



THAT THE GENERATIONS MAY KNOW HIM

Psalm 78



2023 ANNUAL REPORT



OUR MISSION

TO
CONNECT

EVERYONE

WITH THE
LIFE-CHANGING

GOSPEL

OF
JESUS CHRIST

LOVE GOD

LOVE PEOPLE

MAKE DISCIPLES

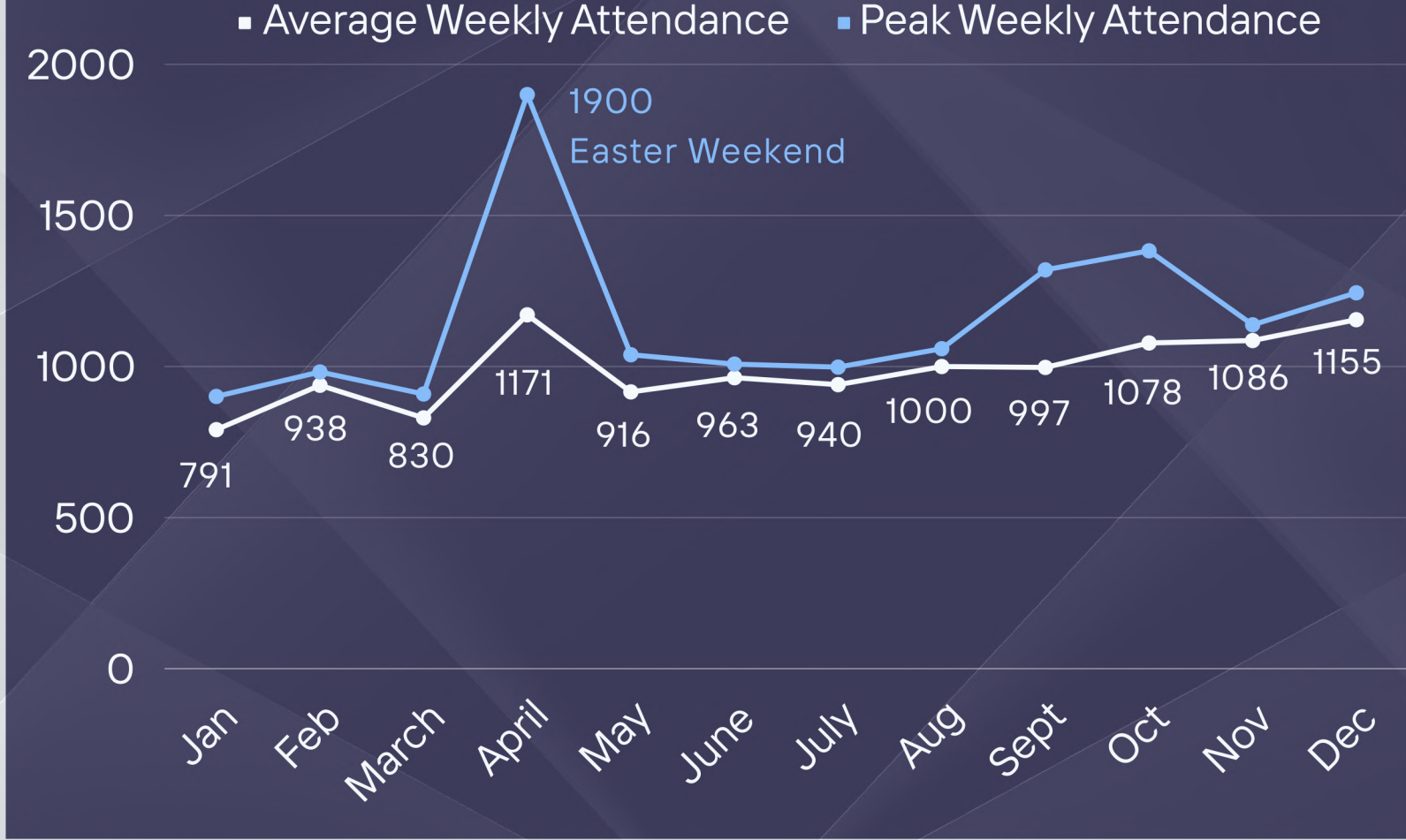


And let us consider how to stir up one another to love and good works, not neglecting to meet together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another, and all the more as you see the Day drawing near.

Hebrews 10:24-25



With every breath that I am able
I will sing of the goodness of God



WEEKLY SERVICES GROWTH

989

Average Weekly Attendance

35%

Increase from 2022

1900

Easter at Connect Church (Four Services)





260+
DECISIONS
for Christ

109
BAPTISMS

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157
NEW MEMBERS

411
SERVED at
Connect Church

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CELEBRATE 2023 GENEROSITY

\$1.33M* GENERAL
GIVING

\$624k VISION
GIVING

\$66k DESIGNATED
GIVING

*14% INCREASE
OVER FY22

NEW
DONORS 199



SOUTH AFRICA



DENVER, CO

MISSIONS



3 TRIPS

SEND

34 TEAM MEMBERS



354 VOLUNTEERS

SERVE

3,000+ SERVICE HRS



LOVE WEEK

IMPACT SATURDAY



CONNECT CHRISTMAS

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

MISSIONS

MISSION PARTNERS

13 LOCAL

NATIONAL **2**

3 GLOBAL

\$54,000



COOPERATIVE GIVING

\$37,500

TN BAPTIST MISSION BOARD

LOTTIE MOON

ANNIE ARMSTRONG

GOLDEN MISSION OFFERING



/// SUPPORT

CONNECT KIDZ

"LIKE ARROWS IN THE
HAND OF A WARRIOR
ARE THE CHILDREN OF
ONE'S YOUTH"

