

I AM A HUMAN BEING MADE IN THE IMAGE OF GOD. I AM MADE BY GOD AND FOR GOD. I BELONG TO HIM. MY PURPOSE IS TO KNOW HIM, TO LOVE HIM AND TO JOIN HIM IN WHAT HE IS DOING ON THE EARTH. BECAUSE I AM MADE IN GOD'S IMAGE, I HAVE SIGNIFICANT VALUE AND WORTH. THIS HAS BEEN DECLARED OVER ME BY THE ONE WITH ALL AUTHORITY. MY VALUE IS FIXED. IT DOES NOT CHANGE WITH MORE OR LESS MONEY, IT DOES NOT CHANGE WITH MORE OR LESS FOLLOWERS, IT DOES NOT CHANGE WITH MORE OR LESS INFLUENCE, IT DOES NOT CHANGE WITH MORE OR LESS STATUS, IT DOES NOT CHANGE WITH MORE OR LESS TALENTS. IT DOES NOT CHANGE WITH MORE OR LESS OF ANYTHING. IT SIMPLY DOES NOT CHANGE. IT IS FIXED FOREVER. MY IDENTITY IS NOT DETERMINED BY MY ABILITY, OR MY DISABILITY. IT IS NOT DETERMINED BY WHAT I CAN DO OR WHAT I CANNOT DO. IT IS NOT DETERMINED BY WHAT I THINK OF MYSELF OR WHAT OTHERS THINK OF ME. IT IS NOT DETERMINED BY WHAT OTHERS SAY OR DON'T SAY. IT IS NOT EARNED BY SOMETHING I DO, BUT IS INHERENT TO WHO I AM AS HIS IMAGE BEARER. IT IS A GIFT FROM GOD. IT IS BASED SOLELY ON WHAT GOD HAS SAID AND WHAT GOD CAN DO. BECAUSE I AM A HUMAN BEING MADE IN GOD'S IMAGE, I AM DISTINCT FROM ALL OTHER TYPES OF CREATION. I AM UNIQUE. I HAVE BEEN MADE WITH INTENTIONALITY AND CARE. I AM NOT AN ACCIDENT. NOTHING ABOUT ME IS AN ACCIDENT. I HAVE BEEN PUT TOGETHER ON PURPOSE. I WAS BORN IN A PARTICULAR PLACE ON PURPOSE. MY ETHNICITY, SKIN COLOR, LANGUAGE, AND CULTURE ARE DISTINCT, BEAUTIFUL, AND NECESSARY TO THE FULL DISPLAY OF GOD'S GLORY. I AM BEAUTIFUL, WONDERFUL AND VALUABLE. THIS TRUTH IS FIXED AND UNCHANGEABLE. AT THE SAME TIME, IT IS A BEAUTY COVERED IN BROKENNESS. MY SIN HAS SEPARATED ME FROM MY CREATOR. I WAS MADE FOR HIM. I WAS MADE TO LOVE HIM, REVERENCE HIM, HONOR AND REJECTED HIM. SIN HAS TAKEN AWAY FROM ME WHAT WAS BEAUTIFUL AND STRIPPED ME OF ENJOYING THE PRIVILEGE OF BEING IN THE PRESENCE OF GOD. NOW INSTEAD OF BEING IN HIS PRESENCE, I AM IN THE PRESENCE OF PEOPLE. FOR A PURPOSE, I AM CONSTANTLY SEEKING FOR THEM. INSTEAD OF RECEIVING MY VALUE AS A GIFT I AM NOW TRYING TO EARN IT. I LOOK INSIDE MYSELF TO FIND OUT WHO I AM BUT I SEE LOTS OF THINGS ABOUT ME THAT I DON'T LIKE. EVEN WHEN I EXPRESS MYSELF WITH CONFIDENCE I FEEL A LOT OF INSECURITY. I KNOW SOMETHING IS WRONG. I LOOK TO THE WORLD TO TELL ME WHO I AM BUT THEY CHANGE THEIR MIND A LOT. WHEN I PLACE MY VALUE IN THEIR HANDS, I LIVE BY THEIR APPROVAL AND DISAPPROVAL. WHEN I AM REJECTED I'M STUCK. I KNOW THERE HAS TO BE SOMETHING MORE. I WANT TO BE MORE. THERE IS THE GOD WHO MADE ME. HE SEES ME AS HE IS. HE SEES THE BEAUTY EVEN IN THE BROKENNESS. HE SENT HIS SON, JESUS TO SAVE ME. THE LIFE, DEATH AND RESURRECTION OF JESUS ARE THE SOLUTION TO RESTORE WHAT WAS BROKEN. I CAN BE FORGIVEN. I CAN BE RENEWED TO THE ORIGINAL INTENT OF MY CREATOR. I CAN GO BACK TO WHAT I WAS MADE FOR. I DON'T HAVE TO KEEP LOOKING FOR SOMETHING THAT GOD HAS ALREADY GIVEN ME. BY FAITH IN CHRIST I MOVE FROM THE DIGNIFIED POSITION AS HIS CREATION TO THE DESIRABLE POSITION AS HIS CHILD. I MOVE FROM BEING BEAUTIFULLY MADE BUT DESTINED FOR DESTRUCTION TO BEING BEAUTIFULLY MADE AND DESTINED FOR HEAVEN. I HAVE A HOPE AND A FUTURE. MY IDENTITY IS SECURE, MY VALUE IS FIXED, MY PURPOSE IS MEANINGFUL. JESUS LOVES ME EVEN IN MY WEAKNESS. HE IS A FRIEND OF SINNERS. I DO NOT HAVE TO BE AFRAID. I DON'T HAVE TO BE ENOUGH BECAUSE HE IS ENOUGH. I CAN REST IN WHO I AM BECAUSE I KNOW WHO HE IS. I AM HIS AND HE IS MINE. WHO I AM IS WRAPPED UP IN WHO HE IS. I HAVE BEEN CRUCIFIED WITH CHRIST, IT IS NO LONGER I WHO LIVE BUT CHRIST WHO LIVES IN ME. THE LIFE I NOW LIVE IN THE FLESH I LIVE BY FAITH IN THE SON OF GOD, WHO LOVED ME AND GAVE HIMSELF FOR ME. THROUGH FAITH IN JESUS, THE SPIRIT OF THE LIVING GOD NOW DWELLS IN ME. I WALK IN THIS GOD CONFIDENCE. GOD IS WORKING IN ME AND THROUGH ME. HE HAS THE SAME POWER THAT RAISED JESUS FROM THE DEAD. HE CAN DO ANYTHING. NOTHING IS IMPOSSIBLE WITH GOD. HIS POWER IS EVEN MADE PERFECT IN MY WEAKNESS. IN HIS POWER AND AUTHORITY I JOIN HIM FOR THE GREATEST CAUSE ON EARTH, THE SALVATION OF SOULS. I HAVE A PURPOSE. MY LIFE HAS MEANING. AS THE FATHER SENT JESUS SO NOW JESUS SENDS ME. MY IDENTITY IS IN HIM, MY PLACE IS WITH HIM, AND MY PURPOSE COMES FROM HIM. FOR FROM HIM AND THROUGH HIM AND TO HIM ARE ALL THINGS. TO GOD BE THE GLORY! AMEN.

LIGHT

was made for

DARKNESS

**4 YEARS OF
CITYLIGHT**



REAL HELP. REAL HOPE.

