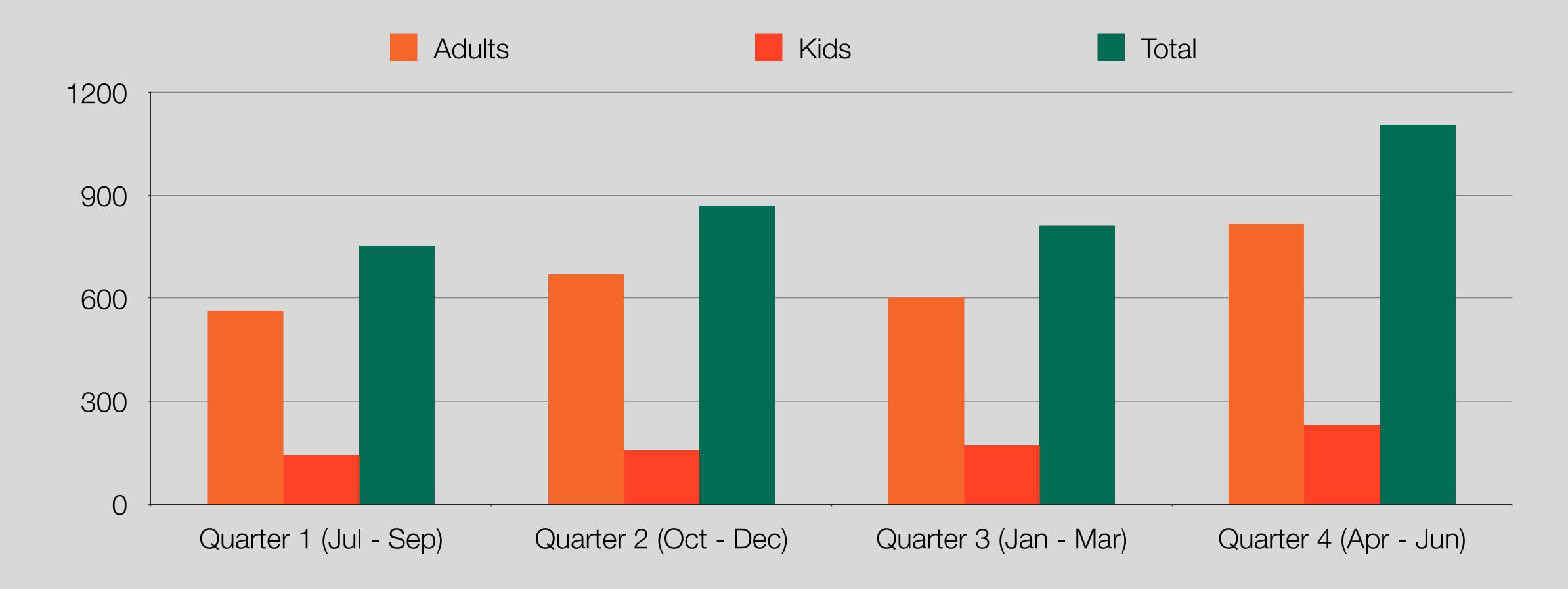
634 PEOPLE IN GROUPS

WE BELIEVE THAT LIFE CHANGE HAPPENS IN THE CONTEXT OF COMMUNITY.

This year we set aside intentional time to teach on, experience, experiment, and express what it looks like to cultivate community. We pursued Jesus in homes all across the south Portland area, following the example we see in Acts.

There is power in worshipping both with others and on our own.





