



JOURNEYCHURCH.TV ANNUAL REPORT 2012-2013 & BRAG BOOK





Seeing cities
TRANSFORMED
one life at a time

our vision

Honor God
BUILD HEALTHY
relationships and
HAVE A BLAST

our strategy

Clark Mitchell

Founding Senior Pastor

If you watch TV, or read online, you don't have to look far to find people who paint a picture of gloom and doom. But as God's people, we have reason to celebrate! You only have to hang around the halls of JourneyChurch for a short time to hear the incredible stories of how He is transforming lives and, in turn, transforming our cities. I get to live the story of JourneyChurch with you each and everyday. Over the past 12 months, we've seen God's favor upon our church to open doors we never imagined. I've watched as your unprecedented generosity has enabled us to reach more people with the love and hope of Jesus Christ than ever before. So this book...it's all about you and what God has done through you! This is not just a book about numbers. Because every number represented is a life changed and impacted forever because of God's work through you. So thank you for all you've done. Your consistent generosity changes everything...allowing JourneyChurch to be more consistent than ever before in fulfilling our mission of seeing cities transformed, one life at a time.

Blessings,
Clark Mitchell



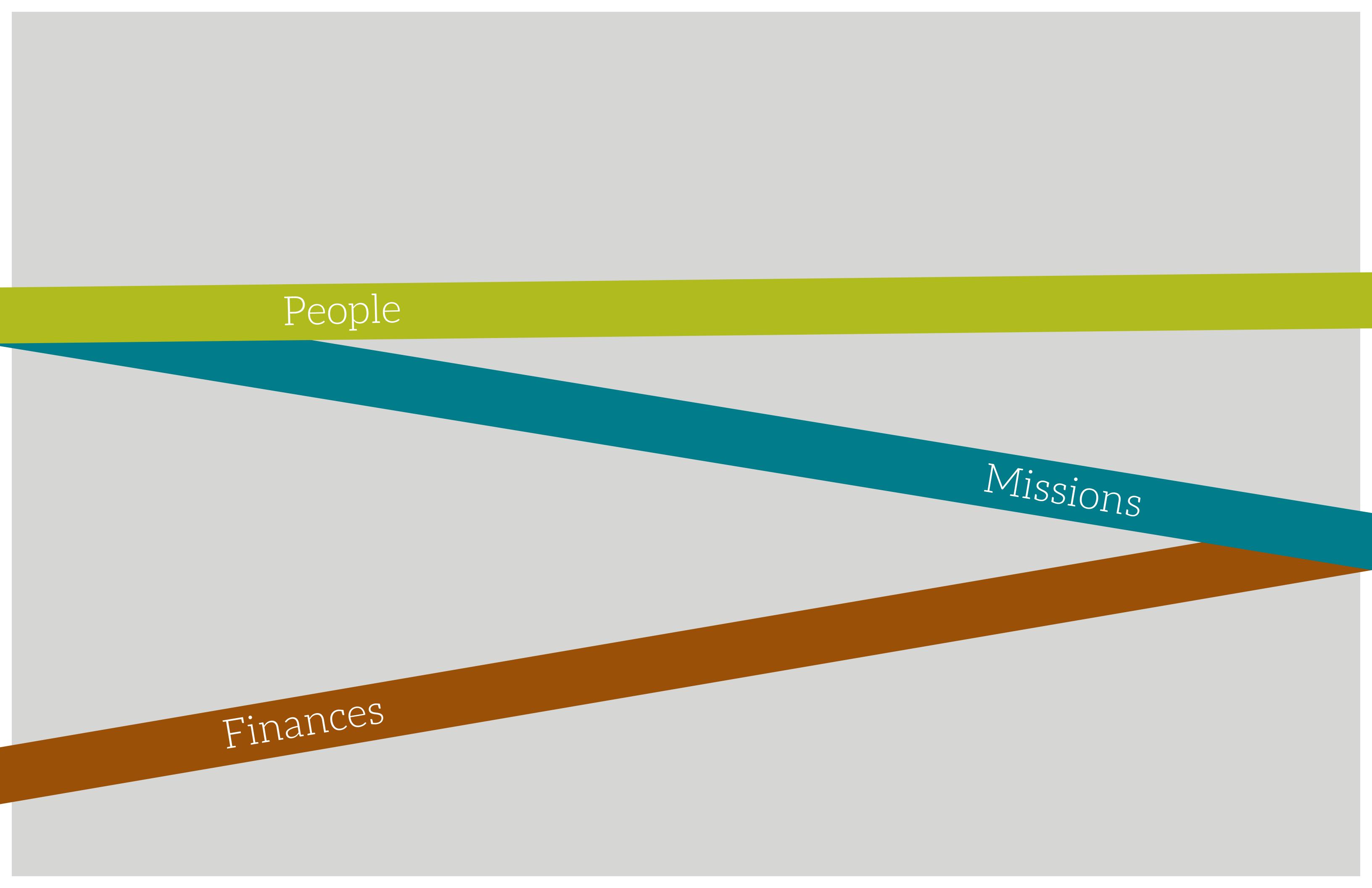
Pastor Clark Mitchell



GOD CAN DO ANYTHING, YOU KNOW -
FAR MORE THAN YOU COULD EVER IMAGINE OR
GUESS OR REQUEST IN YOUR WILDEST DREAMS!
HE DOES IT NOT BY PUSHING US AROUND
BUT BY WORKING WITHIN US,
HIS SPIRIT DEEPLY AND GENTLY WITHIN US.

EPHESIANS 3:20 (The Message)

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People

Missions

Finances

ATTENDANCE

We believe God makes a difference in our city. We believe that God can do anything and we believe that life change and city change starts within our church. By creating experiences, we enable people to feel free to invite their friends, family, co-workers, and neighbors. By living into God and His power, we really believe we can see a city transformed one life at a time, and that starts right here in our house.

AVERAGE WEEKLY ATTENDANCE

 **3,925 PEOPLE**

JKIDS AVERAGE WEEKLY ATTENDANCE

 **863 CHILDREN**

TOTAL LIFE GROUPS



26% INCREASE 

 **318**  **430**
TOTAL GROUPS TOTAL LEADERS

ADULT GROUPS

COLLEGE GROUPS

STUDENT GROUPS

ADULT LEADERS

COLLEGE LEADERS

STUDENT LEADERS

EASTER WEEKEND ATTENDANCE

 **8,560 PEOPLE**



11%
INCREASE

CHRISTMAS SPECTACULAR WEEKEND ATTENDANCE

 **8,884 PEOPLE**



34%
INCREASE

COMMITMENTS TO CHRIST & BAPTISMS

More salvations in one year than at any point in our Church history!