2023

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OUR MISSION, OUR VISION

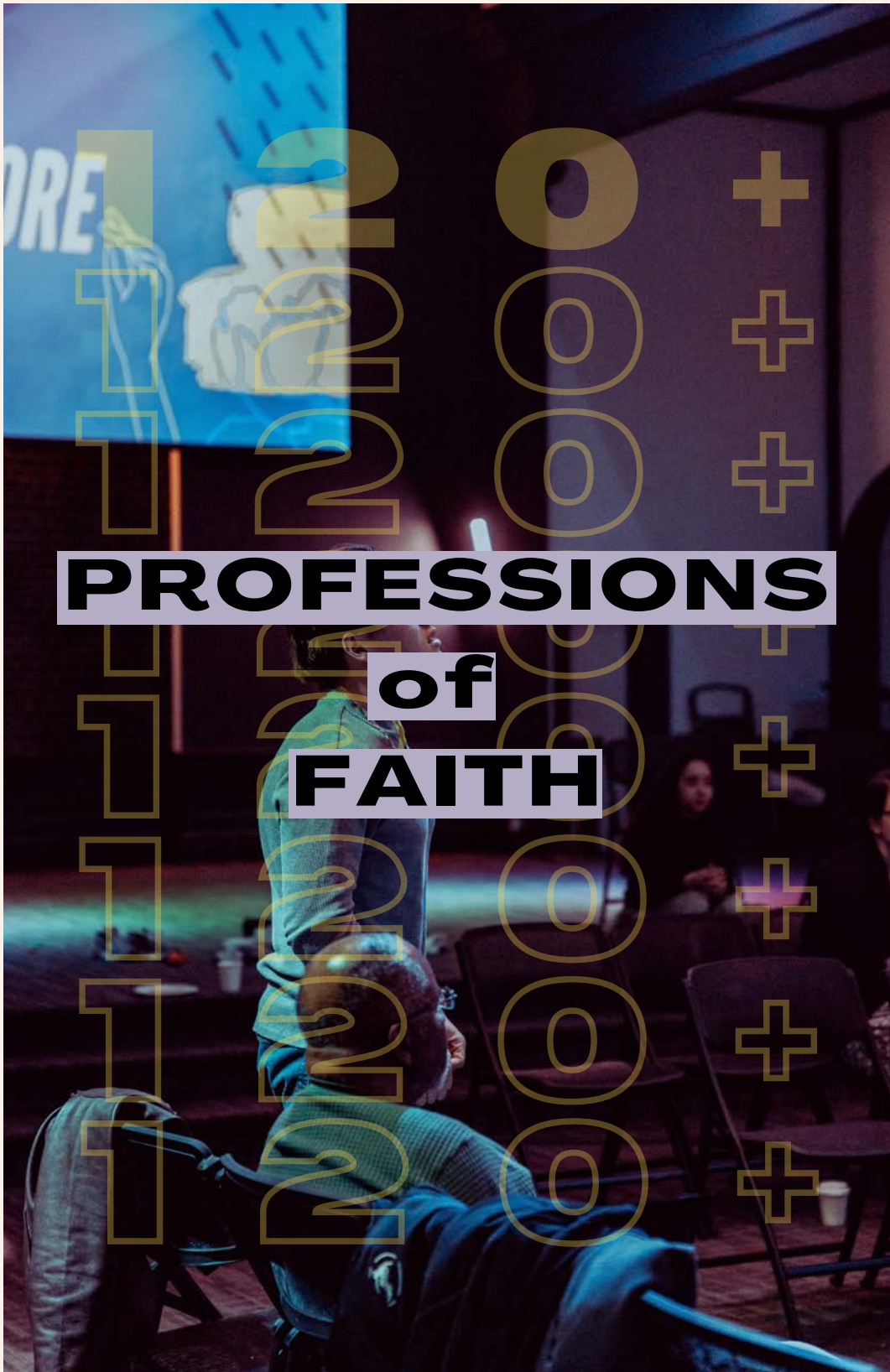
Our **passion** is to **shine the light** of Christ in dark and hard places to bring real hope and help to **all people**.

Our **vision** is to bring light to the world by planting community center churches that are **well-equipped** to be a blessing to local communities both *spiritually* and *physically*.

THE BUILDING

We officially bought the church and the two houses behind it! God opened the door to this place just 6 months after we planted Citylight and now, by our 4th year, He has given us the opportunity to own it. **Praise God for His provision;** We are excited to see God continue to work all around the world though this incredible hub of ministry that **He has given us.**





PROFESSIONS

of

FAITH

BAPTISMS




BAPTISMS



OUTREACH

\$ to Missions	844K
# in Lighthouses	350+
# Servant Leaders	180+
# Lives Impacted	5000





REACH

why we

REACH

**THE SPIRIT OF THE LORD GOD
IS UPON ME,
BECAUSE THE LORD HAS
ANOINTED ME
AND HE HAS SENT ME TO BIND
UP THE BROKENHEARTED,
TO PROCLAIM LIBERTY TO THE
CAPTIVES,
AND THE OPENING OF THE
PRISON TO THOSE WHO ARE
BOUND;
TO PROCLAIM THE YEAR OF
THE LORD'S FAVOR,
AND THE DAY OF
VENGEANCE OF OUR GOD;
TO COMFORT ALL WHO
MOURN...**

ISAIAH 61:1

"Reaching is about being the light by bringing good news and binding up broken hearts. It is a holistic approach to ministry, It is body and soul work. Real hope and help."

- Pastor Nate

how we

REACH

We step **into** and not away from the suffering, the poor, the broken, and the hard hearted

We shine our light in our workplace, in our families, in our social circles, in our neighborhoods, and everywhere we go regardless of what it may cost us

01. We shine the light of Christ locally and globally as we follow Jesus to make disciples of all nations

02. We start Citylight churches, centers, and lighthouses, run events that serve the community, connect with community leaders to find needs and serve families, train Christians to share the gospel and use their gifts to bless others, and many more!

03.

04.

G L O B A L

CHURCHES

01. A GLOBAL CHURCH THAT IS A PART OF THE CITYLIGHT FAMILY OF CHURCHES

CENTERS

02. A CHURCH ANCHORED COMMUNITY CENTER THAT BLESSES A COMMUNITY

PARTNERS

03. OUTSIDE ORGANIZATIONS THAT SERVE COMMUNITIES ALL AROUND THE WORLD

MISSIONS

04. GLOBAL TRIPS TO OTHER PARTNERS/CHURCHES TO SUPPORT WORK

FILL THE CITY

05. OUR GOAL TO BE A PRESENT HELP THROUGHOUT THE NATIONS THROUGH WORSHIP

L O C A L

CHURCHES

01. A FAMILY OF GOSPEL-CENTERED CHURCHES BLESSING DIVERSE COMMUNITIES

CENTERS

02. A CHURCH ANCHORED COMMUNITY CENTER THAT BLESSES A COMMUNITY

PARTNERS

03. OUTSIDE ORGANIZATIONS THAT SERVE COMMUNITIES ACROSS OUR CITY

MINISTRIES

04. GROUPS OF CHURCH MEMBERS USING THEIR GIFTS TO SERVE THE BODY, THROUGH OUTREACH, PROGRAMS AND EVENTS

MEDIA

05. SPREADING THE GOOD NEWS OF JESUS BY LEVERAGING FORMS OF MEDIA TO REACH MORE PEOPLE



REACH



REACH

**"AND AS GOD'S
GRACE
REACHES MORE
AND MORE
PEOPLE, THERE
WILL BE GREAT
THANKSGIVING,
AND GOD WILL
RECEIVE MORE
AND MORE
GLORY."
2 CORINTHIANS
4:15**

GLOBAL

GLOBAL

CITYLIGHT CHURCHES



DEHLI, INDIA

PASTOR RAVI SHARMA + JYOTI



Ravi Sharma is a faithful local Pastor in Northern India who leads a church and several outreaches in Delhi and Uttar Pradesh- one of the most unreached places on earth where there is little to no access to the gospel.

