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"...you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth."

From the mouth of Jesus, these words were given to early church mothers and fathers to see all places changed by the gospel. Jesus wants the transforming power of His life, death, and resurrection to have an impact locally, globally, and across all generations.

### **What does this mean for us?**

We believe that Jesus is asking the same of us today! Imagine with us that He is giving our family the responsibility to tell His story in Marshfield, Central Wisconsin, the Midwest, and to the farthest places from us on earth!

To do this, we work alongside trusted partners at home and away. We generously fund their projects and we give time to walk, drive, or fly from our neighborhood into theirs. We're committed to this effort to see people be made new, find freedom, discover purpose, and live fully alive in the name of Jesus.

This year, God has opened up dozens of opportunities to see exactly that happen! We have an open door to care for the unborn in our community, a dream to see a new church campus in a neighboring community, a way of seeing at-risk students in our county given a chance at a fruitful future, and more than a dozen other ways to see Jesus reach local people in global places!

Through your above and beyond generosity, our church is able to see the story of Jesus truly reach further in frequency, farther to places it's never been, and faster so that every person can hear it before Jesus returns.

Since 2022, North Ridge Church has given over \$550,000 to see lives, communities, and nations changed by Jesus! 2025 is our biggest year ever imagined!

We're asking God to miraculously allow us to raise

**\$228,675**

To see this happen we need YOU. Will you dare with us to see the dreams of our church and our partners become a reality this year?

If you're excited to know the many dreams coming to Central Wisconsin, and the others that are being realized around the world, flip a few pages and pray with us for a miracle!



**WHAT  
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ASKING?**

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# GLOBAL PARTNERS

## **REACH PARTNER MONTHLY SUPPORT**

We have 38 strategic partnerships with workers and organizations from Marshfield to Mexico to the mountains of Nepal. Our support of their work allows them to be in places we may never see, with a hope that we'll spend a joyous eternity together.

## **REACH PARTNER CARE**

As generous people, we are serious about doing more to care for our partners than committing to monthly support. When they visit us, we're generously hospitable. When they're away, we bring teams to bless, encourage, and honor them and the work they're doing to reach further, farther, and faster.

## **CONVOY OF HOPE: GLOBAL DISASTER RELIEF**

War, famine, and natural disaster are an unfortunate and inevitable result of sin in our world. While we may not know when these situations will arise or what they will be, we have a desire to be ready with generosity that will bring hope for those that need it.

## **ADDIS ABABA UNIVERSITY**

### **DOUG & CORRINE LOWENBERG | ETHIOPIA**

To make disciples of Jesus for the nations, this university creates opportunities for their students to share the gospel in neighboring communities, teach in partner churches, minister to prisons, and be ministered to in a daily chapel. Whether for the first time or for a needed time, our generosity means that a new sound system will enhance and move vital ministries forward.

## **FEED MY STARVING CHILDREN: MOBILE PACK**

**SHANNON & TONI NIENAST | MARSHFIELD**

Hunger causes nearly half of deaths in children under 5 years old. This is heartbreaking. Dedicated to seeing every child whole in body and spirit, this organization works with food distribution partners and nutrition professionals to develop meals to reduce problems with malnutrition across the globe. Our support will allow our Marshfield community to gather, pack, and send meals to hungry kids around the globe.

## **BANGKOK ICA: SEALED KIDS CLUB**

**BRANDON & RACHEL POWELL | THAILAND**

These Bangkok partners have dreamed of caring for the children of sex workers in the red light districts of their capital city. Connected with the Lasso Food Truck, a previous project, our support will promise the Sealed Kids Club ability to meet and offer a hope-filled space for children to learn English, eat great food, and hear the Gospel!

## **L'EGLISE OASIS: ROUEN CHURCH PLANT**

**KEVIN & NOEL MILLER | FRANCE**

Just north of Paris, a young pastor couple, Sebastien & Melina, are dreaming of planting a church in one of the least reached regions of France. Despite being spiritually dry, 50 French nationals have already committed to planting a life giving church to change the city they call home. With the coaching of our partners, these funds will jump start a revival in an unreached city and allow Jesus to be known!

## **(SENSITIVE) JORDAN AMMAN COMMUNITY CENTER**

**TRAVIS & KARI ABRAHAMSON | JORDAN**

In a rough refugee neighborhood of Amman, many poor Muslim kids have little supervision. To share the story and truth of Jesus, our partners operate a popular outreach center providing boys and girls safe activities in a loving environment. To protect students from injury as they try to enter on days when programs are at max capacity, safety barriers must be constructed. Our gift will prevent future injuries to young boys and girls falling from adjacent buildings, desperate to be part of programs they love.

## **(SENSITIVE) LIVEDEAD SILK ROAD: TCK MISSION TRIP INDIA**

**ANNA & FISH BRENT**

Across the forgotten countries between China and Turkey reside dozens of missionaries and their families. Their children can live as accessories to the ministry their parents feel called to, but the partners above live to champion the Christ-centered wholeness of these young people across borders and time zones. To see that mission flourish, a short term trip is planned to mobilize six of these teenage children out of their isolated lives to minister together for Jesus in India. Our support ensures that this opportunity remains affordable and accessible so that these six students can experience ministry of their own agency.