TOTAL SALVATIONS



2,022 PEOPLE

2012

1,697

2013

1,822



CHRISTMAS COMMITMENTS TO CHRIST



266 PEOPLE

2012

24

2013

266



EASTER COMMITMENTS TO CHRIST



138 PEOPLE

2012

103

2013

138



BAPTISMS

241 PEOPLE

2012

210

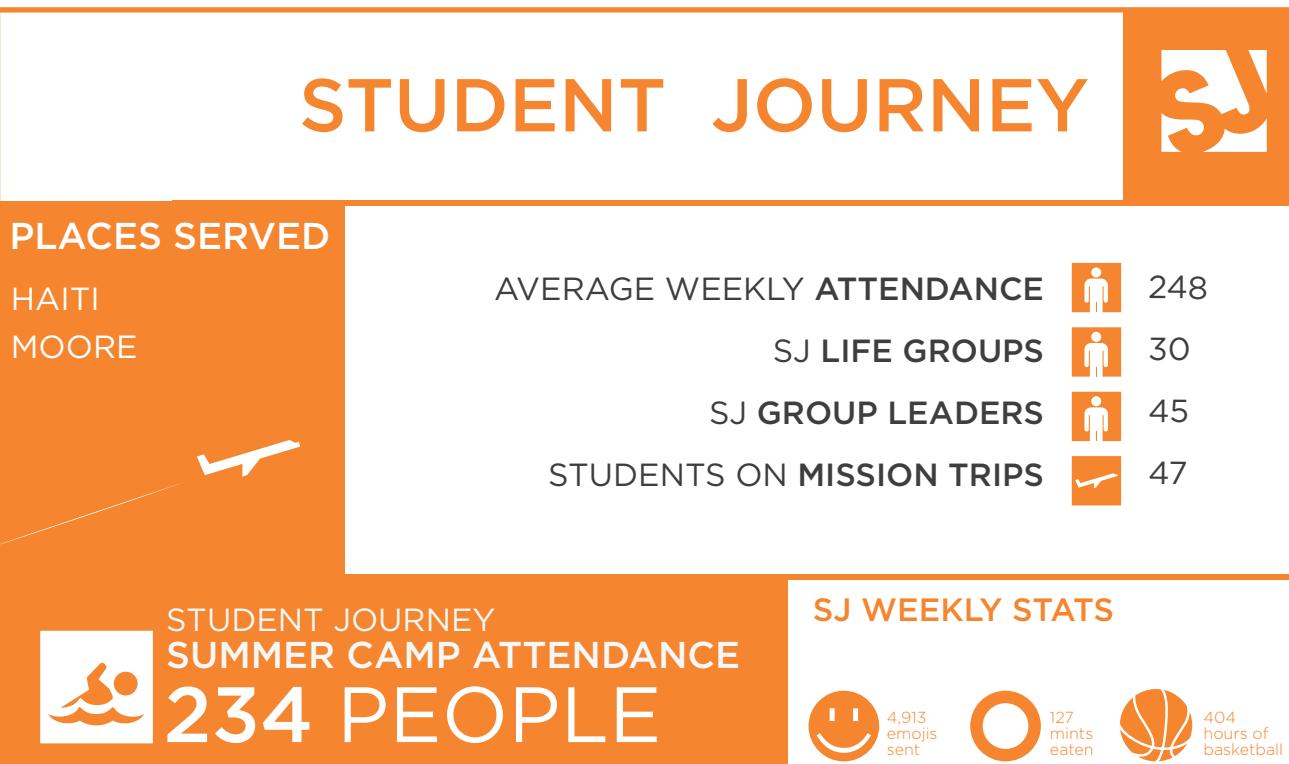
2013

241

People

MINISTRIES

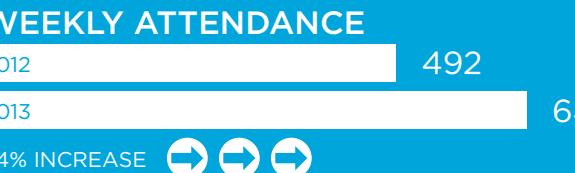
Sundays are the time for us to come together as a body and worship our Lord, but we acknowledge the importance of the youth and younger generations. We must invest in the next generation, and equip them to lead and change our cities as they get older. They will one day impact their schools, universities, and jobs, and we want to help develop them as leaders in their communities.



COLLEGE JOURNEY

AVERAGE WEEKLY ATTENDANCE	646
COLLEGE LIFE GROUPS	27
COLLEGE LIFE GROUP LEADERS	37
STUDENTS ON MISSION TRIPS	163
AMOUNT DONATED ON MISSION TRIPS	\$156,860

PLACES SERVED
NICARAGUA
LOS ANGELES
HAITI
ALBANIA
MOORE



FALL 2012

AFTER SCHOOL LEADERSHIP ATTENDANCE	146
LEADERSHIP CLASSES	278

SCHOOLS IMPACTED

LONGFELLOW
WHITTIER
DIMENSIONS
KENNEDY
WILSON
CCS
HOMESCHOOL
PONCA CITY

SPRING 2013

AFTER SCHOOL LEADERSHIP ATTENDANCE	178
LEADERSHIP CLASSES	250

SCHOOLS IMPACTED

LONGFELLOW
WHITTIER
DIMENSIONS
KENNEDY
WILSON
CCS
HOMESCHOOL
PONCA CITY

TOTAL STUDENTS REACHED

2012	120
2013	1,728
694% INCREASE	➡➡➡

LOVEWORKS WEEKLY STATS



* through mentorship and school leadership assemblies

JourneyChurch is a **house**.

A **house** where God is honored.

A **house** where prayers are answered,
hearts are mended and lives are
changed.

We are a **house** committed to transforming
our cities...one life at a time.

A **house** that uses creativity to point people to
the Creator.

A **house** that believes the God of generations past is
the answer for the next generation.

The people of this **house** gather to build healthy
relationships and have a blast together!

And the highest calling of our **house** is to worship the God
of the universe.