"We have been able to reach about 400 people, not only in Delhi, but also in Haryana, Uttar Pradesh, Punjab, and Maharashtra. New churches will start soon in new places. Because of the Citylight center, now we have the opportunity to reach the homes of more people."

HOW TO PRAY

1. PRAY FOR THE MINISTRY AS IT SPREADS TO OTHER STATES IN INDIA; THAT GOD WOULD PROVIDE RESOURCES, LEADERS, AND MINISTRY OPPORTUNITY
2. PRAY THAT GOD WOULD RAISE UP MORE LEADERS AND PASTORS TO DO GOSPEL WORK IN INDIA + REACH UNBELIEVERS EFFECTIVELY

The church was doing surveys in the community and met a family that was suffering: "very troubled due to a demon, they had huge debts, and they were thinking of committing suicide." The team shared the gospel with them, God freed them from the evil spirit. The family believed and were baptized a few days later. The family attends Citylight every Sunday and has seen life transformation.

100 DECISIONS FOR CHRIST
AND/OR BAPTISM
500 BIBLES DISTRIBUTED



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GLOBAL

CITYLIGHT CHURCHES



QUERETARO, MEXICO

KEY LEADERS: ARIOLA VARGAS,
MARICIO + CYNTHIA MUNGUA

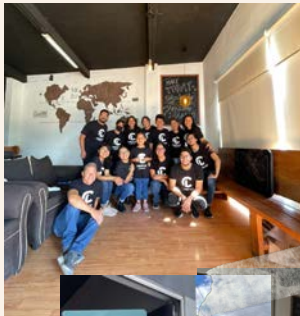
CIUDAD LUZ QUERETARO, STARTED AS A COFFEE SHOP OUTREACH AND NOW GATHERS 20-30 WEEKLY CHURCH MEMBERS AND REACHES OUT TO THE COMMUNITY THROUGH EVANGELISTIC BIBLE STUDIES AND FEEDING FAMILIES AT THE LOCAL HOSPITAL EVERY MONTH.



18 DECISIONS FOR CHRIST
40 BIBLES DISTRIBUTED
13 SERVANT LEADERS

HOW TO PRAY

"Our prayer is that our church plant keeps growing and that all attendees grow in their relationship with God. We also wanna move to a bigger location because right now we don't fit anymore. We need a bigger place and more hands to work at our ministry who share our same vision and mission."



"BECAUSE OF CITYLIGHT'S PARTNERSHIP, WE HAVE SHARED THE GOSPEL WITH MORE THAN 400 PEOPLE IN THE LAST COUPLE OF MONTHS AND ARE DISCIPLING SOME OF THESE PEOPLE ONE-ON-ONE."

GLOBAL

CITYLIGHT CENTERS



TIJUANA, MEXICO
DEHLI, INDIA
QUERETARO, MEXICO

3 CENTERS HAVE
LAUNCHED SINCE
SEPTEMBER 2022



A CHURCH
ANCHORED
COMMUNITY
CENTER THAT
BLESSES A
COMMUNITY
SPIRITUALLY
AND
PHYSICALLY.



REAL
HELP
REAL
HOPE



GLOBAL

CITYLIGHT CENTERS



DEHLI, INDIA



70-100 CHILDREN FED DAILY
40 CHILDREN LEARNING
COMPUTER SKILLS
30 WOMEN LEARNING TO SEW



”Through Citylight Center we have so far preached the gospel to 400 people out of which 100 have accepted Jesus as their Savior and 12 have been baptized.”

GLOBAL

CITYLIGHT CENTERS



QUERETARO, MEXICO



MONTHLY HOSPITAL OUTREACH



AGNUS DEI CAFE COFFEE SHOP IS USED AS A CITYLIGHT CENTER WHERE THE COMMUNITY CAN GATHER, WEEKLY BIBLE STUDIES ARE HELD, AND BELIEVERS ARE MOBILIZED FOR OUTREACH.

300 CUPS OF COFFEE
600 BOXED LUNCHES



“A college student named Tona came as a nonbeliever to the coffee shop; we’ve seen her transformation through the past months, now she is actively participating in our outreach activities, she is proclaiming the gospel and praying for people.”



GLOBAL

CITYLIGHT CENTERS



TIJUANA, MEXICO

KEY LEADERS: CARLOS + ROSSY MONTOYA,
MARIA VAZQUEZ, ELIZABETH RODRIGUES

“THE CITYLIGHT CENTER IN TIJUANA IS A BEACON OF HOPE TO WOMEN WORKING IN THE RED LIGHT DISTRICT. OUR EFFORTS TO REACH THESE VULNERABLE WOMEN HAVE BEEN MORE FRUITFUL IN THE LAST YEAR THAN EVER BEFORE.”



6 WOMEN + THEIR CHILDREN
RESCUED FROM PROSTITUTION

435 GOSPEL PROCLAMATION

8 NEW FULL-TIME STAFF

25 DECISIONS TO FOLLOW

JESUS



“
WE HAVE SEEN 6 WOMEN CAUGHT IN THIS LIFESTYLE BE RESCUED ALONG WITH THEIR CHILDREN. ONE IS NOW ON STAFF SERVING OTHER WOMEN AND ANOTHER IS LIVING WITH US AT THE HOUSE OF GRACE. WE PRAY THAT WE WILL SEE MORE WOMEN RESCUED AND BE ABLE TO SEE THEIR CHILDREN'S LIVES TRANSFORMED.



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CITYLIGHT CENTERS



TIJUANA, MEXICO

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**DAILY MEALS
PROVIDED FOR
MEN, WOMEN, +
CHILDREN
LIVING ON THE
STREETS.**



STEPHANIE GETS SAVED
THROUGH HER KIDS, AS HER
CHILDREN ATTEND KIDS CLUB
EVERY WEEK. HER KIDS
BROUGHT THE GOSPEL TO
THEIR MOTHER!



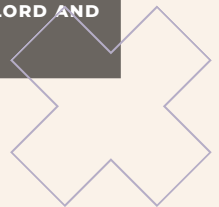
MADELINE IS 9 YEARS OLD. HER
MOTHER WENT THROUGH THE
“ACADEMIA DE MUJERES” AT THE
CITYLIGHT CENTER. AFTER SEEING
HER MOM’S LIFE CHANGE, MADELINE
GAVE HER LIFE TO THE LORD AND
GOT
BAPTIZED.

MINISTRIES:

MEN’S SHELTER

HOUSE OF GRACE

**CUIDAD DE LUZ WOMEN’S
ACADNEMY**



GLOBAL

CITYLIGHT PARTNERS



ICM UGANDA

KEY LEADERS: JOY RUTH NUWANGUZI,
EDWARD KAKOOZA, + SHELLEY TREBESCH



“Because of Citylight + IGI’s partnership ICM Uganda has impacted **17,800** family members through the Transform program in the last year”



4715 GOSPEL PROCLAIMATIONS
546 WEEKLY VOLUNTEERS
97 DECISIONS TO FOLLOW JESUS

GLOBAL

CITYLIGHT PARTNERS

ICM UGANDA



TESTIMONY: ROBERT

Before Transform, Robert's seasonal wage of UGS 500,000 (USD 14.2) from farming could hardly meet the needs of the home. "I struggled in vain. Sometimes, I could end up getting loans that could take the life out of me," he shared. Having a family of 3 with no daily income to provide for them made him very bitter and stressed which resulted in daily fights with his wife. "We used to fight a lot with my wife because I could pick offense when she asks for something yet I don't have money," he said. When he was invited to Transform by the pastor in the community, he was very excited to see what was going to be taught, especially in the livelihood lessons.

