



KINGDOM

BUILDERS

"Now to him who is able to do
immeasurably more
than all we ask or
imagine, according to his power
that is at work within us, *to him be*
glory in the church and in Christ Jesus
throughout all generations, for ever
and ever! Amen."

EPH. 3:20-21



Good News Family,

We live to see lives transformed through Jesus. It has been such a privilege to watch our Good News family prioritize transformation in the lives of other people globally, locally, and through future projects of our Kingdom Builders initiative. We have seen a dramatic increase in the number of people who are participating above and beyond the tithe to Good News. For us, this speaks to the growth and maturity of our church body to live with a kingdom of God perspective and ever-increasing desire to see all people experience the transformation that only happens through Jesus Christ! What an incredible first year!


This year, thanks to our Kingdom Builders task force, we've clarified our giving expectations for global outreach. We've established uniform standards, increased support for those reaching unreached people groups, and strengthened our commitment to glorify Jesus worldwide. Additionally, we're expanding support for local ministries in the Omaha metro area, aligning with God's command to reach the unreached and marginalized.

Good News is called to be a transformational people and a transformational church. It is exciting to watch what God spoke to us several years ago begin to be actualized in 2024. With increased intentionality, we continue to pray and look for opportunities to reach every home, neighborhood, and business in the Omaha metro area with the love and power of Jesus Christ.

The phrase for 2024 is Find Your Courage: Believe. By faith, we are positioning Good News Church to make a greater impact than ever before, and we desire for you to be a part. As you read through the pages of this book for 2024, we pray this vision would become personal to each of you as we live to see lives transformed by Jesus - everyone, everywhere, and every day.

To Him who can do immeasurably more than we ask and think,

Jason & Carissa Carter

A person with long blonde hair, wearing a light blue long-sleeved shirt and dark pants, stands with their back to the camera in a dense, sun-dappled forest. The sunlight filters through the trees, creating a warm, golden glow around the person.

"The Great Commission is not an option to be considered; it is a command to be obeyed."

- HUDSON TAYLOR



"We talk of the Second Coming of Christ; half the world has never heard of the first."

- OSWALD J. SMITH

GLOBAL

For this is what the Lord has commanded us: 'I have made you a light for the Gentiles, that you may bring salvation to the ends of the earth.'

Acts 13:47

And they sang a new song, saying: "You are worthy to take the scroll and to open its seals because you were slain, and with your blood you purchased for God persons from every tribe and language and people and nation."

Revelation 5:9

Financial Goal: \$175,600



Fischers – Eurasia

"The Fischers have been part of training the leaders of a church network in a Central Eurasian country and helping them establish a national Assemblies of God. Over the last year the churches have begun to multiply and new people are coming to faith. This has happened as all the members of the church are mobilized for ministry. The Fischers also work to provide discipleship and training resources for these leaders to use within their own country."



Steven & Alicia – Africa

"In 2020, we spent 40 days fasting and praying with other global workers. Never had we done "less" - we simply waited, listened, and prayed - and we began to see God do what only He can. We began to see openness to the gospel like never before: people were coming to us asking to hear more about Jesus and study the bible. Some people had dreams of Jesus. Not only did we see people put their faith in Christ, but we also saw groups form and people baptized! The church is being planted where it never was before."



Levi & Sarah – Eurasia

"Each week we take our limited knowledge of the local language and go into the community to share about Jesus. Sarah met a woman who was curious to hear more. We invited her, her husband, and their newborn baby over for dinner. The husband had tons of questions for Levi. For hours, we talked through Jesus' story. We felt Holy Spirit in the room helping with our language. This whole Muslim family was able to hear the gospel in their own tongue and cultural context! We rejoice in the seed that was planted and pray for their salvation."



Gunters – South Asia

"Even in the darkest & hardest places, we have seen how the Lord goes before & faithfully walks with us. Psalm 139:7-8 Only by His grace have we experienced tremendous breakthroughs & opportunities to begin sharing the good news with Indians. We see trust being established in our majority Hindu community. The Lord has highlighted specific new friends that are seeking & asking questions. We are excited that there has been interest in gathering to look at the scriptures and discuss them. By His Holy Spirit, we believe that hearts will be transformed & the church planted among Jain people."



Jeremy & Melissa Settle - Southeast Asia

"What did you do this weekend?" Just another day in Japanese class, I thought. "I went to [Jeremy's] house for church. We read the Bible, sang songs, and ate together. It was amazing!" Shocked, I looked at my friend R, who immigrated to Japan seeking freedom from oppression. He recently chose to follow Christ and began worshiping with us but boldness in front of classmates took me by surprise. He later asked, "Was what I said okay? I feel like I have flowers in my hand, and if someone accepts them when I offer, it is a beautiful thing."



Advance Benin - Africa

"Last year, after finalizing our school program's enrollment, we learned of a struggling family. The father's illness left his daughters unable to afford school essentials. Despite financial uncertainties, we stepped in, pooling personal contributions and last-minute donations. Through God's help, and community support, we provided for all the children. Witnessing the girls excel academically fueled our commitment. This year, we proudly extended our help to their younger brother. Our ministry's steadfast dedication, supported by the community, showcases our ability to make a difference."