# LOCAL PARTNERS

## **NORTH RIDGE CHURCH: LOCAL COMMUNITY CARE**

Across the globe and in our hometown, we see work that Jesus needs to do. These funds allow our church to do a great variety of work: partner with local schools, pay rent or utilities for church family in need, purchase Christmas gifts for kids in struggling families, or provide hygiene products for at-risk women. Our partnership means that the needs of the needy will not go unmet!

## **NORTH RIDGE CHURCH: LOYAL/GREENWOOD CAMPUS**

Just a few miles away our church family has grown a tremendous wingspan influence in these two rural communities and a dream was shared to reach them with the message of Jesus. This year, we will see the beginning of a life giving campus come to fruition as we launch a community to see these towns transformed by the Gospel. Your giving ensures that the lost will be found minutes from Marshfield!

## **NORTH RIDGE CHURCH: SOUTHSIDE DEVELOPMENT**

This first ever REACH Project was purchased with a dream to restore a property once used to hurt the vulnerable into a place to restore our community. This year we aim to complete the first phase to restore the grounds with reflection ponds and a new garage space to store ministry supplies and equipment for the work that God has yet to reveal. A commitment to this project ensures readiness for what will become more than we could ask or imagine.

# **PREGNANCY CENTER RENOVATION**

## **FIRST CHOICE PREGNANCY CENTER | MARSHFIELD**

Wanting to show the love of Jesus by providing pregnancy support through educated decisions about life, this partner is ready to open a new center in Marshfield after proving their ministry in Stevens Point and Wisconsin Rapids. Our generosity will help renovate their new space so guests and new parents will feel safe, welcomed, and comfortable while being nervous about their future and the future of their pregnancy.

# **CITY ON A HILL**

## **ART SERNA | MILWAUKEE**

Our partner continues to grow rapidly in scale and excellence. Between their outreach ministry, hosted teams, and fundraising events, a need has been identified. To reduce the effort needed for our partner to secure resources to move ministry forward, we've been asked to help our partner purchase portable cashless donation devices. Our dedicated gift will mean that any person with any form of payment, cash, check, mobile pay, or card will be able to give to the work we honor and esteem!





**BLESSED  
ARE THE**

**PEACEMAKERS**

**FOR THEY WILL BE CALLED CHILDREN  
OF GOD.  
MATTHEW 5:9**



# NEXT GEN PARTNERS

## **NORTH RIDGE SCHOOL OF MINISTRY**

To see spiritual mothers and fathers raised up, we believe we need to ready and equip our family with biblical truth for our ever-changing world so that they might be publicly fruitful and privately filled with the Spirit of God for whatever future He has purposed for us. Our ongoing support supplements school expenses and ensures the ministry's ability to prepare future leaders to build the Kingdom.

## **NEXTGEN SCHOLARSHIPS**

Throughout the year, North Ridge Church is able to send well over 100 kids to camps, conventions, and retreats. The support from this project will prevent cost from ever being an excuse to not encounter God, experience salvation, or receive a call to ministry.

## **MEGA SPORTS CAMP**

### **NORTH RIDGE CHURCH | MARSHFIELD**

This week-long and highly anticipated outreach is an effective sports themed camp that will take over the Southside this summer! Funds for this project will provide a tent needed to keep kids cool and shaded in the summer sun. Our commitment of funds, prayer, and time will allow us to engage local kids and families in a step toward Christ-centered wholeness!

## **XA UW STEVENS POINT: XA HOUSE**

### **NICOLE & TOM BARG | STEVENS POINT**

Last year, our partners dreamed of securing a house 60 feet away from campus as a hub to minister to students. We dreamed with them and saw over 50 students connect in weekly small groups because we provided a close and readily available place. We want to do it again this year! Our dollars ensure that those same students and more will have a predictable place to experience the grace and people of Jesus!



## **YOUTH FOR CHRIST: LIFE CHOICES PHASE II**

**LIZ GOSSE | WISCONSIN RAPIDS**

In one year, this pioneer program to see at-risk students graduate high school has grown from 9 to 40 students! Life Choices will continue to serve the developmental and academic needs of students throughout the area and establish summer and fall programming aimed at meeting the relational and spiritual needs of young people. Our generous giving will allow for many connections and conversations about the gospel to happen outside the school day in a safe and vital aftercare environment.

## **XA UW EAU CLAIRE: CAMPUS LAUNCH**


**STEPHEN & LEXI JELLISON | EAU CLAIRE**

A new work is launching on one of our closest, and one of the state's largest, university campuses! To help them start with excellence, our gift will support the professional design of all their promotional and marketing materials! This commitment ensures that the attention of young people will be grabbed and engaged in conversations that will point them to Christ-centered wholeness!