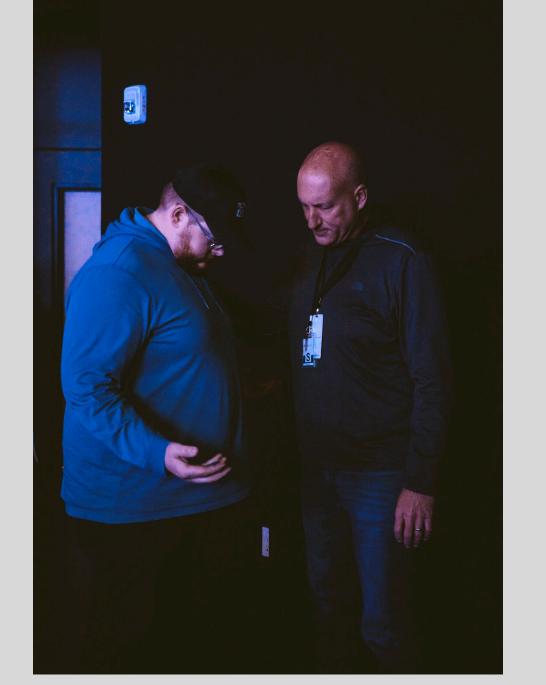
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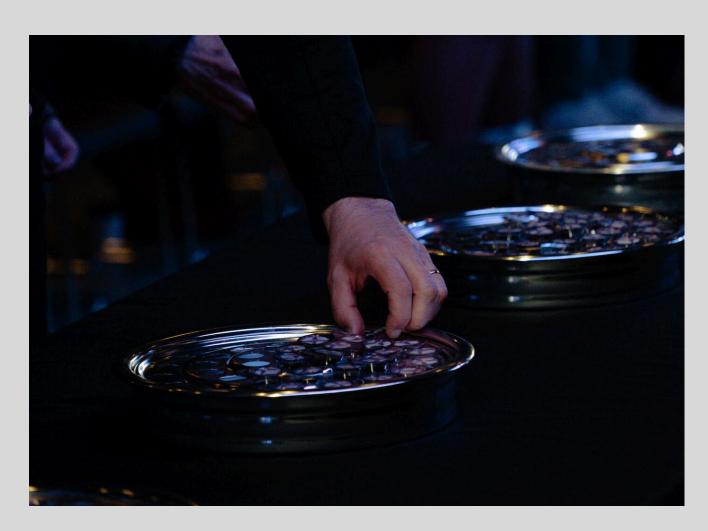
2021-2022 BUDGET