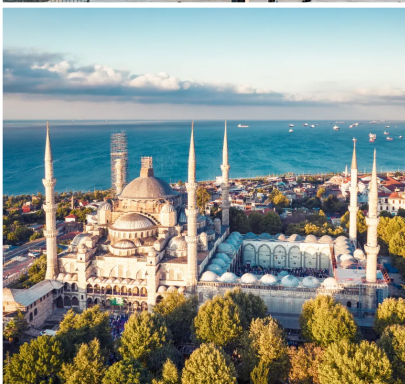
Caren - Africa

"Caren works with local partners throughout unreached people groups in northern Kenya. Last year, four new churches and many new Bible studies were started amongst an unreached people group in north central Kenya after a health evangelism training and medical camp was conducted within the tribe's borders."



N & A – Arab World

"A Muslim couple from Gaza, stuck in Jerusalem because of the 2023 war, joined us for Christmas dinner. They heard the Christmas story of how Jesus came to save us for the first time. Although it is a sad time here, we thank God people are hearing the Gospel! A Jewish woman drove 4 hours to, in her words, "visit the holy city of Jerusalem." Instead of going to a synagogue, she came to our church and asked to talk. She shared her heart and asked how she could learn more about Jesus. She left that day committed to reading the book of John in her new Hebrew bible."



J & A – Eurasia

As directors over all Central Eurasia "TCKs" (third-culture kids), we disciple, encourage, equip and support over 122 kids as they navigate the unique experiences of finding their own culture and following Jesus while living in both their home culture and their heart culture. We strive to ensure each child knows they have a special role in reaching the lost alongside their parents. Our team is also working to build relationships through fitness, English clubs, and football, where we can share the gospel of Jesus and plant His church amongst the unreached.



LOCAL

"And do not neglect doing good and sharing, for with such sacrifices God is pleased."

Hebrews 13:16 NASB

"Therefore, whenever we have the opportunity, we should do good to everyone—especially to those in the family of faith."

Galatians 6:10 NLT

Financial Goal: \$46,800



Accepted Food Bank - Rick & Candice Milone

At Accepted Food Bank we believe that no child should go hungry and that need can be found anywhere. To combat need in our Millard and Elkhorn communities, AFB provides weekend food for children who have been identified by their schools.



Victory Boxing Club - Servando Perales

Victory Boxing Club & Community Center provides a haven for local youth in south Omaha to learn skills of discipline through boxing. They teach Christian values and life skills for the students both in the ring, in school and on the streets.



TRAC NE Division – Rock & Karla Chavez

TRAC NE provides two separate camps (girls & boys), called Teen Reach Adventure Camp, during the summer for at risk youth or have been in the foster care system. They continue with mentoring for many of the youth throughout the year.

New Community – Chaplain Eunice Arant

New Community supports women in Omaha who are re-entering into society after incarceration through providing Biblical support and healthy, redemptive community. They have opportunities to get involved in providing meals and joining a Monday night community to develop relationships with the moms.





NE 117 – Tim & Jennifer Bowes

Nebraska 117 has a mission to equip, support, and provide rest so that foster families thrive. They work through local churches to create care teams for local foster families. There are opportunities to join a care team and help coordinate support.



Letters of Hope

Letters of Hope is a letter-writing ministry sharing the compassion and encouragement of Christ to women in prison, helping them know they are never forgotten by God. We provide a continuum of care for women during incarceration and upon reentry, mobilize the church to respond and enfold women into the body of Christ for continued spiritual growth.



Future Investment & Expansion

Financial Goal: \$152,500

THE JOSEPH PROJECT

More than a year ago Pastor Jason felt the Lord say that our congregation is a "Joseph Church." Joseph developed a plan to store grain in the years of plenty so that when the famine came others would be able to buy food and not die. Good News Church is called to provide rest for the weary and to be a light to our community.

We heard how many medical traveling professionals do not have an adequate place to stay for the duration of their contracts. We want to provide a comfortable and secure space they can lease for the time they are in Omaha. In 2023, we purchased a house in our neighborhood that has served as such a place! With God's help, we've been able to provide safe housing for up to 5 medical professionals at a time, and some of them have even visited the church.

The vision for the future is that this space could be used by Kingdom Builders partners (Global Workers and ministries) when they are back from the field iterating or ministering at Good News. We already have a request from one of our Global Partners for 2024!

"The stranger who resides with you shall be to you as the native among you, and you shall love him as yourself, for you were strangers in the land of Egypt; I am the LORD your God."

Leviticus 19:34

COMMUNITY OUTREACHES

In 2024, God is asking us to, "Find your courage: Believe!"

We are believing God to see 100 people to come to faith in Jesus for the first time in 2024.

We believe this happens as we step out to love and serve our community. We have to be courageous and creative to reach those who will not attend a church service.

We are asking the Lord, "What do you want to do through us in our community?"