## **SPENCER LAKE CHRISTIAN CAMP**

**KENT FALSTAD | WAUPACA**

Our district camp is divided by a busy county highway. During peak camping season, thousands of crossings happen as guests move from one side of camp to the other. In 2019, that one of those crossings sent a student by medevac to receive emergency care. To secure the safety of young people and the future of our camp, an underground crossing will be dug in 2025. Our support of this big dig means that Spencer Lake will be a safe place for all people for generations to come!





**OH SING TO THE LORD  
A NEW SONG;  
SING TO THE LORD,  
ALL THE EARTH!**

**SING TO THE LORD,  
BLESS HIS NAME;  
TELL OF HIS SALVATION  
FROM DAY TO DAY.**



**DECLARE HIS GLORY  
AMONG THE NATIONS,  
HIS MARVELOUS  
WORKS AMONG ALL  
THE PEOPLES!.**

**PSALM 96:1—3**

# REACH TRIPS 2025 & 2026

An integral part of all these fantastic REACH Projects is creating opportunities to meet our partners who dreamed them up and seeing all of it in action. We send teams around the globe to work alongside our incredible global family in ways that help push their work forward.

Does this excite you? Great! You can apply for a future REACH Trip!

First, apply for a REACH Team by going to **[nr.church/reach](https://nr.church/reach)**. If you've never gone on a REACH Trip before, our City on a Hill trip is your first trip! Second, apply for a passport by going to **[passportstatus.state.gov](https://passportstatus.state.gov)** as soon as possible. You can't go global without one!

Read on to see what opportunities are available in the years ahead and how you might go as you continue to give and pray to see the story of Jesus move further, farther, and faster.

## **WAUPACA | SPENCER LAKE | MAY 10, 2025**

This is a one day trip focused on labor projects to ready our campground for the 1,000+ campers who will encounter God, be baptized in the Holy Spirit, and discover a call to ministry. This year we've been assigned a strategic landscaping project to beautify four newly remodeled lodges. **The cost is free.**

## **MILWAUKEE | CITY ON A HILL | JUNE 10-15, 2025**

Serving this city neighborhood is the best first step to grow a gospel heart for all people. This trip focuses on understanding generational poverty, removing racial residue, and loving families in Jesus' name. ATTN: If you are a skilled medical professional, your experience can be used in a medical outreach. **The cost is \$450.**

## **TAJIKISTAN | AL & STEPH KINNUNEN | OCTOBER 7-15, 2025**

This is the poorest former Soviet country on the Silk Road with only .06% of their 10.2 million people claiming Christ. In 2022, this majority Muslim country banned the registration of any new churches. This is what makes working with our partners so exciting. Through hosting an English Camp, this REACH Team will create vital opportunities for the gospel to be shared and received by many who have never heard it before. **The cost is approx. \$2,000.**

## **GERMANY | ANNA & FISH BRENT | DEC 26, 2025-JAN 4, 2026**

Outside Berlin, Live Dead Silk Road hosts a winter retreat for their global workers so they can continue to minister to incredibly difficult and unreached places. Our REACH Team will create a camp experience for newborns through young adults whose families serve on the Silk Road. Your partnership will ensure that our missionaries and their families can minister to the lost for years to come! **The cost is approx. \$2,750.**

## **NEPAL | MICHAEL & ELIZABETH KRAMER | FALL 2026**

Home to the Himalayas and 30.5 million people, only 4.4% of its population have a knowledge of Jesus. With evangelism being illegal, our partners use civil engineering projects to create gospel opportunities on the rooftop of the world. In October of 2026, this all men's team will travel across the globe to work hard trekking to unreached places to oversee the construction of a common good project so the gospel can reach further to places it's never been! **The cost is approx. \$3,500. Men only.**

## **THAILAND | BRANDON & RACHEL POWELL | EARLY DEC 2026**

In connection with an international church in Bangkok, our partners have multiple ministry connections throughout the nation: red light ministry, church planting, juvenile justice work, and more. This team will use the Christmas season celebration as a creative way to share the gospel in hope that many could be made new and find freedom in Jesus. **The cost is approx. \$3,500.**





# WHAT IS MY BEST GIFT?

Last year, 151 people in our church family gave their best gift to see \$266,306 given away to see lives changed by the story of Jesus. We saw...

Less than \$500 = 83 people

\$500 - \$999 = 22 people

\$1000 - \$4999 = 37 people

\$5000 - \$9999 = 4 people

Over \$10,000 = 5 people

Giving is a joy and we're told that Jesus can do immeasurably more than we can ask or imagine. If you agree, imagine with us what your best gift will look like this year!

**PLAN: MY BEST GIFT IN 2025 WILL BE \$** \_\_\_\_\_

**VISION: MY BEST GIFT IN 2025 COULD BE \$** \_\_\_\_\_ **IF I...**

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**DREAM: MY BEST GIFT IN 2025 MIGHT BE \$** \_\_\_\_\_ **IF GOD...**

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**GO: I WILL REACH...**

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**THANK YOU  
FOR  
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WITH US!**



# REACH

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