The King of kings. The Lord of lords.

We are a **house**.

We are JourneyChurch.

Serve, Give, Invite

Christy Rockwood

"Disaster Relief, no experience necessary, just a servant's heart willing to be obedient to God's nudge. Disaster Relief was so multifaceted and hard to sum up in a few words."



Taylor and Jordan Newby

"She said we have \$9.60 in our bank account,
we don't have gas in our cars, what do we do?
I said, Give it all. He says test Him - you know-
and we tested Him...and he provided."



James Metcalf

"God hasn't brought me this far to just
forget about me and turn away; Our God is a
God of second and third and fourth and fifth
and sixth chances."



Missions

OUTREACH PARTNERS

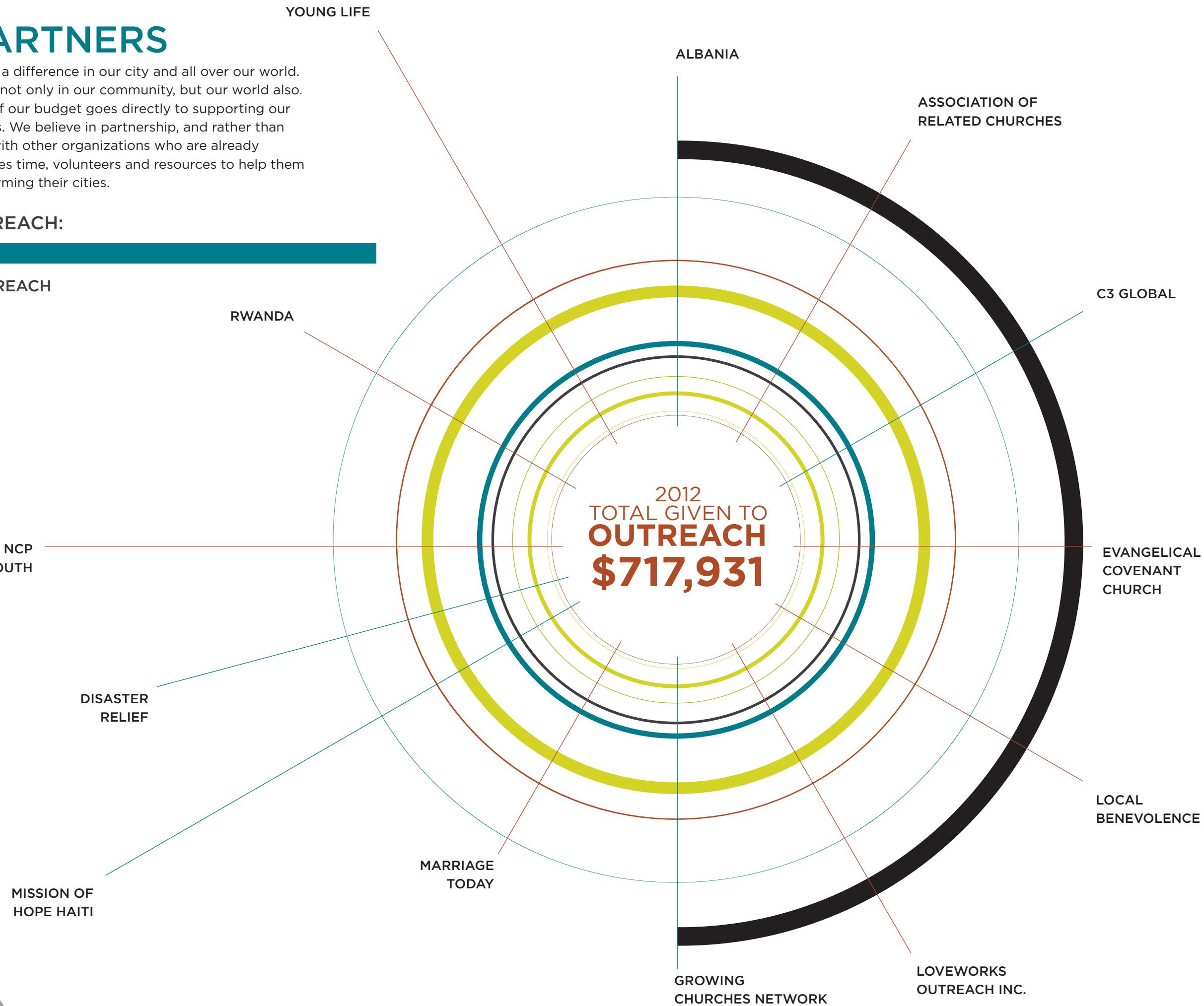
Global Journey is how our church makes a difference in our city and all over our world. Focusing on Acts 1:8, we make disciples, not only in our community, but our world also. When you give to Journey Church, 12% of our budget goes directly to supporting our local and international Outreach Partners. We believe in partnership, and rather than starting our own ministries, we partner with other organizations who are already experts in different areas. Journey donates time, volunteers and resources to help them become even more successful at transforming their cities.