BUDGET \$3,526,076 INCOME \$3,282,632 EXPENSES \$3,417,834



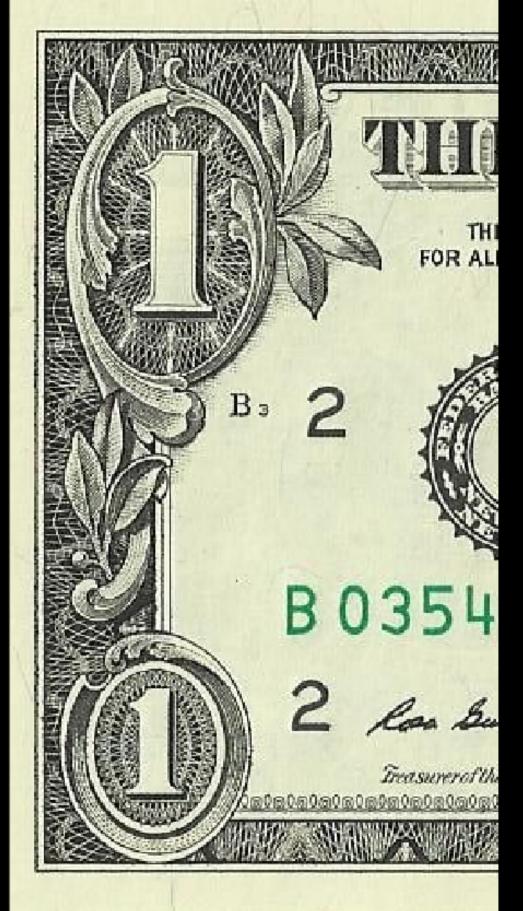




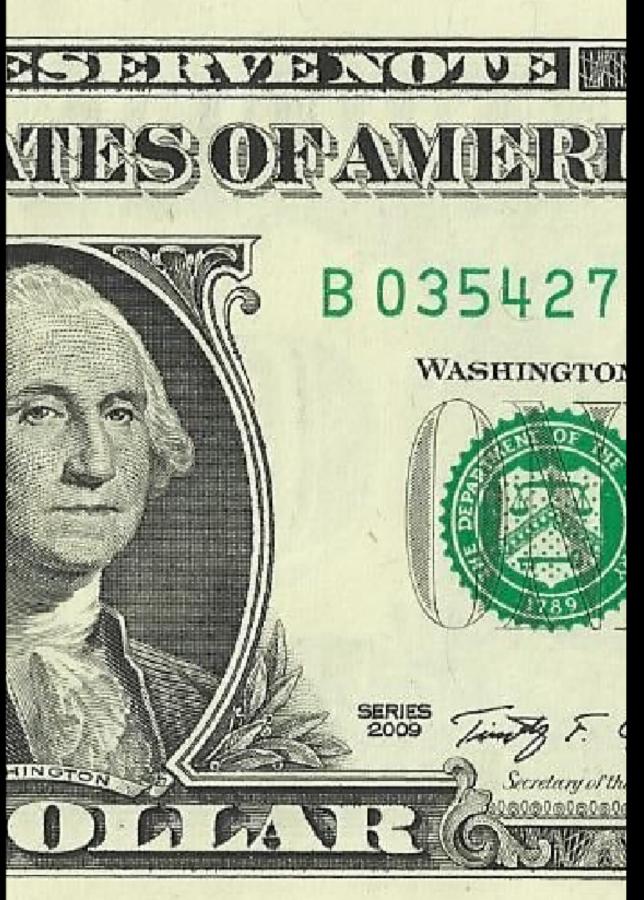


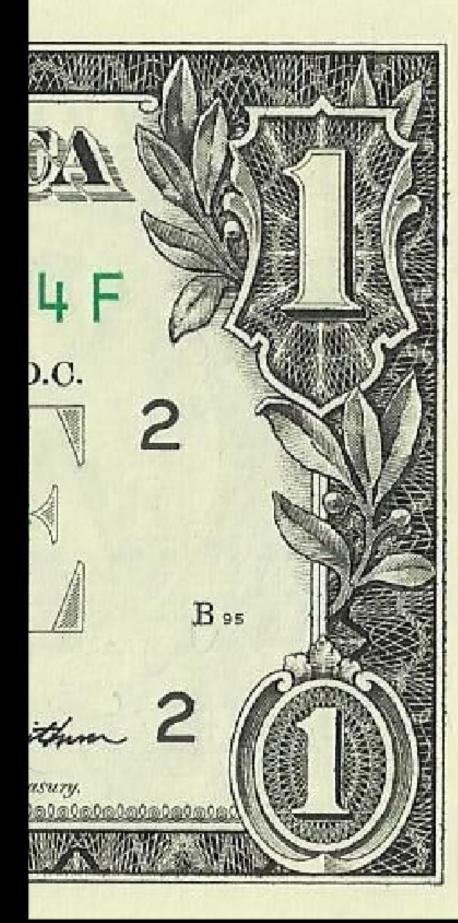
1240 HOUSE HOLDS

48% Gave
32% Give regularly
282 New households gave









GRACE KIDS

ARDENT YOUTH ADULT COMMUNITY JUSTICE & COMPASSION

\$0.24

\$0.24

\$0.30

\$0.22

JUSTICE & COMPASSION

OUR DESIRE IS TO EXPERIENCE AND EXPRESS THE ESSENCE OF JESUS BY STEPPING INTO THE VULNERABLE, MARGINALIZED, AND RISKY PLACES OF INJUSTICE.





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HEART OF THE CITY

Heart of the City serves as an outreach center and resource hub to the city of Wilsonville and beyond.

We are dedicated to Loving and Serving the Whole Person and the Whole Community. Within this ministry, there are partnerships with Wilsonville Community Sharing, YoungLife Wilsonville, local counselors, support groups, Random Kindness, and others.



