

ANNUAL REPORT

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WE ARE LIFEPOINTE

OUR MISSION

WE EXIST TO GLORIFY GOD AND MAKE GOSPEL-DRIVEN DISCIPLES BY

ENGAGING PEOPLE IN THE UNEXPECTED JOY OF A LIFE MORE AND MORE DEPENDENT ON JESUS

OUR VALUES

WE ELEVATE GOD'S GLORY OVER OURS

BECAUSE OUR EFFORTS AND ATTITUDES ARE TO MAKE MUCH OF GOD, NOT MUCH OF US

WE START AND STAY WITH SCRIPTURE

BECAUSE WE BELIEVE ALL TRUTH BEGINS AND ENDS IN GOD'S TRUTH

WE GROW TOGETHER IN JESUS

BECAUSE PEOPLE AND GENERATIONS ARE MADE TO GROW BETTER TOGETHER

WE PRAY BIGGER THAN WE PLAN

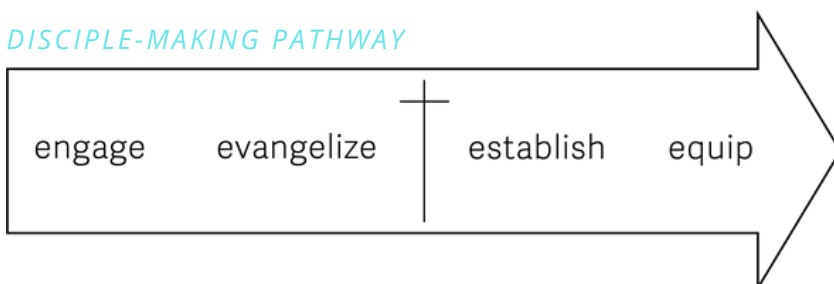
BECAUSE JESUS CAN DO MORE THAN WE ASK OR IMAGINE

WE GO WITH THE GOSPEL

BECAUSE THE GOSPEL IS GOD'S PLAN FOR THE NATIONS AND THE NEIGHBORHOODS

This year has been focused on taking **Jesus Steps** on our **Disciple-Making Pathway** below. As we reflect on what God has been doing, we hope this report drives us all to praise God! And while we know that this document will certainly not capture every story, we pray that seeing a fresh look at some examples of God's faithfulness will encourage your faith and help all of us take new steps with Jesus.

DISCIPLE-MAKING PATHWAY



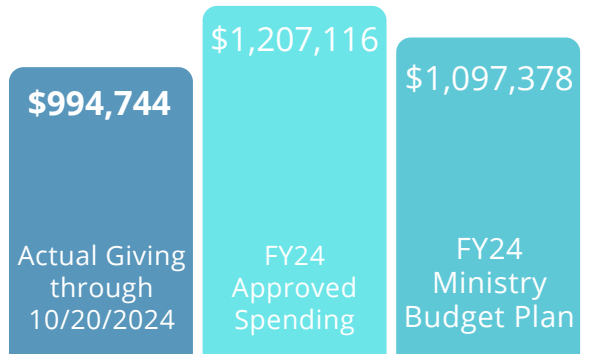
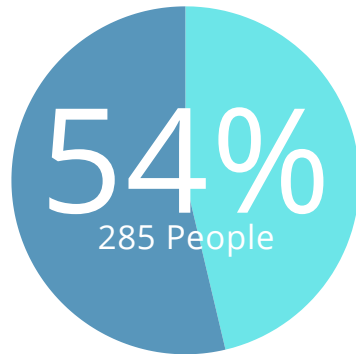


HEALTH REPORT & GIVING OVERVIEW

People
SERVING

People in
GROUPS

Fiscal-Year General Fund
GIVING



Giving Snapshot - current through Oct. 20, 2024

Category	Fiscal Year 2024 - current year	Fiscal Year 2023 - last year	Difference
General Tithes and Offerings	\$994,744	\$1,059,218	-\$64,474
Designated - Benevolence Ministry	\$29,896	\$43,239	-\$13,343
Designated - Building Debt	\$53,693	\$54,118	-\$425
Designated - Missions	\$106,353	\$29,992	\$76,361
Designated - Memorial	\$116,540	\$3,096	\$113,444
Designated - Other	\$60,509	\$53,548	\$6,961
Total Giving	\$1,361,735	\$1,243,211	\$118,524