2012 TOTAL GIVEN TO OUTREACH:

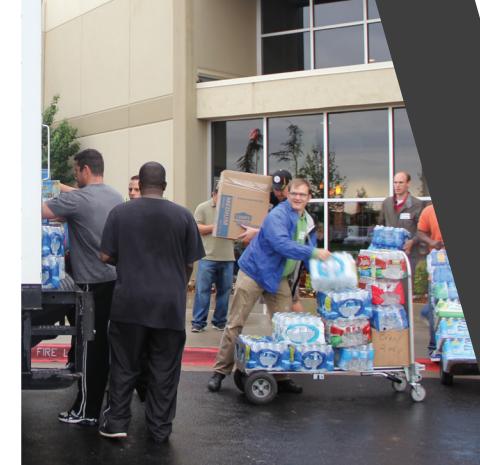


INTERNATIONAL LOCAL OUTREACH
\$92,378 \$625,553

12%
OF OUR BUDGET
GOES TO OUTREACH



Missions



MOORE DISASTER RELIEF

On May 20, 2013 a massive tornado landed in our own backyard, and carved a line of destruction directly between our two campuses. Within moments of the storm, JourneyChurch put out a simple call via social media for our congregation to step up and serve those in need.

That simple call resulted in the people of JourneyChurch embarking on one of the largest disaster relief responses in all of the OKC area. Hundreds of volunteers came together to literally serve thousands of hours. Truckload after truckload of food, water, toiletries and clean-up supplies came through the doors of Journey to be prepped and sent immediately to those in need. As a result, we directly impacted over 1500 families with food, funds, volunteer support and pastoral care. What began as a unfathomable circumstance became an unmatched opportunity to share God's loving compassion and bring glory to His name.

8,500 volunteers in eight days

Thank you so much to all who
served, donated and prayed!

Your efforts bring to incredible life to our vision...

"To see cities transformed
one life at a time".

F**2012-2013 FINANCE**

God continued to bless JourneyChurch financially in 2012. Because of the generosity of the people in our House, we saw an 11% increase in our weekly giving, enabling us to have greater impact than ever before.

AVERAGE WEEKLY OFFERING**\$112,172**

2012 \$100,464

2013 \$112,172

**TOTAL TITHES & OFFERINGS****\$5,832,974**

2012 \$5,224,146

2013 \$5,832,974

**2012-2013 EXPENSES**

MINISTRY 54%

MINISTRY SERVICES 21%

DEBT 17%

MISSIONS 8%

2013 - 2014 PROJECTED EXPENSES

MINISTRY 61%

MINISTRY SERVICES 16%

DEBT 15%

MISSIONS 8%

SEEDS CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS**\$899,314****SEEDS GIVING TO CAUSES****\$232,890****SEEDS
TRANSFORMING THROUGH MULTIPLYING**

Since the beginning, the vision of Journey Church has been the same....to see cities transformed one life at a time. God has used Journey Church to transform the lives of thousands and blessed us with incredible multiplication over the past decade. Through Seeds, we were able to create amazing ministry environments and help with unique causes in our communities that saw hearts changed and lives transformed.

BASKETBALL COURT**AUDITORIUM UPGRADE****THEATER REMODEL****SWOKC CAMPUS LAUNCH**

seeds

Governance

Journey Church is senior pastor led, elder governed and run by a talented staff and approximately 1,000 volunteers!