320 Families impacted \$83,473 Assistance provided 2,220 Counseling hours 525 Volunteer hours

Don't just take our word for it!

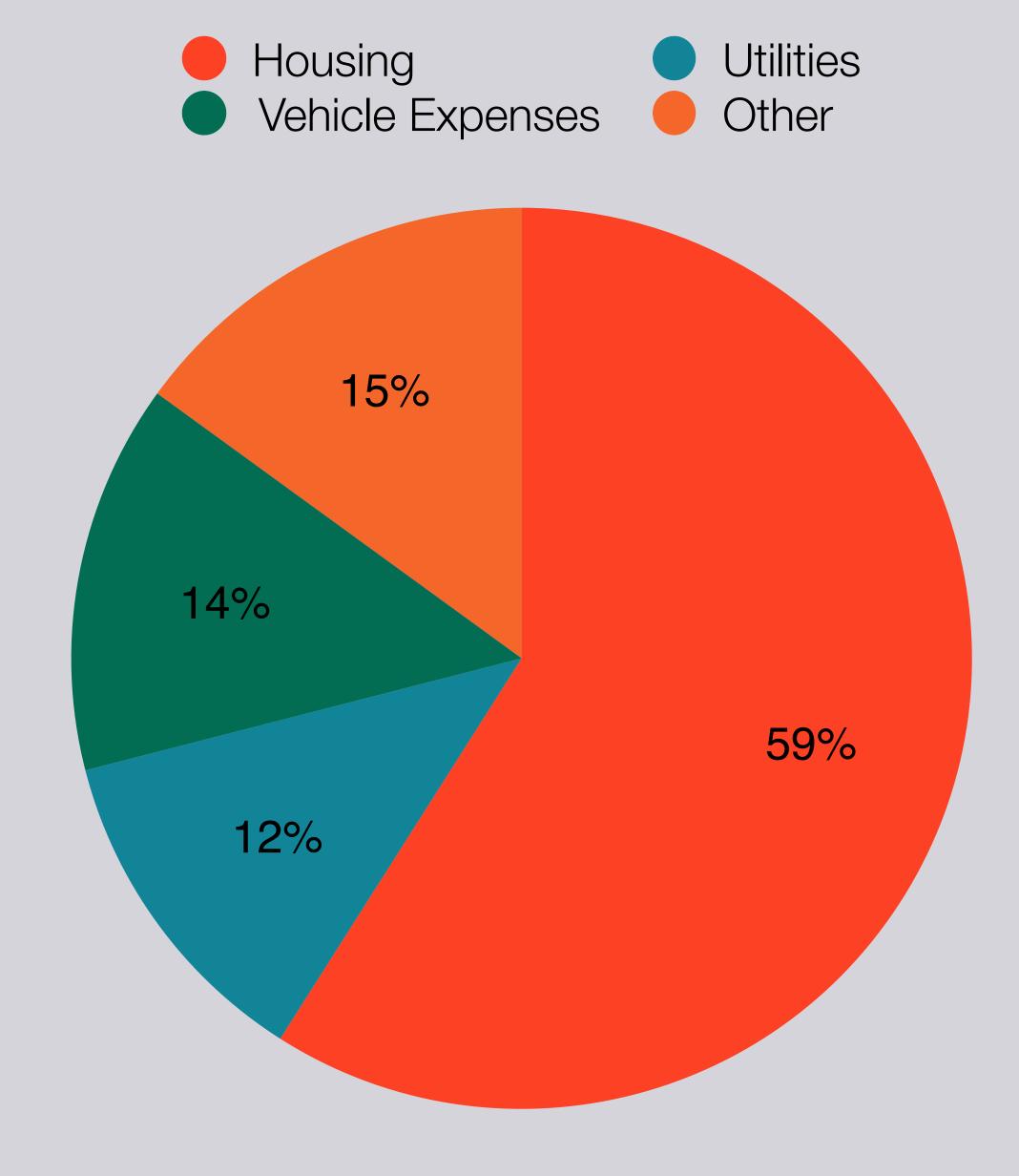
"Heart of the City has been a huge blessing. They helped us not only with our rent but me and my kids are now in counseling. We have been meeting with a financial advisor to work on our budget and understand money better. They also helped me get a better, higher paying job."