By the end of Transform, Robert had taken over the chapati market in the village. "I started with 1 kg of wheat but now I am making 1 cartoon of wheat. Everyone in the village loves my chapatis. At the end of the day, I make a profit of UGS 10,000 (USD 2.8) a day," he said.

Through the values lessons, Robert became a humble and happy person. He and his wife stopped fighting. This has brought back peace to the house. "Now we don't fight at all because once we learned to be patient with each other," he shared. Robert stopped believing in witchcraft and gave his life to Jesus during the Transform process. "I saw I believed a lie that witchcraft would keep me safe. It has always been God protecting me," he shared.

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CITYLIGHT PARTNERS



ICM GUATEMALA

KEY LEADERS: OMAR MARROQUIN
+ KATRINA DAJES



DELITO IS ONE YEAR AND EIGHT MONTHS OLD. HE AND HIS FAMILY LIVE IN A TINY TIN HOUSE WITH DIRT FLOORS. DELITO HAD BECOME EXTREMELY MALNOURISHED AND HAD DIFFICULTY MOVING, DEVELOPING A HUNCH AND SWOLLEN ABDOMEN. THE FAMILY COULD NOT AFFORD MEDICATION. FOR THE NEXT 12 WEEKS, THE YOUNG BOY WAS PROVIDED WITH MANNAPACKS, SPECIALLY FORMULATED RICE SOY MEALS TO HELP MALNOURISHED CHILDREN REGAIN THEIR HEALTH AND NUTRITION.



ICM GUATEMALA CONTINUOUSLY REACHES THOSE LIVING IN EXTREME POVERTY BY PARTNERING WITH THE LOCAL CHURCH TO BRING GOSPEL HOPE TO THE MOST VULNERABLE IN EACH COMMUNITY.

▶ THRIVE NETWORK FOR PASTORS

90 PASTORS IN NETWORK

▶ CARE FOR PREGNANT WOMEN

50 WOMEN GIVEN PRENATAL VITAMINS, CONSISTENT FOOD, + ASSISTED WITH 34 HEALTHY BIRTHS

▶ MEDICAL CARE

DEWORMED 1216 CHILDREN + ADULTS

▶ COMMUNITY CARE

CREATED 30 COMMUNITY GARDENS + SAVINGS GROUPS

BY THE END OF THE 12-WEEK HOME-BASED FEEDING, DELITO HAD ALMOST DOUBLED HIS WEIGHT! HE CAN NOW PLAY LIKE OTHER BABIES AND LOOK AND FEEL HEALTHIER AND HAPPIER.

GLOBAL

MISSIONS TRIPS

3 GLOBAL MISSION TRIPS SINCE SEPTEMBER 2022



NICARAGUA

CHURCH CONFERENCE
+ FILL THE CITY OUTREACH



TIJUANA, MEXICO

PARTNERED WITH LA ROCA
MINISTRIES + CITLYIGHT CENTER



UGANDA

PARTNERED WITH ICM + GOOD
SAMARITAN MINISTRIES

GUATEMALA
GOING IN OCTOBER 2023!

**“BUT YOU WILL
RECEIVE
POWER WHEN
THE HOLY
SPIRIT COMES
UPON YOU. AND
YOU WILL BE
MY WITNESSES,
TELLING
PEOPLE ABOUT
ME
EVERYWHERE—
IN JERUSALEM,
THROUGHOUT
JUDEA, IN
SAMARIA, AND
TO THE ENDS
OF THE EARTH.”
ACTS 1:8**

LOCAL

LOCAL

OUTREACH EVENTS

FALL FESTIVAL

400 + PEOPLE

THANKSGIVING BOX DRIVE

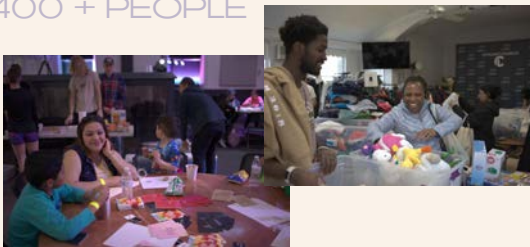
197 PEOPLE SERVED

CHRISTMAS STORE

400 GIFTS GIVEN +
180 KIDS SERVED

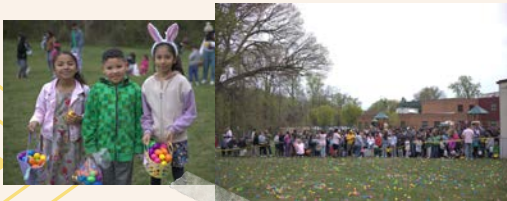
POP-UP SHOP

85 FAMILIES
400 + PEOPLE



EASTER EVENT

160 FAMILIES, 500 + PEOPLE



LOCAL

OUTREACH EVENTS

SPORTS CAMP

85 KIDS



24 KIDS MADE DECISIONS FOR CHRIST

BACK TO SCHOOL BASH

500 + BACKPACKS
GIVEN AWAY,
150 FAMILIES SERVED



LOCAL

MINISTRIES

MONTHLY FOOD DELIVERIES

CITYLIGHT MINISTRIES THAT
HELP SERVE OUR
COMMUNITIES



FISH TANK

FAITH + FADES

30+ people got free haircuts and heard the gospel, a barber in Puerto Rico saw the Instagram video and he was inspired to start his own free haircut ministry!



I would like to extend my message to the people of the church who gave us support during the pandemic by bringing food to my house. It really was a great help to my husband and I. I hope that God in his infinite mercy rewards you with great health and joy in each of you, and hope you know you are pleasing in the eyes of God, thank you for your prayers every time you came to my house at a difficult time, receiving you in my home was a great blessing to me. Thank you very much. We will be praying for you

Blessings,
Leonardo and Bartola Rosario

NEIGHBORHOOD VBS

Jeremiah and Cassidi Burroughs hosted a VBS in their neighborhood and saw families join who felt more comfortable joining than going to church. Kids and parents heard about Jesus!



LOCAL

PARTNERS



COMMUNITY CENTER CHURCH
COMMUNITY CENTER CHURCH
COMMUNITY CENTER CHURCH



- FOSTER THE FAMILY
- CITYLIGHT PRESCHOOL
- CANCION MUSIC SCHOOL
- FOOD FOR OTHERS
- FCHS FOOD PANTRY
- CODE 3
- BOOST OTHERS
- IGI (INNOVATIONS FOR GOSPEL IMPACT)
- AA MEETINGS
- YOUNGLIFE
- YOUNGLIVES
- CIUDAD LUZ
- CITYLIGHT LAO/THAI
- CITYLIGHT CHURCH
- SEASONAL COMMUNITY EVENTS
- EVENT SPACE FOR LOCAL SCHOOLS
- EVENT SPACE FOR COMMUNITY NEEDS LIKE FUNERALS OR CELEBRATIONS
- HUB FOR ALL INTERNATIONAL CITYLIGHT MINISTRY EFFORTS

A COMMUNITY CENTER CHURCH IS A MULTI-PURPOSE FACILITY THAT CAN OFFER WELL ROUNDED SUPPORT FOR SPIRITUAL AND PHYSICAL NEEDS. IT IS LIKE A FOOD HALL BUT FOR MINISTRY. ONE PLACE WITH MANY DIFFERENT OPTIONS FOR HELP. IT IS SATURATED IN PRAYER, ALWAYS PREACHING THE GOSPEL, AND WORKING HARD TO REACH SPECIFIC NEEDS OF THE COMMUNITY. IT IS A NORMAL PLACE FOR NEIGHBORS TO VISIT FOR A VARIETY OF REASONS. IT IS ULTIMATELY A PLACE THAT REPRESENTS THE HEART AND MINISTRY OF JESUS.