NEW General Fund givers: 29

Total General Fund givers: 230

Total givers, including designated giving: 390



SERVING

GROUPS AND SERVING

	NUMBER
Teams or Opportunities for serving	62
Volunteer-Led Teams/Groups	29
Total People serving	288

“But whoever would be great among you must be your servant, and whoever would be first among you must be your slave, even as the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many.”
-Matthew 20:26b-28

WHAT WE'RE CELEBRATING

Serving continues to be a strength at LifePointe. A common theme bridging every generation in the church, over half of our active people serve in some way or another - and many serve in a variety of ways. We celebrate that God’s design for the church is for everyone to be involved in ministry as an essential part of maturing in the faith (Ephesians 4:12-16), and that some of the best ways that we find belonging is by serving together.

WHAT'S NEXT

Serving shoulder-to-shoulder with our neighbors as we work on Phase 1 of the Backyard Project is something we look forward to this spring. Our new Early Childhood Coordinator Victoria Rangel is providing fresh training for both seasoned and new volunteer servants, and a ministry priority in the coming year of helping the next generation take new steps on the disciple-making pathway will create more opportunities for us to serve together.

PRAYER REQUEST

Pray for more people at LifePointe to step out of their comfort zone to serve in ways that glorify God, and that He would grow and mature our faith as we serve.



COMMUNITY LIFE

GROUPS & DISCIPLESHIP

Disciple Training Modules (DTMs)	112
LifeGroups	114
Interest Group-Grandmother's At Prayer GAP	15
Interest Group-Sharing the Love	18
Interest Group-Mom's Life	49
Baptisms	9

PEOPLE

And he gave the apostles, the prophets, the evangelists, the shepherds and teachers, to equip the saints for the work of ministry, for building up the body of Christ, until we all attain to the unity of the faith and of the knowledge of the Son of God, to mature manhood, to the measure of the stature of the fullness of Christ...
-Ephesians 4:11-13

WHAT WE'RE CELEBRATING

Entering our fourth year of Sunday morning Disciple Training Modules (DTMs) we continue to impact and equip people to be more productive in disciple-making. This past year we offered the following training; Biblical Interpretation (Hermeneutics), Clear-Thinking Christianity, Disciple-Making and Emotionally Healthy Relationships.

LifeGroups and Interest Groups are GREAT ways to counter loneliness... and in our nation, it has been reported that loneliness is at an all-time high. Experts tell us that loneliness is as destructive to our health as smoking 2 packs of cigarettes per day! People at LifePointe are eager to connect and grow in the gospel in LifeGroups throughout the week. Sam and Ashleigh Rudkin recently started a young couples LifeGroup that filled quickly. All of our current Interest Groups are ministering to women! Grandmothers At Prayer (GAP), ReFit dance fitness, Mom's Life and Sharing the Love have been great ways for people to gather together through a shared interest.

WHAT'S NEXT

We hope and pray to see our congregation (each of us) take bold steps to **engage** their neighbors with the gospel. We want to see many of us begin new discipling relationships to help people grow in their relationship with Jesus and become disciple-makers.

PRAYER REQUEST

Join us in prayer that we would trust and obey in Jesus' great commission. "And Jesus came and said to them, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age."
Matthew 28:18-20



VISION ALIGNMENT

WHAT WE'RE CELEBRATING

- Through the efforts of our Backyard Team, we were awarded a second Nature in the City grant from the city of Fort Collins of \$16,000 and have been working hard through city permits and processes to begin construction this fall on the backyard project. A special thanks to Sam & Ashleigh Rudkin for taking lead on construction!
- Taught the church our new Disciple-Making Pathway through our sermon series, “One Step at a Time” that unpacked our steps to Engage, Evangelize, Establish, and Equip people in their journey with Jesus.
- Developed new metrics for ministry with our staff because we tend to value what we measure.
- Commissioned our second global partner this year which brings us to sending two out of three of our new global partners in the first two years of our 4 year strategic plan.
- LifePointe was awarded \$14,500 in grant funds through the Lilly Clergy Renewal program that included hosting the Love Alive conference to help us grow in relational and emotional health.

