GCD OUTREACH

Mission: We exist to fulfill God's great mission by Christ working in and through us.

Vision: Loving God, loving others, and making disciples wherever we are.

Core Outreach Values

- 1. We value Kingdom Advancement by:
 - a. Distribution of His word and proclamation.
 - b. Leading people into a deeper relationship with Christ.
 - c. Church planting and small group ministries.
- 2. We value caring for **Families in Distress** by:
 - a. Sponsoring children at risk providing education and food.
 - b. Caring for orphans and promoting foster care.
 - c. Providing shelter for families in distress.
- 3. We value providing **Resources for Life** by:
 - Combating poverty in rural areas through community development projects, clean water, medical camps, good education, and irrigation/farming projects.
 - b. Providing food and shelter for the homeless.
- 4. We value being a **Voice for the Voiceless** by:
 - a. Drawing attention to the plight of the unborn.
 - b. Assisting in the rescue and restoring of young girls trafficked into the sex industry.

Focus Group Strategy

Concentrate all our resources and energy into Key Focus areas currently aligning all we do with our core values:

Focused Area + Focused Projects = Greatest Impact

2-YEAR OUTREACH STRATEGIC PLAN

Local Partners

Primary Focus: Douglas and Arapahoe County

Partners: Denver Rescue Mission, Hope Academy, Alternatives Pregnancy Center, Open Door fellowship, and Christ's Body

Grace Initiatives: Winter Shelter Network, Refugee Mentoring

Local/Global Ministry Philosophy

- a. We seek to pray, listen and follow Gods specific leading for Grace Chapel.
- We invest in long-term mutual partnerships with indigenous churches and national workers, empowering and serving with humility and grace.
- c. We select local partners that are serving within our core values.
- d. We resource impactful, strategic plans that are presented by our partners, agreed by the team with good accountability, and measurable results.
- We send short-term teams to our focus area partners, both local and global, with clear goals and objectives for each team without placing unnecessary burdens on our partners.
- f. We investigate sustainability (Business as Missions) projects where it makes the most missional sense.
- g. We believe everyone is sent both local and global.
- h. We work among the poorest and least reached peoples of the world in the 10/40 window.



Global Partners:





CY 2016

Admin

- Complete the outreach policy manual. •
- Complete and execute the overall strategic plan. •
- Align all church ministries (youth, women, children, • and men) with the overall strategy.
- Re-align budget with overall strategy. .
- Develop an outreach volunteer team. •
- Develop an advisory team for Outreach Pastor. •
- Complete church survey. •
- Visit Africa, China, and North Africa. •
- Develop an outreach communications strategy.
- Communicate new direction to the church. ٠
- Develop an exit strategy for each ministry. •

Local

- Align our local partners with our overall strategy.
- Launch the Winter Shelter for women and children • as our first GC local initiative.
- Thanksgiving outreach in Aurora. •
- Christmas Outreach in Aurora. •
- See 100 or more people serving each month in • outreach.

Global

- Forgotten Triangle
 - Begin phase one of the community • development plan in Benin.
 - Complete local outreach, purchase land for church, drill well, and support the pastor.
 - Plan one short-term team from Grace. •
- China •
 - Begin the process for registration, training, • funding, and set up of the community center in Xichang.
 - Plan one short-term team from Grace.
- North Africa •
 - Send vision team to North Africa (Sep/Oct). •
 - Build relationship with the local church, and establish a joint ministry plan.
 - Align what we are doing against that plan.

CY 2017

Admin

- Begin a new leadership mentoring program for • volunteers.
- Host at least two Outreach Ministry fairs at Grace. •
- Continue to recruit and train new leaders for new initiatives.
- Initiate one personal evangelism training seminar at • Grace.
- Continue to build relationships with Douglas County churches and government agencies.
- Continue to develop shared projects. ٠

Local

- Build relationships with all our local partners seeking for additional ways to serve.
- Hire a part-time Local Outreach Director. •
- Launch the Refugee Ministry as our second GC initiative.
- Host two refugee welcome events for at least 20 • families.
- See 10 Muslim refugee families being mentored by • GC members.
- See two Muslim families attending Grace regularly with their mentors.
- Winter Shelter for 60 women and kids.
- 150 or more people serving monthly in outreach ministries.

Global

- Forgotten Triangle
 - Visit Niger to begin plan development.
 - Begin phase one of community development • plan in Niger.
 - Send 1-2 short-term teams.
- China
 - Setup community center facility; train staff in Xian; grand opening in November.
 - Send 1-2 short-term teams to Sichuan.
- North Africa •
 - Help the North Africa team navigate any changes to the current ministry model.
 - Launch first steps of the ministry plan.
 - Send 1 short-term team.