CUIDAD LUZ CUIDAD LUZ CUIDAD LUZ

WE ARE A
FAMILY OF
CHURCHES



CUIDAD LUZ PLAYS A KEY
ROLE IN REACHING OUR
COMMUNITY + BEING A
WELCOMING PLACE FOR
FAMILIES TO MEET JESUS
+ BE DISCIPLED IN THE
LOCAL CHURCH.



9 DECISIONS FOR
CHRIST
3 BAPTISMS

AVERAGE
ATTENDANCE

90 ON SUNDAYS

50 WEDNESDAY
LIGHTHOUSE

“A COMMUNITY LEADER LET US KNOW THAT A HARD-WORKING FATHER NAMED CALIXTO HAD HIS TOOLS STOLEN OUT OF HIS TRUCK. THEY WERE EXPENSIVE AND ESSENTIAL FOR WORK. CUIDAD LUZ DELIVERED A NEW SET OF TOOLS, GROCERIES, RENT, AND SHARED THE MESSAGE OF THE GOSPEL. THESE KINDS OF NEEDS ARE BEING MET OFTEN THROUGHOUT THE YEAR AND THE GOSPEL IS GOING FORWARD IN THE HEART LANGUAGE OF MANY PEOPLE IN OUR CITY.”



CUIDAD LUZ HOSTED A
THEOLOGY 101 CLASS
THAT SERVED 40 +
PEOPLE FROM 5
DIFFERENT COUNTRIES



CITYLIGHT LAO THAI CITYLIGHT LAO THAI CITYLIGHT LAO THAI

WE ARE A
FAMILY OF
CHURCHES

WE AVERAGE BETWEEN 20 AND 30 ON
REGULAR SUNDAY MORNINGS, AND FOR
SPECIAL EVENTS, WE CAN HAVE 50 TO
70 IN ATTENDANCE.

- PASTOR PAT KEARNEY



CITYLIGHT LAO
THAI MEETS IN
THE FELLOWSHIP
HALL ON SUNDAY
MORNINGS



3 BAPTISMS
2 HOUSE BLESSINGS
2 VOW RENEWAL
WEEKLY IN-HOME
BIBLE STUDY

FILL THE CITY

ALBUM + TOURS

THIS PAST YEAR WE DECIDED TO START A MINISTRY CALLED **FILL THE CITY** WHICH ENTAILED WRITING AN ALBUM AND TAKING THOSE SONGS INTO DIFFERENT PLACES IN THE CITY AS WELL AS **GLOBALLY** IN ORDER TO **FILL THE CITY WITH GOD'S GLORY AND MAKE JESUS' NAME KNOWN.**

THESE SONGS REPRESENT THE PASSION AND MISSION OF CITYLIGHT CHURCH, AND MOST IMPORTANTLY THE HEART OF JESUS!

ALL SONGS STREAMING NOW

TIJUANA, MEXICO

FTC ALBUM SHARED IN LOCAL CHURCH



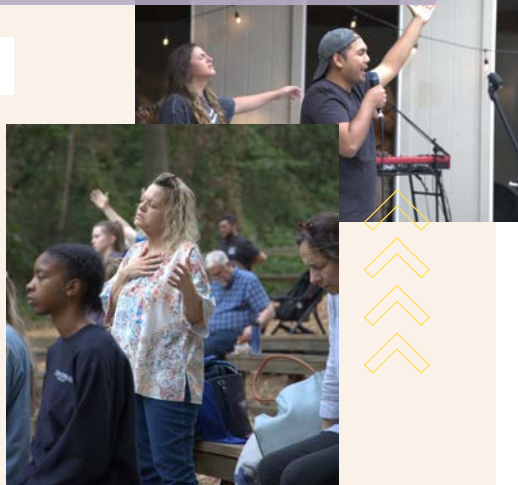
60+ CAME TO WORSHIP **31**

NICARAGUA

FILL THE CITY CONCERT

IN A MULTIPURPOSE SPORTS CENTER IN THE MIDDLE OF THE TOWN AND TONS OF PEOPLE WERE CROWDED AROUND AS WE ALL WORSHIPED GOD WITH BOTH FILL THE CITY WORSHIP SONGS AND SOME OTHER WELL-KNOWN SONGS. THIS NIGHT WAS INCREDIBLE AND MANY PEOPLE CAME TO CHRIST!

LOCAL MASON DISTRICT PARK



MEDIA

AS A MISSION FIELD



INSTAGRAM

8,000+ ACCOUNTS REACHED

IN PAST 90 DAYS

450+ ACCOUNTS ENGAGED

IN PAST 90 DAYS

300+ FOLLOWERS GAINED

IN PAST YEAR

FOLLOWERS IN MEXICO,
INDIA, NIGERIA, BRAZIL +
MORE



”THEREFORE GO AND
MAKE DISCIPLES OF ALL
NATIONS, BAPTIZING
THEM IN THE NAME OF
THE FATHER AND OF
THE SON AND OF THE
HOLY SPIRIT”

YOUTUBE

+173 SUBSCRIBERS

GLOBAL VIEWERS

INDIA, SOUTH KOREA



GOOGLE + WEBSITE

17,782 SEARCHES

**7,250 WEBSITE
ENGAGEMENT**

FROM GOOGLE
SEARCH

MANY OF THE PEOPLE THAT
ARE WITH US TODAY AND
SOME THAT CAME TO CHRIST
RECENTLY FIRST FOUND US
ON GOOGLE OR YOUTUBE.
GOD IS USING THESE MEDIA
OUTLETS TO HELP PEOPLE
GROW IN THEIR FAITH AND
COME TO KNOW CHRIST!



RESTORE

why we

RESTORE

...TO GRANT TO THOSE WHO
MOURN IN ZION—
TO GIVE THEM A **BEAUTIFUL**
HEADRESS INSTEAD OF **ASHES**,
THE **OIL OF GLADNESS** INSTEAD
OF **MOURNING**,
THE **GARMENT OF PRAISE**
INSTEAD OF A **FAINT SPIRIT**;
THAT THEY MAY BE CALLED OAKS
OF RIGHTEOUSNESS,
THE PLANTING OF THE LORD,
THAT HE MAY BE **GLORIFIED**.

ISAIAH 61:3

"We do what we can do so God will do what only God can do! This spiritual exchange, this holistic transformation, is what we want to see in our community and throughout the world. Reaching out is just the beginning of seeing God bring full restoration to people and communities."

- Pastor Nate

how we

RESTORE

LIGHTHOUSES

A primary vehicle to carry out the mission and vision of Citylight. They are relationship based because we believe people make disciples, not places or programs.

LIGHT TEAMS 02.