WHAT'S NEXT

As we reach the halfway mark of our 4-year strategic plan, we made great progress in sending two out of three new global partners and have begun transforming our neighborhood through our backyard project. We need to focus on reaching our neighbors with the hope of Jesus in the 2nd half of our strategic plan through strategic hospitality and intentional neighboring

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-Matthew 28:18-20

PRAYER REQUEST

Lord of the harvest, equip our church and send us out into the fields with the hope of Jesus!
Matthew 9:38

CONNECTIONS

EVENTS AND SERVING

EVENTS AND SERVING	ATTENDEES AND STATS
Cups of coffee served (at the new foyer Coffee Connection)	750+
Easter 2024 attendance	558
Christmas Eve 2023 attendance	364
Newcomers' <i>Pizza with the Pastors</i>	14
Membership Classes	18
New Members (complete & in-process)	8
Spring Fellowship Potluck (estimated attendance)	250
2023 Thanksgiving Food Distribution Guests	100+
2023 Christmas Family Festival Neighborhood Guests	400+
Families Served at Serve 6.8 Registration Nights	1,068
Dinner with Friends Participants - Summer 2024	56

ATTENDEES AND STATS

"So, being affectionately desirous of you, we were ready to share with you not only the gospel of God but also our own selves, because you had become very dear to us."
- 1 Thessalonians 2:8

WHAT WE'RE CELEBRATING

Connections mean people are taking new *Jesus Steps* of engagement, evangelism, establishing, or equipping, and we are celebrating LOTS of ways that many connections were made throughout the past year. Fresh furniture in the foyer and remarkable art created by LifePointe artists have drawn more and more people to connect in our foyer. It was a great first FULL year for the new Coffee Connection ministry! We proudly serve locally-roasted Lima Coffee, and this year 26 people helped serve quality drip and crafted espresso beverages on Sunday & Thursday mornings.

WHAT'S NEXT

We are excited to build Phase 1 of the Backyard project, which will provide amazing outdoor space to connect as a church, connect with the neighborhood, and to connect with our neighbors at Lesher Middle School. We are planning for the *Welcome Center* in our foyer to get a makeover thanks to the generosity of memorial funds given to remember our dear sister Lisa Moss, which will position us to better receive guests ever time we gather.

PRAYER REQUEST

Pray that in our polarized world, people would find the unexpected joy of depending on Jesus as they connect with us here at LifePointe.



CHILDRENS MINISTRY

EVENTS AND SERVING

	PEOPLE
VBS Kids	181
VBS Volunteers	77
Child Dedications	1
Kid Baptisms	3
Elementary KidzPlace Sunday Average	26
E.C. (Early Childhood) Sunday Average	18
Early Childhood Ministry Volunteers this year	70

“Hear, O Israel: The Lord our God, the Lord is one. You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your might. And these words that I command you today shall be on your heart. **You shall teach them diligently to your children**, and shall talk of them when you sit in your house, and when you walk by the way, and when you lie down, and when you rise.
~ Deuteronomy 6:4-7

WHAT WE'RE CELEBRATING

Victoria Rangel our new Early Childhood Coordinator, fulfilling a crucial need within the church. God is inspiring vision and growth, bringing forth dedicated volunteers to help lay a strong foundation of faith for our youngest children through teaching, love, encouragement, and knowledge. 5th graders are growing in leadership by serving as “buddies” for incoming kinders,

WHAT'S NEXT

God has big plans for Early Childhood this year! We plan to unveil a new mural featuring children's Bible stories, which will create a welcoming atmosphere for both new and current families. Later we plan to introduce an updated check-in station that enhances face-to-face interactions. This new setup will include space for a children's resource counter, where families can find free Bibles, materials to take home for family activities, and our monthly newsletter.

