

# MISSIONS FOCUS

2022 UPDATE



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# MISSIONS & OUTREACH

At last year's Missions Conference, we were reminded that even with a pandemic, "Aslan is on the move" and His kingdom is still growing. Our missionary partners continue to report challenges with COVID restrictions, and some face new challenges, such as political unrest, but all our partners report that the Lord is moving in spite of these challenges. The purpose of this booklet is to keep you informed about who our partners are, how Faith Mission Gifts are being used, and give you some specifics on which to focus your prayers. This year brought more changes than usual: several partners changed ministry focus, some changed countries where they are ministering, and some even retired.

The Missions and Outreach Ministry Team continues to covet your prayers as they make decisions to help and assist our partners and ensure that SAPC's Missions Ministry mirrors the overall vision of our church. You are invited to consider ways you can become more involved this year in giving, going, and praying. There is always room if you want to consider joining the SAPC missions and outreach team.

Solia Deo Gloria

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SAPC's local partners have stepped up in amazing ways this year: Sharing God's Love used its new facilities to meet the growing needs in our community; Happy Wheels brought joy to children in hospitals that need it more than ever; our church members helped with Operation Christmas Child here at St. Andrews and also volunteered at the Charlotte distribution center. We continue to see fruit as we focus on Crossroads Middle School by meeting physical needs through Snack Packs and spiritual needs through School Time Bible.

With the constant challenges law enforcement faces, we are grateful to be able to partner with Reconcile the City, which ministers to those on the front lines and to offer encouragement to our local Irmo Police department on a weekly basis. We are also grateful to partner with Daybreak Ministries as they work to protect the unborn.

A high priority for our outreach work is helping to plant reformed, Bible-believing churches. We celebrated Rivercrest Church becoming an official church this year and continue to focus on how we can assist Christ Community Church in Batesburg-Leesville. We have also partnered with a new church plant in North Augusta.

The pandemic may have prevented visiting with partners across the country and the world, but the Lord continues to open doors right here at home. This has caused us to focus and pursue new partnership opportunities closer to home.



1: Brittney Gillis and Tracey Rankin of Happy Wheels 2: Receiving Operation Christmas Child boxes at SAPC 3: Adults at Operation Christmas Child Processing Center 4: Heart to Hands Ministry 5: School Time Bible volunteers 6: Rev. Curt Snead of Reconcile the City 7: David Brent and Rob Gordon at Sharing God's Love.

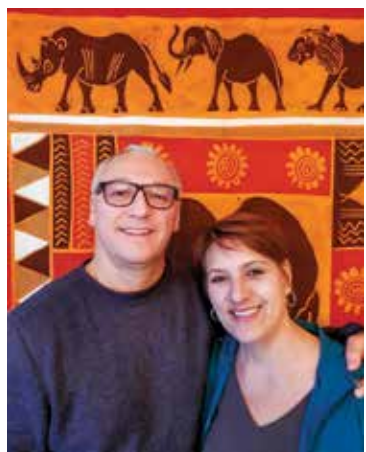


# across the COUNTRY

Our partnership with Arklie Hooten and Mission to North America Disaster Response continues to lead the way in helping the needy and brokenhearted of those affected by natural disasters like tornados, floods and fires. This year, we plan to increase our involvement in disaster relief by training SAPC members who feel called to help when opportunities arise and forming them into a group called Minute Men.

SAPC is committed to supporting campus ministries such as Reformed University Fellowship at colleges and universities, where our covenant children attend, but also where other opportunities arise, especially opportunities which minister to international students. We have learned that the ability to minister to internationals is an amazing 'return on investment.' The brightest students from countries around the world come the U.S. to seek higher education but get to hear the life-changing gospel. When they return to their countries—often to positions of influence—they are able to impact their own cultures far more than the traditional model of sending missionaries into those countries.

Another exciting possibility is growing our new partnership with Michael Wadhams and his ministry to Native Americans. These tribes and nations are often overlooked, and while they have many daily needs, their eternal destinies are far more important. We look forward to exploring and sharing these opportunities with you.



**MICHAEL WADHAMS**  
Pacific Northwest-Lummi  
Tribe



**ARKLIE HOOTEN**  
MNA-Disaster Relief



1: Scott Andes with RUF International at USC 2: MNA Disaster Relief building, Rome, GA



# across the WORLD

While there is not enough room on this page to share all that has happened with our international partners this year, we encourage you to pay attention to updates as we share them, particularly in each Sunday's worship guide. Our Heavenly Father pursues the lost and provides for our partners even when there is the daily threat of war, as in Ukraine. We continue to see growth from seeds that have been planted by the church there and its ministries. This has also been true in Haiti, when the county crumbled from earthquakes and their government collapsed. El Shaddai Ministries reports their churches saw 4,208 professions of faith this year, despite the tragedies. While England was locked down longer than most other countries, our partners there have been able to minister in ways they could have never imagined, and a new church has even been planted!