A place where people can use their gifts and passions to serve the body of Christ.

PRAYER 03.

We are devoted to prayer and structure it into our schedule through weekly Thursday night prayer meetings and several all day prayer events throughout the year.

MINISTRIES 04.

An opportunity for the body to be encouraged in the Word and grow deeper relationships..

LIGHTHOUSES

OTHER THAN ATTENDING CITYLIGHT ITSELF, THERE IS NO GREATER MINISTRY TO BE INVOLVED IN THAN THE LIGHTHOUSES. THE LIGHTHOUSES ARE WHAT OTHER CHURCHES REFER TO AS SMALL GROUPS, MEETING IN HOMES AND APARTMENTS ACROSS THE DMV. WE HAVE SEEN PEOPLE HEALED PHYSICALLY, MENTALLY, EMOTIONALLY, AND SPIRITUALLY, ALL FROM THE SIMPLE ACT OF PRAYING FOR EACH OTHER. WE NOW HAVE A REAL SENSE OF COMMUNITY WHERE WE CAN SHARE OUR GREATEST JOYS AND DEEPEST HURTS AND LONGINGS, AND WE CAN DO SO WITHOUT ANY FEAR OF JUDGMENT. IF YOU REALLY DESIRE TO BELONG TO A GROUP OF BELIEVERS (AND SEEKERS ARE WELCOME TOO), THEN A LIGHTHOUSE IS THE PLACE TO BE.

- MIKE DEZORT, LIGHTHOUSE LEADER



LIGHTHOUSES

LIGHTHOUSES

LIGHT

WE STRIVE FOR OUR LIGHTHOUSE TO BE A VISION OF THE ORIGINAL CHURCH: SUPPORTING ONE ANOTHER IN PRAYER AND EXHORTATION, MEETING TOGETHER WEEKLY TO PRAISE THE LORD, STUDYING HIS WORD, AND GROWING IN DEEPER FELLOWSHIP WITH ONE ANOTHER. WE'VE ALL BEEN SO BLESSED BY ONE ANOTHER'S FAITH AND TESTIMONIES.

- LIZ IRVINE



BEING A MEMBER OF A LIGHTHOUSE COMMUNITY CONNECTS ME TO OTHER MEMBERS OF THE CHURCH. MEETING ONCE A WEEK ... GIVES ME AND EACH MEMBER OF THE LIGHTHOUSE A SENSE OF *BELONGING* AND *PURPOSE*. OUR GROUP HAS HELPED NEW MEMBERS INTEGRATE INTO THE CHURCH FELLOWSHIP, SUPPORTED MEMBERS WHEN THEY HAVE GONE THROUGH DIFFICULT TIMES, AND PROVIDED A NETWORK OF OTHER BELIEVERS TO SHARE LIFE WITH AND BUILD COMMUNITY AND FAITH TOGETHER. WE HAVE ENCOURAGED EACH OTHER TO LIVE OUT OUR FAITH AND GO BE THE LIGHT OF THE WORLD.

- GARTH RIEMAN

LIGHTHOUSES

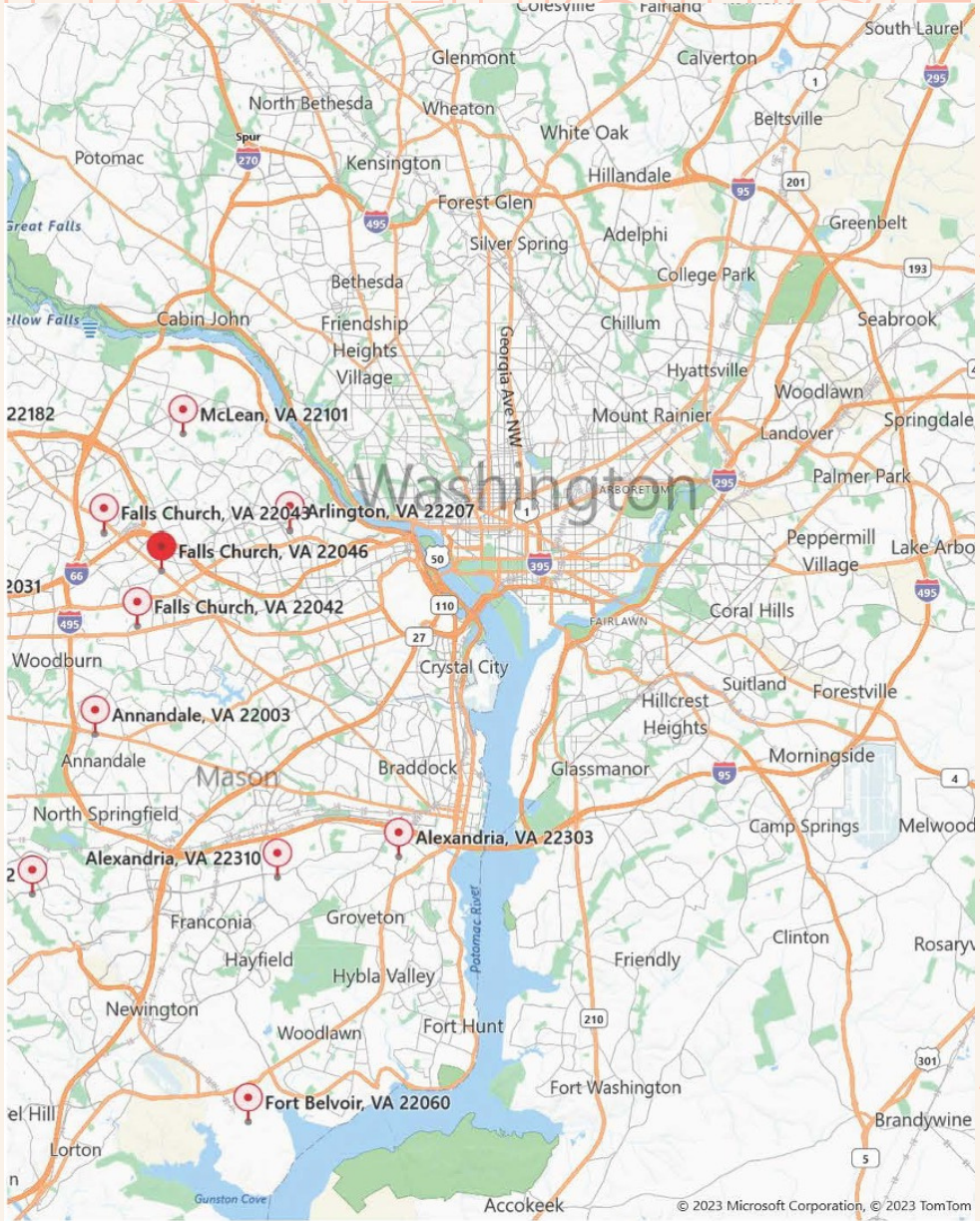


LIGHTHOUSES

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LIGHT TEAMS

180 + SERVANT LEADERS

HOSPITALITY

K I D S

PRODUCTION

M E D I A

WORSHIP

Y O U T H

180 + SERVANT LEADERS

LIGHT TEAMS

S E R V E



SERVING ON THE HOSPITALITY TEAM WITH MY FAMILY HAS BEEN SUCH A BLESSING AND HAS ESPECIALLY BEEN SUCH A GREAT WAY FOR OUR KIDS TO GIVE BACK TO THE COMMUNITY AND WELCOME OTHERS.

chris medaris

CITYLIGHT LAUNCHED A MEDIA LIGHT TEAM AND HAS GROWN TO 10 SERVANT LEADERS FAITHFULLY USING THEIR SKILLS TO ENCOURAGE THE CHURCH AND REACH PEOPLE IN THE COMMUNITY.