We believe God will provide more volunteers and bring more children to join, both in elementary and the EC wing. We are excited to welcome several LifePointe babies due this year who will join us in the nursery, which is truly a blessing. Most importantly, we will continue to focus on scripture, teaching our young kids about the word of God and encouraging them to develop a meaningful relationship with a loving Savior.

PRAYER REQUEST

We pray to keep God at the center of children's ministry, asking for His vision and guidance for new EC coordinator Victoria and returning Elementary Coordinator Jeri. May He inspire more individuals to serve, guiding the younger generation toward His light. We seek growth for both Early Childhood and Elementary ministries, to reach more families with the gospel.



STUDENT MINISTRIES

EVENTS AND SERVING

- Sunday morning/evenings
- Baptisms
- Received Christ
- Zambia Mission Trip Students
- Students in a Discipleship Relationship
- Winter Retreat Students
- Winter Retreat Leaders

ATTENDEES

- 25-30
- 3
- 1
- 8
- 5
- 30
- 7

And I heard the voice of the Lord saying, "Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?" Then I said, "Here I am! Send me."
- Isaiah 6:8

WHAT WE'RE CELEBRATING

This year, Student Ministries is excited to celebrate the addition of four adult leaders who have joined our Student Ministry team over the past year, answering our prayer request from the end of last year. We are also rejoicing in the ongoing interest and passion within our Student Ministry for sharing the gospel around the world. This summer, eight of our students had the opportunity to travel to Zambia for a meaningful mission trip. Additionally, we are thrilled to see the continued growth of our Student Worship team, both in terms of participation and experience. We are grateful to the Lord for raising up new student leaders each year to take the place of those who have recently graduated. We hope to maintain this encouraging trend!

WHAT'S NEXT

We will be taking four students to the missions-focused Cross Conference in Kentucky this January to explore the potential of pursuing full-time mission work. We are also looking forward to our upcoming Disciple Now and Winter Camp retreats, where our students will be challenged to deepen their faith. Over the last two summers, our students have read halfway through the New Testament as part of our summer reading plan. We are excited to continue studying the Scriptures together next summer!

PRAYER REQUEST

Please pray that our leaders continue to connect individually with students and offer biblical wisdom and counsel for navigating the tricky teenage years. Pray for our leaders to navigate those challenging situations with care and discernment!



WORSHIP ARTS

Team

- Worship Arts Ministry - Whole
- Tech Team
- Music Team
- Worship Choir
- Youth Worship Team

Servants

- 62
- 17
- 37
- 9
- 9

Ascribe to the Lord the glory due his name; bring an offering and come before him! Worship the Lord in the splendor of holiness;
1 Chronicles 16:29

WHAT WE'RE CELEBRATING

Through a year with significant leadership transition in this ministry, the Worship Arts Ministry as a whole stepped up in significant ways! Early in the year, one of our Elders declared that this transition would demonstrate just how faithful, talented, dedicated, and Christ-like are the members of the Worship Arts ministry, and his assessment proved to be correct.

We celebrate amazing examples of God's steadfast love and grace. Chip Paulson jumped in as the Interim Worship Arts leader, bringing decades of faithful experience to ensure God-glorifying musical worship would continue throughout the transition. We also saw other worship leaders step forward; more students involved leading worship Sunday mornings; remarkable flexibility of the team working with outside guest worship leaders; AND a new volunteer sound tech trained and deployed as part of the Sunday morning rotation. We are grateful for a team that embodies our first core value: *We elevate God's glory over ours - because our efforts and attitudes are to make much of God, not much of us.*

WHAT'S NEXT

The coming months will hold the start of a search for our next Worship Arts Ministry Coordinator, and we are already excited to see who the Lord will bring to be the next leader of the Worship Arts ministry at LifePointe.

PRAYER REQUEST

Pray for all of us at LifePointe to have a deepening affection for Jesus that is evident in the way we worship together on Sunday mornings. Pray for our worship through song to unite us as we declare boldly our allegiance to Jesus Christ over and above all earthly power and authority. Lift up the search team and leadership of the church as we engage the search process to find the next Worship Arts leader for LifePointe.