Though there have been some changes and several of our partners in Bulgaria have made transitions, we continue to see God's faithfulness there. And new doors are being opened for the Frank family in Spain. It has been a blessing this year to hear directly from the Goodwins, who serve in Germany, as they have been in Columbia on a required home assignment. The way that World Mission Centre can reach restricted countries and unreached people groups is unique. With its headquarters located here in Irmo, we look forward to partnering with them in new ways.



GRACE CHUNG



LYDIA GOEGLIN



BRETT & VALERIE MCALPIN



ELISABETH CARY



TREVIN & RUTHIE HOOT



DAL & BETH STANTON



DONY & SHARON ST. GERMAIN



LOUIS & MARTINA ST. GERMAIN



TOM & LUCY WRIGHT  
West Africa/Haiti

**BULGARIA**

**HAITI**

# ENGLAND



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ROB & JENNY ILDERTON



ROBIN PRICE



JONATHAN & LEAH JAKES



LARRY & MANDY WILKES



FRANKLIN & BETH

# UKRAINE



SERGEY & LYUDA BETIN



VIKTOR & SVITLANA LUKOSHKINS

# SPAIN



JEREMY & SYLVIA FRANK



DAVID & DEBBIE FRANK

# OTHERS



Greece  
PHIL & KAY LUTHER



Germany  
SAM & LIZZIE GOODWIN



World Mission Centre  
WILLIAM & SHIRLEY CREW

# MISSION

## *Journeys*

It is our belief that journeys are a vital part of our Missions Ministry at SAPC. This is not only because we are commanded in Scripture to go, but because of the encouragement it provides our partners when we visit and the life changing impact it has on our own personal walks with the Lord. Though travel is still a challenge in many areas, we are starting to see some opportunities return for our members to consider.

This year, we will be more intentional about planning more local opportunities, even if they are just for a day. You do not have to get on a plane or leave town for a week to make an impact. Please be on the lookout for these and consider joining these teams throughout the year to serve and assist our partners.

Women's Grow-Connect-Serve Day: April 30, 2022

Workday at Christ Community Church: May 21, 2022

High School: Journey to Florida to work with ESMI July 8-15, 2022

Spain: October 15-23, 2022

Disaster Response Training: TBD



# RETIRED

## *Missionary Partners*



JOE & ANN LYLE  
Taiwan



CHUCK & WYEMA  
England

Retirement may not be the best way to describe these missionaries' next phase of life, since they will never stop doing what they love. However, after decades of service, several of our long-time missionaries have made the decision to leave the field and return home. Please continue to pray for these families as they make this transition and ask that the Lord would provide for them as they reconnect with family and friends.

# Faith Mission Giving

## 2021-2022 BUDGET

FMG BUDGET TOTAL: \$238,300

### ACROSS THE WORLD \$141,520

ENGLAND: Chuck & Wyema (\$1,250), Cashman (\$5,700), Ilderton (\$5,700), Price (\$4,800), Wilkes (\$3,000), Franklin & Beth (\$3,600), Jakes (\$3,600)	\$27,650
HAITI: El Shaddai Ministries International (\$10,700), ESMI Seminary Students (\$9,000), D. St. Germain (\$7,500), ESMI Seminary (\$5,000), L. St. Germain (\$4,200)	\$36,400
BULGARIA: Stanton (\$1,950), McAlpin (\$6,600), Chung (\$2,400), Cary (\$2,400), Goeglein (\$2,400), Hoot (\$2,400), Elias Riggs Center for Biblical Studies (\$1,200)	\$19,350
UKRAINE: Belgorod Christian Clinic (\$5,400), Evangelical Presbyterian Church (\$5,160), Izmail Life Care Center (\$3,960), Betin (\$3,000)	\$17,520
OUR OWN: Goodwin (\$12,600)	\$12,600
OTHER: NEXT-TO Ministry/Spain (\$5,000), D. Frank (\$4,800), J. Frank (\$4,800), World Mission Centre (\$4,800), Lyle (\$2,700), Luther (\$2,700), Wright (\$2,400), World Relief MTW (\$500), Missionary Care Packages (\$300)	\$28,000

### ACROSS THE COUNTRY \$23,040

Hooten (\$6,300), Wadhams (\$4,800), Rhodes/RUF USC (\$2,820), Jones/RUF Clemson (\$2,820), Andes/RUFI at USC (\$2,400), Smith/RUFI (\$1,200), MNA Chaplains (\$500), Ministerial Relief Fund (\$500), Mercy Ministries (\$500), HIS International (\$1,200)

### ACROSS THE STREET \$45,240

Presbytery Church Plants (\$15,000), Sharing God's Love (\$5,040), Reconcile the City (\$3,000), Hanley (\$3,000), Daybreak Ministries (\$2,400), Happy Wheels (\$2,400), Heart to Hands (\$1,000), School Time Bible (\$2,100), Operation Christmas Child (\$1,000), Community Outreach (\$800), Seminary Scholarships (\$5,000), Snack Packs (\$1,000), Crossroads (\$2,000), Good News Club (\$500)

### MISSION JOURNEYS AND EVENTS \$28,500

(Journeys, Events, Special Projects, Disaster Relief)

**TOTAL: \$238,300**