HEART OF THE CITY

"We were going to be evicted and Heart of the City came in and gathered other agencies to get us caught up. They helped with food, getting our car looked at, and replacing its battery. They also invited us to visit Grace Chapel, which we have attended and enjoy."

ASSISTANCE PROVIDED \$83,473





GEAR UP 4 SCHOOL

HEART OF THE CITY ORGANIZES A COMMUNITY OUTREACH EVENT TO GATHER NEEDED SCHOOL SUPPLIES AND BACKPACKS FOR OUR LOCAL FAMILIES. EACH YEAR WE ARE ABLE TO HELP HUNDREDS OF STUDENTS.



CITY TEAN

EVERY CHRISTMAS WE PROVIDE A CHRISTMAS PARTY AND GIFTS TO BLESS THOSE WHO ARE ACTIVELY INVOLVED IN THE LONG-TERM RECOVERY PROGRAM AT CITYTEAM PORTLAND.



JOY DRVE

THIS IS A CHRISTMAS TIME MINISTRY THAT PROVIDES WINTER CLOTHING AND OTHER GIFTS FOR CHILDREN IN OUR WILSONVILLE SCHOOLS.



The local opportunities, ministries, and organizations we support as a church and encourage our community to invest in.

LOCAL PARNERS

- 1. Younglife
- 2. Fellowship of Christian Athletes
- 3. CatalystNW
- 4. Refugee Care
- 5. First Image
- 6. Pregnancy Care Center
- 7. Canby Center
- 8. CityTeam Portland
- 9. Compassion Connect
- 10. Prison Fellowship



LIVING WATER

LIVING WATER INTERNATIONAL SPREADS THE KINGDOM BY PROVIDING CLEAN WATER IN DEVELOPING COUNTRIES. GRACE CHAPEL TAKES 2-3 SHORT-TERM MISSION TRIPS ANNUALLY TO DRILL WELLS.



Other Stats

16-year partnership

11th largest lifetime givingchurch for Living Water

4th largest in Western US

LIVING WATER INT

TOTAL: \$95,435.19

LIFETIME GIVING: \$594,341.19

Funds were primarily used in Rwanda and India. Funding went to support specific geographical focused areas of need within the country, and helped complete our work (project, sanitation and hygiene, gospel proclamation) in those locations.

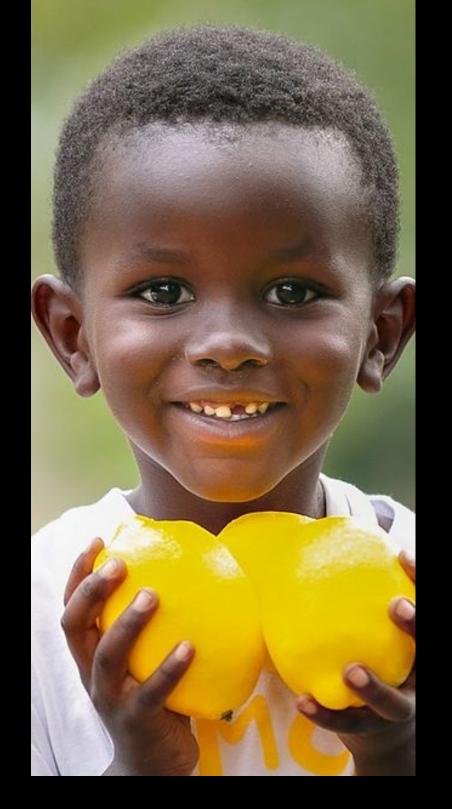
Cumulative effect was \$2000+
people receiving safe water and
6000+ heard gospel
proclamation of Jesus





AFRICA NEW LIFE

AFRICA NEW LIFE MINISTRIES SHOWS AND TEACHES THE LOVE AND COMPASSION OF JESUS CHRIST THROUGH CHILD SPONSORSHIP, EDUCATION, AND SPIRITUAL MINISTRIES IN RWANDA.