CONGREGATIONAL CARE

GROUPS AND SERVING

Care Team Care Givers	14
People receiving visits and/or calls from Care Givers	33
Prayer Warriors	90
Hand Made Cards	200+
Nursing Homes with regular worship services	2
Nursing Home Worship Service Attendance	15-25
LifePointe Widows cared for by the Widows Ministry	28
LifePointe Funerals this year	7
Communion Team	6

ATTENDEES

14
33
90
200+
2
15-25
28
7
6

“...that the members may have the same care for one another. If one member suffers, all suffer together, if one member is honored, all rejoice together”
- 1 Corinthians 12:25-26

WHAT WE'RE CELEBRATING

We have conducted two Care Team training sessions, each attracting about 15 participants. Many attendees are repeat caregivers who return yearly to support shut-ins, widows, and lonely members of our church community. We visit approximately 35 individuals regularly, at least once a month, encouraging them in their faith and helping them stay connected to their church family.

Our Sharing the Love Ministry delivered 12 baby blankets to the Alpha Center and provided sets of blankets, burp cloths, and hats to the Poudre School District's parenting class. They also created cards for missionaries, prepared gifts for volunteers, and packed hygiene bags and encouragement cards for foster children.

Under His Wings, our Widow Care Ministry fosters connections through worship and socializing. The shared bond among widows is powerful, and their stories of dependence on the Lord and gratitude are truly inspiring.

WHAT'S NEXT

We aim to improve coordination between the care ministry and LifeGroups, where life-on-life care should take place. *Sharing the Love* plans to add to their endless list of offerings. *Under His Wings* celebrates the Coffee Connection, which offers a wonderful opportunity for gathering and connection; they have also organized additional events to encourage more frequent get-togethers, where the focus is on praising our Lord and praying for one another. The Valentine event for LifePointe's widows was made possible by the efforts of various groups, showcasing the amazing support we've received!

PRAYER REQUEST

We thank God for Anna Bonjour, who joined our Lead Team a year ago and now feels called to focus on mentoring within the youth group. We are praying for a replacement for our Lead Team. Pray that Sharing The Love can create resources for church members to encourage others and support the outreach groups we serve. Pray that each widow will turn to Jesus daily, recognizing their worth in God's Word and experiencing His deep love.



COMMUNICATIONS

PLATFORM

STATS

Website Daily Average Views	24
Podbean Podcast Downloads	25.6K
YouTube Livestream Views OCT 2023 - Current	2.3K
Vimeo Livestream Views OCT 2023 - Current	3.6k
Facebook Followers	959
E-Newsletter	70% Open Rate
Church Center App (last 3mo)	101 Average Users

This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you.

John 15:12

WHAT WE'RE CELEBRATING

We're excited to share that our weekly E-Newsletter, LifePointe News & Updates, is still going strong, and we're thrilled to be livestreaming our worship services! It's clear that these platforms are making a positive difference in how we connect and communicate. We'd also like to express our gratitude to Valorie Clark for her incredible support during Megan Spiegel's maternity leave earlier this year.

WHAT'S NEXT

We are excited to update our communication platforms to ensure they remain visually engaging and effectively serve both our guests and regular attendees. Additionally, we recognize that our administrative team could benefit from an additional support person. Our goal is to develop a plan to fill that position.

PRAYER REQUEST

We ask for your prayers as we strive to connect with our guests and ensure our messages encourage meaningful steps in their relationship with Jesus. Our goal is for every interaction to leave guests feeling welcomed and valued, reflecting our commitment to friendly hospitality. Your support is appreciated as we create an inviting atmosphere for spiritual growth and community.