PSALM 127:4



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VBS KIDZ **271**
VOLUNTEERS **145**

TOTAL **416**



AVG WEEKLY
ATTENDANCE

147

KIDZ
VOLUNTEERS

100

KIDZ
BAPTISMS

10

CONNECT PRETEENS



AVG WEEKLY ATTENDANCE

41

SUNDAY AM

26

WEDNESDAY PM

CARSON SPRINGS
PRETEEN CAMP

35

PRETEENS

6

SALVATIONS

PRETEEN
BAPTISMS

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250+
STUDENTS
& VOLUNTEERS
CATALYST



55
AVG
MIDWEEK
ATTENDANCE

38
STUDENT
BAPTISMS



85
STUDENTS
& VOLUNTEERS
**PANAMA CITY
BEACH CAMP**

COLLEGE/ YOUNG ADULTS



AVG
WORSHIP NIGHT
ATTENDANCE

32

19

YOUNG ADULTS
AND LEADERS
ON MISSION TRIPS

PASSION 2024
CONFERENCE

3

CHURCHES

7

LEADERS

55

YOUNG ADULTS

YOUNG ADULT
BAPTISMS

4





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558

Adults Connected in

33

Connect Groups

Average Size of
Connect Groups

17

55

Connect Group
Leaders

New
Connect Groups
Launched

7

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1,541

Total (All Ages) Connected in Connect
Groups or Discipleship Classes



63

**SERVED ON
WORSHIP TEAM**

29

**NEW SONGS
INTRODUCED**

WORSHIP

63

UNIQUE SONGS PLAYED

TOP 3 SONGS PLAYED

"I SPEAK JESUS"
CHARITY GAYLE

"GOODNESS OF GOD"
BETHEL WORSHIP

"I BELIEVE"
BETHEL WORSHIP

38

**SERVED ON
PRODUCTION TEAM**

120

**SUNDAY AM
SERVICES**

PRODUCTION

LIVE STREAM

*FACEBOOK
235,000 MINS*

*YOUTUBE
324,000 MINS*

*WATCHCC.LIVE
87,000 MINS*

TOTAL VIEWERSHIP

647,000+ MINS

OR

10,783+ HOURS



MINISTRY AREAS 2024 BUDGET BREAKDOWN

KIDZ - \$51.5K

PRETEENS - \$18K

STUDENTS - \$42.1K

COLLEGE/YA - \$21.9K

***SENIORS - \$5K**

GROUPS - \$7K

WORSHIP - \$22.5K

PRODUCTION - \$22.5K

LEADERSHIP - \$28.5K

***EASTER - \$55K**

CHURCH-WIDE EVENTS - \$23.5K

**INDICATES
NEW MINISTRY
AREA IN '24
BUDGET*

TOTAL: \$297,500

2023-2024 OPERATING BUDGET

\$1,585,650

19% INCREASE
OVER FY23 GIVING



MISSIONS	\$136,500	8.6%
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MINISTRY AREAS	\$297,500	18.8%
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OPERATIONS	\$131,150	8.3%
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*SALARIES/ WAGES	\$727,000	45.8%
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STAFFING RESOURCES	\$170,000	10.7%
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FACILITIES	\$123,500	7.8%
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*CONNECT CHURCH EMPLOYS 15 STAFF MEMBERS
ON A FULL-TIME OR PART-TIME BASIS



CONNECT CHURCH
5TH BIRTHDAY
CELEBRATION
SEPT 24, 2023



WELCOME HOME CONNECT CHURCH

FIVE YEAR VISION

SEPT
2021



SEPT
2023



PHASE ONE

"NOW TO HIM WHO IS
ABLE TO DO
IMMEASURABLY MORE
THAN ALL WE ASK OR
IMAGINE, ACCORDING
TO HIS POWER THAT IS
AT WORK WITHIN US...



...TO HIM BE GLORY IN
THE CHURCH AND IN
CHRIST JESUS
THROUGHOUT ALL
GENERATIONS, FOR EVER
AND EVER! AMEN."
EPHESIANS 3:20-21



FIVE YEAR VISION PHASE TWO

THAT THE GENERATIONS MAY KNOW HIM
PSALM 78



TO LEARN MORE
ABOUT OUR
FIVE YEAR VISION

PLEDGE SUNDAY - OCT 22, 2023

184 PLEDGES



RECEIVED
BY
END OF YEAR
\$1,070,000

TOTALING \$3,009,199 OVER TWO YEARS



*“And so, from the day we heard,
we have not ceased to pray for
you, asking that
you may be filled with the
knowledge of His will in all
spiritual wisdom and
understanding,
so as to walk in a manner
worthy of the Lord,
fully pleasing to Him:
bearing fruit in every good
work and increasing in the
knowledge of God.”*

Colossians 1:9-10