



KING'S PARK
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PASTOR RON

"Enlarge the place of your tent, and let the curtains of your habitations be stretched out; do not hold back; lengthen your cords and strengthen your stakes."

Isaiah 54:2

2021 was another remarkable year for the ministries of King's Park. While we saw the Lord do unusual things in 2020, we saw Him continue to advance His kingdom into new territories in 2021. Lynette and I are always encouraged by God's faithfulness to King's Park and we're grateful for all the work He accomplished through His people last year.

In our RTP/Durham congregation, Pastors Reggie and Bomi Roberson and the leadership team continued to broaden us to serve people in the Triangle and across the globe. Their online service continues to grow, and many new families who have only participated online have been added to our membership. A second Sunday morning service has opened up many new ministry opportunities, and our Life Group and campus ministries continue to impact lives in significant ways.

Celebracion Cristiana, our Spanish-speaking congregation, was resilient and prayerful as they continued to serve God and watch Him move in 2021. We highly commend Pastors Ernesto and Martha for their endurance and faith. The 2020 move of their House of Mercy food pantry to Odyssey Drive has been extremely beneficial for underserved members of our community. More than 6,000 pounds of food are distributed each week to those in need. I see the cars lined up across our parking lot every time I am at King's Park RTP/Durham on a Wednesday night. It's deeply touching for me, and I've come to tears watching Jesus' hands and feet (many of you) go to work to serve the needy and hungry.

King's Park Raleigh, under "veteran" pastors, Taylor and Elizabeth Stewart, celebrated their 10th church anniversary. They continue to thrive in their new South Raleigh location, where they are significantly touching many lives for Christ. Pastor Taylor and Elizabeth also lead our work with the African Children's Choir and Friends of Mirembe, which celebrated a massive milestone this year paying off the debt on the home where we host the choir while traveling.

Our Chinese congregation, led by Pastor Kwang Cheng (KC) and Shih Chia Liu, continues to bear fruit through their local congregation and online ministry. They are seeing Chinese people turn to Jesus from all over the world, including China, Taiwan, New York City and New Jersey. Since travel has been restricted, they've had Zoom baptisms where they work with leaders in other locations to lead people to Christ and baptize them. I had the honor of watching one of these services, and watching Chinese people come to Christ and serve Jesus in their restricted nation was a great joy.

In just seven years of raising funds to advance the gospel among the Unengaged Unreached People Groups (UUPGs) of the world, Jordan Lewis Missions has received more than 1.5 million dollars to advance God's kingdom in more than twenty nations. By God's grace and the generosity of so many of you, we have been able to fund the translation of nearly all of the New Testament for the Rungwa-Katavi tribes of Tanzania. We recently received our own copy of the gospel of Luke in Bende. We also added 140 new water pumps, a new motorcycle and an SUV to our ministry in Pakistan.

Kevin Rowsey and our Life Center team continued to offer tutoring and enrichment programs at the Life Center, in addition to weekly food distribution. We are excited to see how God continues to use King's Park to transform the youth in our communities where there is lack and pain.

All of this forward movement and progress is possible because of so many who joined together to participate in the gospel, through serving, giving and praying. We are grateful for each of you and for God's blessing and His accomplishments through you.

Sincerely,

Pastor Ron and Lynette Lewis





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RTP/DURHAM

WE ENGAGED PEOPLE WITH THE GOSPEL BY HELPING THEM TO KNOW GOD.

- Our online service reached an average of 280 viewers each week.
- We launched a second service to allow for more ministry to our congregation and room for more guests in the sanctuary and in kids ministry.
- There were a total of 19 water baptisms, including 10 college students (6 UNC, 2 Duke, 2 NCCU). We also incorporated water baptisms into the Sunday service.
- We continued to preach the gospel and disciple kids and youth; 2 of our youth completed Growth Track and are serving on the Go Team.
- We also re-opened our kids classes on Sunday mornings to provide contextual, Christ-centered, in person ministry to children.
- TESTIMONY: Last year we engaged Andreas, an international student living in China, via Instagram. He and a staff and student leader met bi-weekly until he came to campus this fall. After arriving at UNC he started going through the One2One, gave his life to the Lord, was baptized in November and is going on a spring break mission trip.

WE ESTABLISHED BELIEVERS IN SPIRITUAL COMMUNITY AND FAITH THROUGH OUR COMMITMENT TO **GROW TOGETHER.**

- Life group participants spent the year growing together in over 51 life groups led by 83 leaders and 5 life group leaders began serving as life group coaches.
- Our men grew together and encouraged one another in 3 gatherings.
- Our women continued to explore what it means to live devoted in our 2nd annual Women's Night of Worship and our annual brunch. They also launched their Devoted devotional book and video series, which is available now on Amazon.
- Our marriage ministry hosted Pastor George and LaTondra Gregory for an online marriage weekend in early 2021.
- Over 100 people attended our Spiritual Operations Workshop. We saw 8 physical healings and 12 baptisms in the Holy Spirit.
- We continued our daily noon prayer calls.
- Our campus ministry hosted 12 college student-led life groups across 3 campuses. We also participated in the ENC Virtual Student Conference and the ENC Fall Retreat. We averaged over 70 students in our weekly large group gatherings.