BENEVOLENCE

DATA SNAPSHOT

Giving for Benevolence in FY24	\$29,896
Local Benevolence Ministry Partners*	4
Funds supporting Benevolence Ministry Partners	\$12,996
Needs met for LifePointe people & neighbors	\$13,057
Individuals receiving Benevolence help	22
Total Benevolence Funds Distributed**	\$26,153

"Before I became a member of the church I received a donation from the Benevolence Fund. It was a miracle and blessing that helped us put a down-payment on an apartment and saved my family after 3 months of homelessness. We are currently happy and thriving"
- Benevolence Recipient

WHAT WE'RE CELEBRATING

It is a privilege and a joy to get to help people who are in the midst of difficult situations, because this is one of the tangible ways that we get to show people what God is like. This year have helped people stay in their homes, take initial steps out of homelessness, handle unexpected medical bills, move forward in practical ways after losing a spouse, attain drivers' licenses for the purpose of getting or retaining employment, and much more.

We also celebrate our wonderful Benevolence ministry partners: Alpha Center (works to support expectant moms and dads to choose life for their babies), Serve6.8, the Fort Collins Rescue Mission, and The Salvation Army.

WHAT'S NEXT

We are looking at more ways to exercise strategic hospitality through our ministry partners at Serve6.8, hopefully in ways that will position us to better engage our neighbors with the gospel.

* Includes Alpha Center, Serve 6.8, Fort Collins Rescue Mission, & The Salvation Army

** Includes funds to both individuals and Benevolence Ministry Partner organizations

PRAYER REQUEST

Pray that God would continue to provide everything that we need to be faithful in our benevolence ministry; thanks to prior years' giving, this year we distributed more funds than we received.



LOCAL OUTREACH

DATA SNAPSHOT

Backpacks filled for kids in Foster system	102
Kids reached with the gospel at Vacation Bible School	181
Pennies donated during VBS for Bibles for "A Backpack of My Own"	121,797 [\$1,217.97]
People Engaged through the Christmas Family Festival	412 people/123 Families
Families signed-up for Serve68 at LifePointe on Tuesday nights	1,068

WHAT WE'RE CELEBRATING

It was a GREAT year for being salt and light in our community - just over 1,763 people were directly engaged through LifePointe's local outreach ministries with the good news of the gospel! Though many of our ministries have components of local outreach, we are highlighting and celebrating a few that are especially focused on engaging the local community: Vacation Bible School continues to carry the gospel to a huge number of elementary-aged kids; A Backpack of My Own which connects kids in our local foster care systems with a backpack stuffed full of supplies, a new Bible, and notes of love and encouragement; and the region-wide Adopt-A-Family outreaches at Thanksgiving and Christmas through our partners at Serve68.

WHAT'S NEXT

This year's Christmas outreach with Serve68's Adopt-A-Family is being refined and planned to provide more opportunities for great, relational connections between LifePointe people and an expected 250+ guests. The summer looks to be another great year for VBS and A Backpack of My Own!

By this we know love, that he laid down his life for us, and we ought to lay down our lives for the brothers. But if anyone has the world's goods and sees his brother in need, yet closes his heart against him, how does God's love abide in him? Little children, let us not love in word or talk but in deed and in truth.
- 1 John 3:16-18

PRAYER REQUEST

Pray that God would use every engagement - every conversation with our neighbors - for His good and His purposes to draw people to Jesus!

GLOBAL MISSIONS

DATA SNAPSHOT

Global Partners	22
Sending Organizations	17
Funds directly to partners & mission activities	98%
Partner funds focused on unreached people groups	88%
Percent of LifePointe Total Operating Budget to missions	15%

WHAT WE'RE CELEBRATING

- The generosity of LifePointe supporting 22 Global Partners this past year.
- Fourteen team members who traveled to Zambia in July to share and show the love of Jesus.
- The years of mission work to the unreached by Elizabeth Wright and the Frey family who have now transitioned to other opportunities.
- The Sending of Ryan & Heather to Central Asia.
- The generous support and matching gifts to fund, not one, but five freshwater wells in Zambia impacting the daily lives of hundreds of families per well.
- Shipping 170 Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes sent in the past year.

WHAT'S NEXT

- We plan to return to Mexico in March with Amor ministries to build a home and share the Good News of Jesus.
- We plan a return trip to Japan in Summer 2025 to again work with Janet Brown to share the love and hope of Jesus.
- We seek opportunities to educate and disciple our congregation to have a heart for missions in service to the God who calls us.