Other Stats

New Church in Nyamgabe

New Church in Karangazi

The Grace House now supports GAP students

AFRICA NEW LIFE

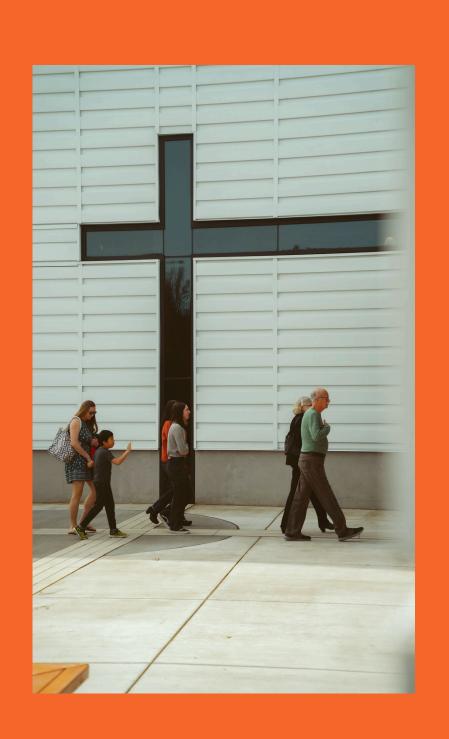
SPONSORSHIPS THIS YEAR: 137

LIFETIME SPONSORSHIPS: 435

Africa New Life Ministries exists to communicate the message of Jesus Christ in word and deed, to Africa and all the nations. This ministry will help all peoples to know about the relationship with God available to them through belief in Jesus as Savior. This will be accomplished by providing access to education, leadership training, and healthcare; through church planting and Christian discipleship; and through holistic care for vulnerable children, and women and men in need.