S E R V E

CITYLIGHT



WOMEN'S MINISTRY

4 events held this year and a bible study with an average attendance of around 70+ women for each event

We look forward to our first men's ministry event this October!



MEN'S MINISTRY

PRAYER



RESTORE



We have been running our weekly prayer meeting called **Restore** for more than 3 years now. God always shows up in mighty ways and has worked through us and in us as we pray. It is the engine that makes Citylight go. Prayer is the work!



IMMERSE

We continue to dedicate an entire day to prayer, worship, and fasting 3 times a year through **Immerse** as we align our hearts to seek God. 21 days of prayer and fasting – This is how we begin every year to make sure we are relying on God. This year after the 21 days we had 4 straight weeks of baptisms as God moved so powerfully!





REPEAT

why we

REPEAT

**THEY SHALL BUILD UP THE
ANCIENT RUINS;
THEY SHALL RAISE UP
THE FORMER
DEVASTATIONS;
THEY SHALL REPAIR THE
RUINED CITIES,
THE DEVASTATIONS OF
MANY GENERATIONS.**

ISAIAH 61:4

“Rebuilding happens when the process of reaching and restoring is repeated. This is why we say around Citylight that everything multiplies from personal discipleship to lighthouses to churches. We put a lot of energy into training so we can raise up leaders and the next generation who can continue God’s work to reach, restore, and repeat.”

-Pastor Nate

how we

REPEAT

DISCIPLING THE NEXT GENERATION

We prioritize investment in our young adults, youth, and kids so they can be lights in the darkness and continue the work God is doing.

MULTIPLICATION

Starting new churches, centers, lighthouses, and ministries so we can multiply new disciples for Jesus.

01.

TRAINING

Equipping the saints for the work of the ministry.

03.

LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT

Intentional investment in raising up leaders through internships, year-long residencies, and the soon-to-come School of Missions which will be a semester of full-time bible training and evangelistic activity locally and globally.

04.

NEXT

GENERATION

CITYLIGHT

KIDS

100+
KIDS/SUNDAY

THIS YEAR'S CURRICULUM

- Bible Reading
- Being a Light of the World
- Praise & Thanksgiving
- Advent
- Prayer
- Easter
- Characteristics of Jesus
- The Armor of God



**CITYLIGHT
PLAYDATE**

**15 CHILDREN
DEDICATED**



**2 CHILDREN
BAPTIZED**



**3 PARENT'S
NIGHTS OUT**



**OCTOBER PNO WE PARTNERED
WITH YOUNG LIVES - A GROUP
OF 15 MOMS EXPERIENCED A
KNITTING CLASS AND WE
CARED FOR THEIR CHILDREN
THAT EVENING!**

NEXT

GENERATION

CITYLIGHT

YOUTH



MIDDLE SCHOOL MEETS EVERY
SUNDAY MORNING AND HIGH
SCHOOL EVERY SUNDAY NIGHT

TEENAGERS ARE BEING REACHED
WITH THE GOSPEL, GROWING IN
THEIR FAITH, AND CONNECTING
WITH ONE ANOTHER!



2 DECISIONS FOR
CHRIST

1 BAPTISM

FROM 3 TO 9 SERVANT
LEADERS

NEXT

GENERATION

CITYLIGHT YOUNG ADULTS

TUESDAY GATHERINGS
30 TO 70 PEOPLE

SPRING RETREAT
70+ CAME AND
1 DECISION FOR CHRIST

12 BAPTISMS

6 DECISIONS FOR CHRIST

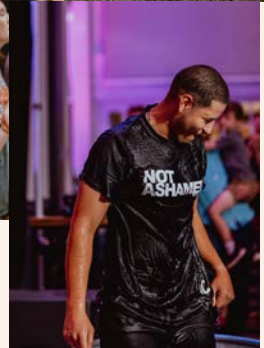
15 YA PARTICIPATED

IN GLOBAL MISSIONS TRIPS

9 YA SERVING IN YOUTH

COMMISSIONED YA

TO PLANT TEN27 CHURCH



NEXT

GENERATION

CITYLIGHT PRESCHOOL

MISSION

Citylight Preschool bridges communities with children of all backgrounds and integrates curriculum to provide a holistic Christian education that will equip children with foundations for their future.

VISION

Citylight Preschool aims to provide spiritual and educational formation to 20 children and their families in our church and community by expanding our program to include both a Pre-K class and a 3/4 Year Old Class.

FIRST FULL YEAR OF
PRESCHOOL



SECOND GRADUATING
CLASS



NEXT

GENERATION

CITYLIGHT PRESCHOOL

WHAT WE LEARNED

- GOD MADE ME WONDERFUL
- GOD LOVES ME NO MATTER WHAT
- GOD IS GOOD
- JESUS IS GOD'S SON
- GOD HAS PLANS FOR ME
- JESUS LOVES ME
- JESUS IS AMAZING
- I CAN LOVE LIKE JESUS

HOW WE SERVED

- Provided education on parenting topics to seek God in the midst of real-life parenting
- 3 Community Family Moms offered a 10 Week English class
- Served families with physical needs through setting up homes, supporting rent and childcare needs, and assisted with a move back to a home country





TRAINING

This last year we launched a Christianity 101 class, a theology 101 class in English and Spanish, an apologetics conference, and a marriage and parenting conference.

TRAINING

CITYLIGHT INTERNSHIP



**40+ INTERNS AND
RESIDENTS**
4 RESIDENTS AND 15
INTERNS PAST YEAR

GROWTH IN
INTERNATIONAL REACH
GUATMALA, HAITI,
NICARAUGUA, MEXICO

EQUIP
send

"THIS SUMMER I LEARNED TO BE BUSY IN THE WORD AND TO BE GUIDED BY THE HOLY SPIRIT, THAT NO MATTER WHERE I AM, I AM A DAUGHTER OF GOD BECAUSE HE HAS GIVEN ME THAT IDENTITY, AND MY EYES SHOULD ALWAYS BE ON JESUS FIRST"

GABBY PINEDA

"DURING THIS INTERNSHIP THE LORD HAS TAUGHT ME THAT THERE ARE NO REQUIREMENTS TO DO HIS WORK. I DON'T HAVE TO DO EVERYTHING PERFECTLY, I ONLY HAVE TO FOLLOW HIS GUIDANCE."

NAOMI HAMAKER

"THIS SUMMER, THE LORD TAUGHT ME THAT I CAN TAKE LEAPS OF FAITH WITH HIM. HE ALSO TAUGHT ME HOW I CAN FIND MY PLACE IN THE BODY OF BELIEVERS."

MAX PIERRE-PIERRE

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G R O W T H A R E A S

RENOVATION

RENOVATING THE BUILDING TO SERVE
OUR CHURCH AND COMMUNITY

NEXT GENERATION

EXPANDING PRESCHOOL, STARTING
CITYLIGHT MISSIONS SCHOOL, CITYLIGHT
COLLEGE, + INVESTING IN KIDS/YOUTH.

MULTIPLICATION

2 YEAR GROWTH: 3 TO 7 GLOBAL SITES, 3
TO 5 LOCAL SITES, 21 TO 40
LIGHTHOUSES.

COMMUNICATION

INVESTING IN MEDIA AS A MISSION FIELD
TO CONTINUE TO REACH PEOPLE HOUSE
TO HOUSE AND PHONE TO PHONE.