After this I looked, and behold, a great multitude that no one could number, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, clothed in white robes, with palm branches in their hands, 10 and crying out with a loud voice, "Salvation belongs to our God who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb!"

Revelation 7:9-10

PRAYER REQUEST



Pray that all our Global Partners would be protected from harm, bathed in the spirit, and renewed to bring the Glory and blessing of God to all in their midst. Pray that every partner will bear fruit and multiply in making disciples for Christ at God invitation to build His kingdom. Pray that God would raise up workers from LifePointe for short and long-term mission work.



SHORT TERM MISSIONS

DATA SNAPSHOT

Zambia Short-Term Mission Trip	14
Zambia Wells Funded	5
Wells Drilled	2
Zambia Villages Visited	5
Pie Auction - Pie/\$	27 Pies /\$4,056
Zambian Families Fed	40-50

If anyone thinks he is religious and does not bridle his tongue but deceives his heart, this person's religion is worthless. Religion that is pure and undefiled before God the Father is this: to visit orphans and widows in their affliction, and to keep oneself unstained from the world.

-James 1:26-27

WHAT WE'RE CELEBRATING

Despite a difficult start to the Zambia short-term trip - due to airline mismanagement and mistakes - all but three members of the Zambia team were able to re-schedule the trip for one week after they returned from the initial departure. We praise God for this!

The team went on to have a very fruitful trip coming alongside the incredible work of a local children's home caring for 40+ orphans in Zambia. They also visited and ministered in 5 surrounding villages, attended the dedication of the first of 5 fresh water wells provided by the generosity of the congregation, and were able to provide supplies to feed 40-50 families for 2 months using just some of the funds raised by the pie auction. God is so good!

WHAT'S NEXT

We are readying to gather another team of faithful workers to return to Puerto Penasco, Mexico in March 2025 to build another home with Amor Ministries. We are hoping to gather a summer 2025 Japan team to join with Janet before she retires from field work in 2026.

PRAYER REQUEST

Our prayer for 2025 is that everyone at LifePointe would engage in missions. We seek your prayer and financial support for this year's Mexico and Japan teams, and your presence as an ambassador for Christ.



FACILITIES & GROUNDS

GROUPS AND SERVING

- Workday volunteer participation
- Consistent Facility Volunteers
- Partner Ministries using facilities*

ATTENDEES

- 120+
- 7
- 10

*“But as for me and my house,
we will serve the Lord.”
- Joshua 24:15*

*Includes: Men's BSF, StuMo campus ministries, Navigators campus ministries, International Students Inc., CRU campus ministries, Ratiochristi campus ministries, Paideia homeschool collective, Alpha Center, Serve 6.8, and YoungLife.

WHAT WE'RE CELEBRATING

We had an awesome all-church workday that brought people together and cared so well for the building and grounds that God has provided for us. We also have had a MAJOR, long overdue clean-out of several big storage areas, made possible with the dedicated work of both volunteers and key staff members. Finally, this year the Trustees worked diligently to find some ways to improve the efficiency of how we purchase our natural gas, and how our older HVAC controls system handles some of our newer equipment during non-occupied times - both of which have helped slow our operational inflation rate and positioned us to invest more funds in ministry budgets.

WHAT'S NEXT

After an insufficient sprinkler system blowout in fall of 2023, we have plenty of repairs to make in the coming year. We will also be working to prioritize bigger upcoming facilities maintenance investments, to establish a plan to address some of the aging components of our facility.

PRAYER REQUEST

Pray for wisdom and provision to maintain the facility in a way that glorifies God, provides excellent space for the ministry of His Kingdom, and engages our people in meaningful service. Ask God to provide creativity and wisdom to the Trustee team to take steps to mitigate rising operational costs.

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**SCOTT
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Lay Elder - Term Completes 2026



**ROSS
RIDGEWAY**
Lay Elder - Term Completes 2024



**CHAD
HALL**
2024 Elder Candidate



**CRAIG
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