SPECIAL OFFERINGS

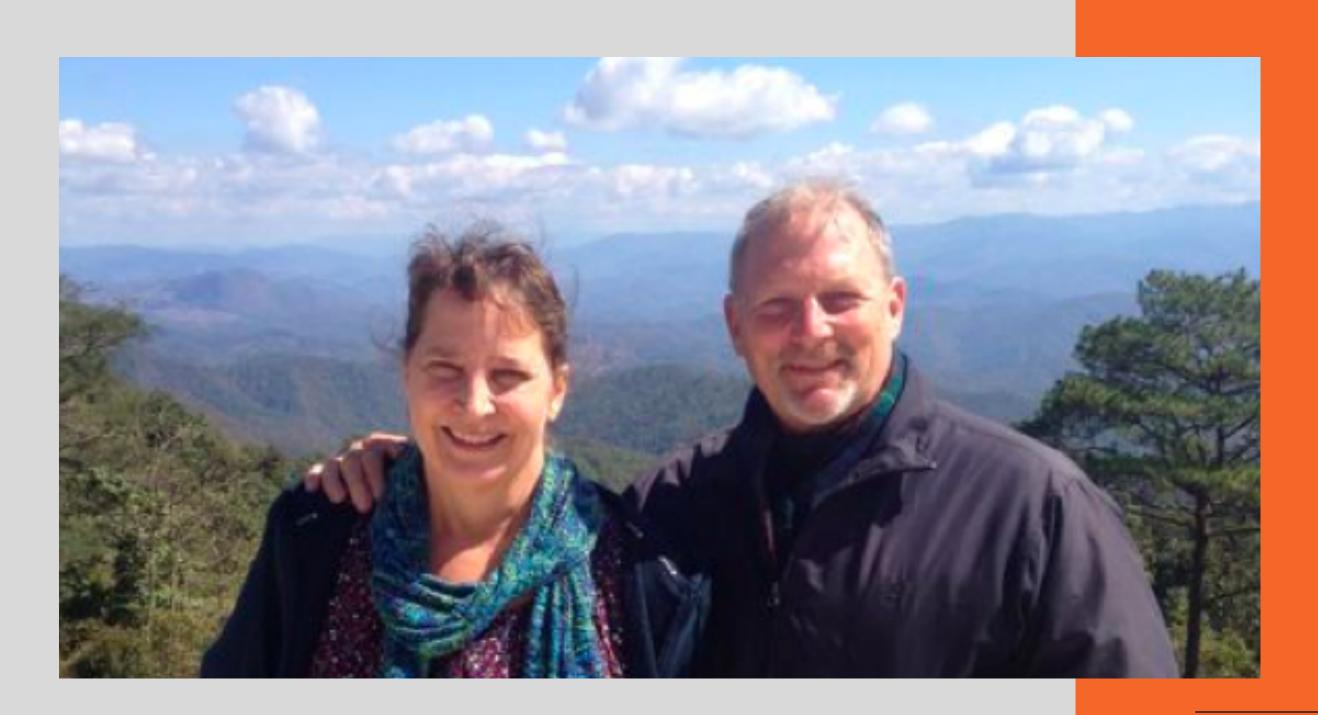


REFUGEE CARE \$28,721

HEART OF THE CITY \$163,412

ADVENT CONSPIRACY \$69,990





THE JEPS

Their vision it to help missionaries and locals use media (video, photographs, audio, and animation) to reach their target audience in a more contextualized or culturally specific way.

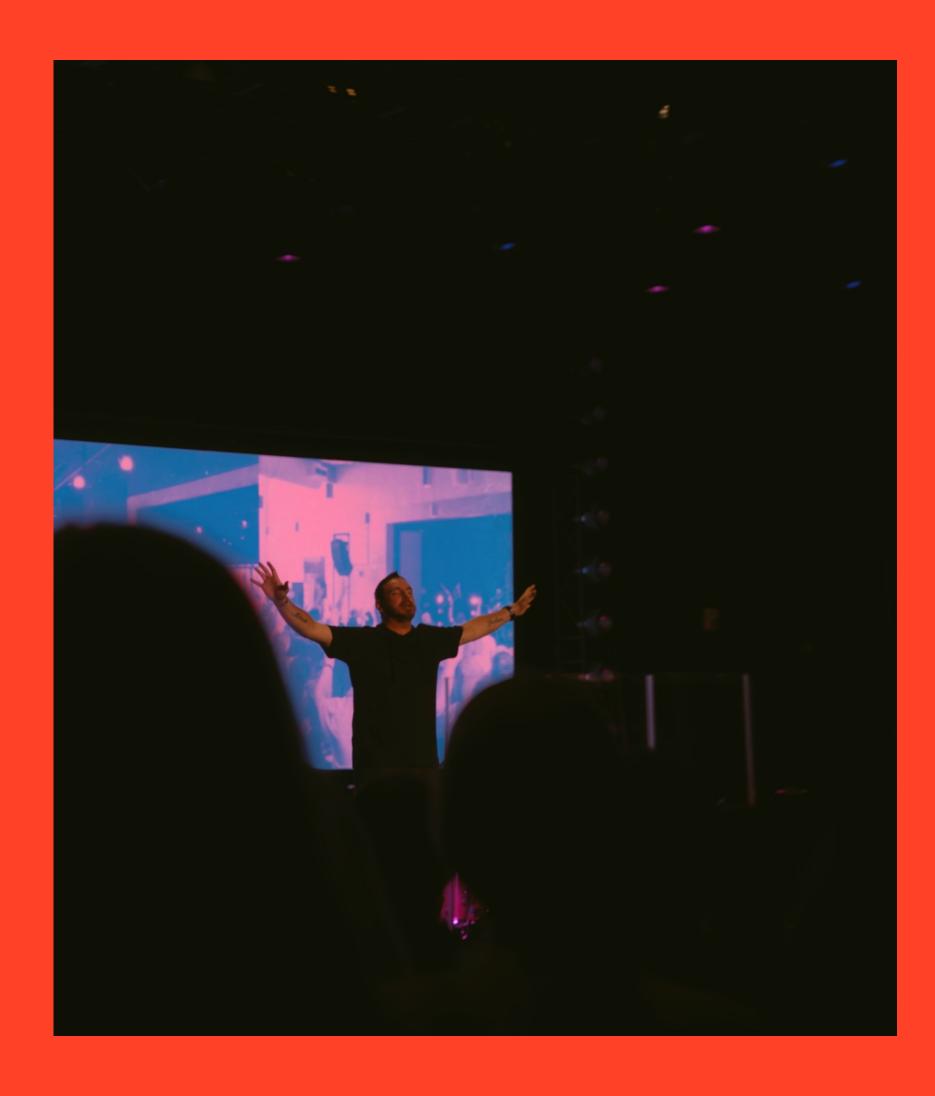
They work with others to give them the skills and understanding necessary to communicate the gospel in relevant and interesting ways, using video and audio software, cameras, webpages, and smartphones. They have joined with Freedom Films to maximize their skills. Richard also teaches English and Bible as inroads into the community.