We believe there are events He wants us plan, free services he wants us to provide, and needs he wants us to meet. Jesus is challenging us to build relationships with those who do not know Him yet.

God is calling us to reach our community!

Jesus replied, "You must love the LORD your God with all your heart, all your soul, and all your mind.' This is the first and greatest commandment. A second is equally important: 'Love your neighbor as yourself'

Matthew 22:37-39

CHURCH MULTIPLICATION

We have all benefited in one way or another from the ministry of Good News Church and from being part of this family of faith. Our experience of being part of a church family who encourages, supports, and challenges us to be more like Jesus should be something we share with people from other communities. Especially those who have never experienced it!

We have begun sensing God leading us to multiply as a church. Multiplication can look different from church to church, and from model to model. However, one thing has become clear in the last few years, more churches are closing their doors than those that are opening them. According to a Lifeway study in 2019, approximately 3,000 Protestant churches opened their doors in the U.S., but 4,500 churches closed their doors. God is calling Good News Church to step out in faith to reverse this trend; will you join us?!

"Then the master told his servant, 'Go out to the roads and country lanes and compel them to come in, so that my house will be full.'"

Luke 14:23

All 2024 Kingdom Builders Partners

LOCAL	PARTNER ORGANIZATION	REPRESENTATIVE
	Assure Women's Center	Toni Clark
	Gather at the Table	Pastor Chris Ford
	CHI Alpha – UNO Campus	Sam Gingerich
	CHI Alpha – Lincoln, NE District	Brad Novasad
	Dwell Church	Pastor Wallace
	NE Family Alliance	Nate Grasz
	Sheepgate, Omaha Campus	Beau Kluth
	INS – Berean Instructors	Bill & Joan Kruger
	TRAC National	Will & Angela Prusia
	Good News Jail/Prison Ministry	Chaplain Samantha Scheiffer
	Accepted Food Bank	Rick & Candice Milone
	Victory Boxing Club	Servando Perales
	TRAC NE Division	Rock & Karla Chavez
	New Community	Chaplain Eunice Arant
	NE 117	Tim & Jennifer Bowes
	Letters of Hope	Margaret Wiles

GLOBAL	ARAB WORLD	Adam & Christy Trimbur
		C.W.
		Dick & Jennifer Brogden
		Greg & Lisa
		Jeff & Mary Beth
		N & A
		S.C.
	AFRICA	Burnetts
		B
		Caren
		Pat & Suzanne Hurst
		Randy & Becky Tarr
		Steven & Alicia
		Deckers
	EURASIA	Fischers
		Curt & Elizabeth
		Daryl & Sarah
		D & A
		J.J. & Jess

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GLOBAL	EURASIA	Jason & Andrea
		Jeremy & Derlys Gaster
		J & L
		J & A
		Keith & Christi Jones
		Levi & Sarah
		Rhonda
	SOUTH ASIA	Keatings
		J & L
		Bri
		Gopal & Sheila
	SOUTHEAST ASIA	Gunters
		John & Rose
		Tom & Connie
		Settles
		Dr. J
		Solomon & Lori Wang

AMERICAS	Dan & Liz Carl	
LOCAL GLOBAL	David & Jeanie Wallace	AGWM Eurasia
	Cephas and Amanda Catraye	Advance Benin
	Al Fadi	CIRA Ministries
	Brad & Rhonda Walz	AGWM LAC Strategic Network
	JD King	Deaf Child Hope
	D	Crescent Project
	Julie	Global Friends
	Katja Starkey	Touch the Nations
	Mark & Dani Brink	Global Initiative
	Pam Franks	Embrace the Nations
	Logan & Gabriella Lee	Ignite LA Church
	Alan & Lynette	AGWM - Asia Pacific
	Global Ministry Budget	

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FUTURE INVESTMENT & EXPANSION	NAME	LOCATION
	Joseph Project	Good News Church
	Community Outreach	Good News Church
	Church Multiplication	Omaha, NE
	Ministry Opportunities	Omaha, NE
	Global Workers Pipeline	Good News Church
	Kids Helping Kids	Good News Church
	Global Trips	Good News Church
	Teacher Outreach	Omaha, NE

Total Financial Goal: \$374,900





PRAY

GIVE

GO

What are you pledging to Kingdom Builders in 2024? In addition to our giving, we commit to praying, sending, and going.

My Kingdom Builders Commitment: \$ _____

Giving Breakdown

#OF GIVERS	MONTHLY GIFT	INDIVIDUAL GIVING (11 MONTHS)	YEARLY TOTAL (11 MONTHS)
1	\$1,500	\$16,500.00	\$16,500.00
2	\$700.00	\$7,700.00	\$15,400.00
7	\$400.00	\$4,400.00	\$30,800.00
20	\$200.00	\$2,200.00	\$44,000.00
100	\$80.00	\$880.00	\$88,000.00
200	\$50.00	\$550.00	\$110,000.00
200	\$25.00	\$275.00	\$55,000.00
139	\$10.00	\$110.00	\$15,290.00
		TOTAL	\$374,990.00

EVERYONE • EVERYWHERE • EVERYDAY

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