Clark Mitchell - Founding Senior Pastor

Clark Mitchell is the founding senior pastor of JourneyChurch with over 20 years of ministry experience. He and his wife Robin led the planting of the church 12 years ago. Robin is the director of the church's Women's Ministry. They have three children Christopher (21), Caleb (16), and Caitlyn (14).

Sam Wampler

Sam and his wife Lori have been attending for over 10 years with their sons Gage (16) and Caleb (9). In addition to being an Elder for many years, Sam has recently joined the JourneyChurch staff as Executive Pastor. Sam and Lori serve as small group leaders and in JourneyKids. Prior to joining the staff of JourneyChurch, Sam had decades of experience in automobile dealership leadership & management.

Rick McKinney

Rick and his wife Sharon have attended JourneyChurch for 10 years. They have three children Mave (31), Michael (28), and Meredith (22). They have served as ushers and were very involved in the renovations of the Buy for Less campus and the building of the North Campus. Rick is the president of The McKinney Partnership.

Jim Spurgeon

Jim and his wife Diana have been attending JourneyChurch for over 9 years. They have two daughters, Kourtney (22) and Kayla (19). One of their primary areas of service in the church is as small group leaders. Jim is a dentist at Smile Solutions.

Walt Strong

Walt and his wife Cherry have been married nearly 45 years and have been active at JourneyChurch since early 2008. They have two children that live in Edmond and the seven greatest grandchildren on the planet. Walt and Cherry have served in several areas at JourneyChurch including the marriage ministry (Love & Respect), as greeters/helpers and are active in several Journey Groups. Walt is the lead administrator at the OU Airport.

Senior Executive Team

Clark Mitchell - Founding Senior Pastor

Sam Wampler - Executive Pastor

Rod Conant - Pastor of Spiritual Formation

Bryan Waldenville - Norman Campus Pastor

Marty Taylor - Pastor of Creative Journey

MARKETABLE SECURITIES: TRANSFER OWNERSHIP OF STOCKS, BONDS OR MUTUAL FUND SHARES

Marketable Securities are a great way to maximize your giving because you may receive an immediate tax deduction for the full fair market value of your securities. In addition, you could pay no capital gains tax on the difference between your cost and fair market value.

OTHER NON - CASH GIFTS: DONATE ITEMS LIKE CARS, BOATS AND JEWELRY

Did you know that over 90% of the world's wealth is held in assets, not cash? That means that most of your giving capacity is tied up in your "stuff," not your checkbook. Contact the Ministry Services office at the church and we will work with you to determine the most appropriate way to donate your non-cash gift to the church. Donors will be sent an acknowledgement letter, including a description of the donated item and the date it was received.

LIFE INSURANCE: NAME JOURNEY CHURCH AS A BENEFICIARY OF YOUR POLICY

A current life insurance policy can be transferred to Journey Church, for which you will receive an immediate income tax deduction for the cash surrendered value. Journey Church will elect one of two options: cash in the policy for immediate ministry needs or keep it and utilize the death benefit later.

PLANNED GIFTS: GIVING RETIREMENT ASSETS, BEQUESTS, TRUSTS, ETC.

AS PART OF YOUR OVERALL PERSONAL FINANCE STRATEGY

If you have planned in advance to give a gift as part of your overall personal finance strategy, we recommend that you discuss your decision with your tax and/or financial adviser.

There are several types of gifts that may fall under this category, many of which are very simple to make and do not require any formal communication which include:

- Life Insurance: you can simply name Journey Church as a beneficiary.
- Retirement Assets: you can name Journey Church as a beneficiary of your IRA, 401(k) or other qualified retirement plan. Did you know that 50%-60% of your retirement assets may be taxed if you leave them to your heirs at your death? Any amounts left in your plan will transfer to Journey Church free of income and estate tax.
- Bequests: you can name Journey Church in your will as a beneficiary, and your estate will receive an income tax deduction for the value of your bequest. A bequest written in a will can be made for either a percentage or an actual amount.

Other types of planned giving include gifts that may be more long-term in nature. For example:

- Charitable Gift Annuity: cash or marketable securities are transferred to a charitable organization in exchange for a current income tax deduction and the organization's promise to make fixed annual payments to you for life.
- Charitable Lead Trust: cash or marketable securities are transferred to a trust, which makes fixed payments to the charitable organization over a specified period of time, then transfers the remaining assets to your heirs.





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