THE BRANDTS

Family who attends GC and has felt called to step into missionary work with Mission Aviation Fellowship and will serve those in Indonesia.

As a pilot, Kevin looks forward to opportunities to further advance the gospel by delivering needed supplies to isolated people, providing life-saving medical flights, and serving where needed. Rachel is excited to continue her role as mom to their son Eli and looks forward to getting involved in the local community where they are serving.



PASTOR MKE

This last year has been a fantastic year of God's miraculous faithfulness. Opening our building wasn't a finish line but a new starting line. I am constantly reminded of what Jesus said to the disciples two thousand years ago, "I will build my church, and the gates of Hades will not overcome it" (Matthew16:18). Jesus anticipated that we, the church, including Grace Chapel, would not be on the defensive against hell but the offensive to bring the gospel of light to those in darkness. This has been a year of personal breakthrough, transformation, powerful connections, and deeper formed lives. I am constantly reminded that we live in a world desperately seeking hope, love, and miracles. We are stepping into the misery and margins of the broken. We are experiencing and expressing the essence of Jesus.



Thank you to each and every one of you for championing this vision and hosting the presence of God through your surrendered lives to the cause of Christ. Thank you all for your continued generosity and sacrifice. Every dollar you give makes our vision a reality, changing lives for eternity. We live in exciting times to see how the Spirit of God is being poured out in the world and what an incredible joy to say that we are a part of that outpouring.

Thank you to all who gave of their time and treasure to partner with the Lord and the ministry of Grace Chapel, both locally and globally. I pray that each of us will experience supernatural boldness, hope, love, and wisdom. As disciples and followers, I pray that we would lean into the power of the Holy Spirit to guide us, form us, and that we may rise up and shine together!

With much love,
Mike and Bernadette

2022-2023 BUDGET

BUDGET \$3,415,739





LUKE



THIRTY SEVEN

Jesus said, "Forsake the habit of criticizing and judging others, and you will not be criticized and judged in return. Don't condemn others and you will not be condemned. Forgive over and over, and you will be forgiven over and over.

THIRTY EIGHT

Give generously and generous gifts will be given back to you, shaken down to make room for more. Abundant gifts will pour out upon you with such an overflowing measure that it will run over the top! The measurement of your generosity becomes the measurement of your return."

WAYS TO GIVE

01 Website

02 Mail

03 Sunday Services

04 Our App

All of the funds we operate off of come in through the intentional generosity of those who call Grace Chapel their home. Your contributions have done and continue to do powerful things, we're so grateful for your generosity.



THANKYOU

We are fortunate to have a history of generous people who leverage what they have so that others can experience and express the essence of Jesus.