FORMATION

CONTINUED TRAINING AND EQUIPPING
THROUGH CREATING CLASSES +
CONFERENCES

VISION



HERE'S TO 4 YEARS
2023

2019

go be the
LIGHT
of the world

2023

I AM A HUMAN BEING MADE IN THE IMAGE OF GOD. I AM MADE BY GOD AND FOR GOD. I BELONG TO HIM. MY PURPOSE IS TO KNOW HIM, TO LOVE HIM AND TO JOIN HIM IN WHAT HE IS DOING ON THE EARTH. BECAUSE I AM MADE IN GOD'S IMAGE, I HAVE SIGNIFICANT VALUE AND WORTH. THIS HAS BEEN DECLARED OVER ME BY THE ONE WITH ALL AUTHORITY. MY VALUE IS FIXED. IT DOES NOT CHANGE WITH MORE OR LESS MONEY, IT DOES NOT CHANGE WITH MORE OR LESS FOLLOWERS, IT DOES NOT CHANGE WITH MORE OR LESS INFLUENCE. IT DOES NOT CHANGE WITH MORE OR LESS STATUS, IT DOES NOT CHANGE WITH MORE OR LESS TALENTS. IT DOES NOT CHANGE WITH MORE OR LESS OF ANYTHING. IT SIMPLY DOES NOT CHANGE. IT IS FIXED FOREVER. MY IDENTITY IS NOT DETERMINED BY MY ABILITY, OR MY DISABILITY. IT IS NOT DETERMINED BY WHAT I CAN DO OR WHAT I CANNOT DO. IT IS NOT DETERMINED BY WHAT I THINK OF MYSELF OR WHAT OTHERS THINK OF ME. IT IS NOT DETERMINED BY WHAT OTHERS SAY OR DON'T SAY. IT IS NOT EARNED BY SOMETHING I DO, BUT IS INHERENT TO WHO I AM AS HIS IMAGE BEARER. IT IS A GIFT FROM GOD. IT IS BASED SOLELY ON WHAT GOD HAS SAID AND WHAT GOD CAN DO. BECAUSE I AM A HUMAN BEING MADE IN GOD'S IMAGE, I AM DISTINCT FROM ALL OTHER TYPES OF CREATION. I AM UNIQUE. I HAVE BEEN MADE WITH INTENTIONALITY AND CARE. I AM NOT AN ACCIDENT. NOTHING ABOUT ME IS AN ACCIDENT. I HAVE BEEN PUT TOGETHER ON PURPOSE. I WAS BORN IN A PARTICULAR PLACE ON PURPOSE. MY ETHNICITY, SKIN COLOR, LANGUAGE, AND CULTURE ARE DISTINCT, BEAUTIFUL, AND NECESSARY TO THE FULL DISPLAY OF GOD'S GLORY. I AM BEAUTIFUL, WONDERFUL AND VALUABLE. THIS TRUTH IS FIXED AND UNCHANGEABLE. AT THE SAME TIME, IT IS A BEAUTY COVERED IN BROKENNESS. MY SIN HAS SEPARATED ME FROM MY CREATOR. I WAS MADE FOR HIM, I WAS MADE TO KNOW HIM, BUT I HAVE IGNORED AND REJECTED HIM. SIN HAS BROKEN WHAT WAS BEAUTIFUL AND STRIPPED ME OF ENJOYING THE BEAUTY OF HIM. NEVER SPOKEN OVER ME. NOW INSTEAD OF BEING SECURE IN MY IDENTITY, PLACE, AND PURPOSE, I AM CONSTANTLY SEEKING FOR THEM. INSTEAD OF RECEIVING MY VALUE AS A GIFT I AM NOW TRYING TO EARN IT. I LOOK INSIDE MYSELF TO FIND OUT WHO I AM BUT I SEE LOTS OF THINGS I DON'T LIKE. EVEN WHEN I EXPRESS MYSELF WITH CONFIDENCE I AM MASKING MY INSECURITY. I KNOW SOMETHING IS WRONG. I LOOK TO THE WORLD TO TELL ME WHO I AM BUT THEY CHANGE THEIR MIND A LOT. WHEN I PLACE MY VALUE IN THEIR HANDS, I LIVE BY THEIR APPROVAL AND DIE BY THEIR REJECTION. I'M STUCK. I KNOW THERE WAS A BETTER WAY TO LIVE. I WAS MADE FOR MORE. THERE IS THE GOD WHO MADE ME SEE ME AND LOVES ME. HE SEES THE BEAUTY EVEN IN THE BROKENNESS. HE SENT HIS SON JESUS TO SAVE ME. THE LIFE, DEATH AND RESURRECTION OF JESUS ARE THE SOLUTION TO RESTORE WHAT WAS BROKEN. I CAN BE FORGIVEN. I CAN BE RENEWED TO THE ORIGINAL INTENT OF MY CREATOR. I CAN GO BACK TO WHAT I WAS MADE FOR. I DON'T HAVE TO KEEP LOOKING FOR SOMETHING THAT GOD HAS ALREADY GIVEN ME. BY FAITH IN CHRIST I MOVE FROM THE DIGNIFIED POSITION AS HIS CREATION TO THE DESIRABLE POSITION AS HIS CHILD. I MOVE FROM BEING BEAUTIFULLY MADE BUT DESTINED FOR DESTRUCTION TO BEING BEAUTIFULLY MADE AND DESTINED FOR HEAVEN. I HAVE A HOPE AND A FUTURE. MY IDENTITY IS SECURE, MY VALUE IS FIXED, MY PURPOSE IS MEANINGFUL. JESUS LOVES ME EVEN IN MY WEAKNESS. HE IS A FRIEND OF SINNERS. I DO NOT HAVE TO BE AFRAID. I DON'T HAVE TO BE ENOUGH BECAUSE HE IS ENOUGH. I CAN REST IN WHO I AM BECAUSE I KNOW WHO HE IS. I AM HIS AND HE IS MINE. WHO I AM IS WRAPPED UP IN WHO HE IS. I HAVE BEEN CRUCIFIED WITH CHRIST, IT IS NO LONGER I WHO LIVE BUT CHRIST WHO LIVES IN ME. THE LIFE I NOW LIVE IN THE FLESH I LIVE BY FAITH IN THE SON OF GOD, WHO LOVED ME AND GAVE HIMSELF FOR ME. THROUGH FAITH IN JESUS, THE SPIRIT OF THE LIVING GOD NOW DWELLS IN ME. I WALK IN THIS GOD CONFIDENCE. GOD IS WORKING IN ME AND THROUGH ME. THE SAME POWER THAT RAISED JESUS FROM THE DEAD IS WORKING IN ME. NOTHING IS IMPOSSIBLE WITH GOD. HIS POWER IS EVEN MADE PERFECT IN MY WEAKNESS. IN HIS POWER AND AUTHORITY I JOIN HIM FOR THE GREATEST CAUSE ON EARTH, THE SALVATION OF SOULS. I HAVE A PURPOSE. MY LIFE HAS MEANING. AS THE FATHER SENT JESUS SO NOW JESUS SENDS ME. MY IDENTITY IS IN HIM, MY PLACE IS WITH HIM, AND MY PURPOSE COMES FROM HIM. FOR FROM HIM AND THROUGH HIM AND TO HIM ARE ALL THINGS. TO GOD BE THE GLORY! AMEN.