WE EQUIPPED BELIEVERS WITH KNOWLEDGE OF THEIR GOD-GIVEN ABILITIES BY HELPING THEM **DISCOVER PURPOSE.**

- We continued our Growth Track over Zoom and saw over 40 people complete it this year and become members of our church.
- 16 students participated in our Cornerstone Program, dedicating their summer to become more Gospel-centered with 3 serving as Cornerstone Interns.
- We also had many people return to serving in Sunday Prayer Ministry. We now have members serving at the Prayer Tent after both services every Sunday.
- We have also commissioned our first Stephen Ministers. King's Park now has 9 Stephen Ministers.
- We welcomed 4 campus ministry interns and over 15 students joined our Go Team.

WE EMPOWERED BELIEVERS FOR SERVANT-LEADERSHIP TO HELP THEM **MAKE A DIFFERENCE.**

- We added 22 new Go Team members.
- We distributed Easter Bags to hundreds of kids and youth in our church and community as we enjoyed the outdoor service together. 93 volunteers served during our outdoor service and we saw nearly 1,200 people in person or online.
- Family Fun Night on October 31 served over 80 families and nearly 200 kids.
- We hosted three blood drives in partnership with Spread Love Foundation, the Blood Connection and the Red Cross.
- We continued sponsorship of our Life Center and campus outreaches even as these ministries navigated serving students digitally and in person.
- House of Mercy continued Wednesday food and clothing distribution and added a distribution at the Life Center, serving over 250 families this year.
- We completed building renovations for our kids space and tech upgrades to supplement our online ministry.
- We partnered with Jordan Lewis Missions, giving \$13,500 to build a church building in India, and over \$20,000 to support a Bible translation and other projects.
- We supported our international church planters, Charles and Tiffany Kiefer and Caitlin Ball, to reach Paris.
- We partnered with World Relief to serve newly arrived refugees with food and clothing.
- Thanks to your generosity, our Hope Fund provided over \$15,000 to King's Park members navigating financial challenges this year.



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RALEIGH

King's Park Raleigh continued in its mission to honor God and make disciples in Raleigh and beyond. Our big news of the year was securing our own building space in October in South Raleigh, which we rigged out wonderfully and beautifully through the support of our loving congregation! Here are a few additional highlights:

- Celebrated our King's Park Raleigh 10 Year Anniversary
- Multiple people coming to the saving knowledge of Christ and being baptized in water
- New families added to our church and new couples engaged
- New babies born and dedicated to the Lord
- Mirembé House Service Day Project and paying off Mirembé House
- Hosting a fruitful parenting seminar, as well as family retreats
- Hosted special guests: Pastor Tim Johnson from Orlando, FL, Pastor Mark and Terry Benavente from Guam, David & Caroline Webb from South Africa, Dr. Rev. Todd von Helms from The King's College, NYC
- Successful ministry on our college campuses & biggest fall retreat ever
- Neighborhood evangelism prayer-walks during Covid-19



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CELEBRACIÓN CRISTIANA

Celebración Cristiana continued with its mission of loving God and our neighbors and reaching the world together by making disciples and developing leaders, serving our congregation and the community throughout 2021. We are continuing to worship on Sunday afternoons and throughout the week at the church location in Parkwood. Here are some more highlights we're excited about:

- 30 people responded to the Gospel and more than 10 were baptized.
- 15 people were added as volunteers, in our Tech & Arts Team, First Impressions Team and Care Group.
- Our women held a conference at the Billy Graham Conference Center at the Cove.
- Our men held several meetings, including other Hispanic churches in Durham.
- We welcomed a new elder.
- Our youth hosted a parents' feet washing event and a summer camp.
- Our marriage ministry held monthly meetings reaching more than 25 couples.
- We had daily intercessory prayer calls.
- In November 2021, we launched a campaign to raise funds for a new building for our congregation.



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CHINESE CONGREGATION

Since April 2021, we committed to have baptisms every month. God honored that faith declaration, and we have done baptisms 9 months in a row and we are believing to continue in 2022. Here are some other highlights of the Chinese Congregation:

- 50 people responded to the Gospel.
- We added 20 volunteers this year, including almost a whole new worship team. We added three worship leaders, several keyboard players and two drummers.
- In May 2021, we celebrated the transition of our long-time pastors Kai-Di and Cheng-Kuo Chi. Pastor KC and Shih Chia Liu were set in as our new Lead Pastors.
- In September 2021, we hosted Barry and Lori Byrne from Nothing Hidden Ministries for a special workshop called Love After Marriage. Our couples were blessed by this powerful weekend where we learned to grow in intimacy and connection with our spouses.
- We have launched a campaign to raise funds for a new building for our congregation.
- We publish a daily sermon and devotion online for ministry to Chinese speaking Christians and unbelievers around the world.





JORDAN LEWIS MISSIONS

As we reflect on all that the Lord has done in 2021 through Jordan Lewis Missions, we are deeply grateful to you and your family for your prayers and financial support. We have joined together to advance God's kingdom to the unreached people groups across the globe:

- More than \$80,000 was donated for the Bible translation project with the Rungwa-Katavi tribes of Tanzania, helping us get very close to our goal to complete the project! More than 51% of the New Testament has already been completed, with the Gospel of Luke printed in 2 languages. Many other books of the Bible are ready to print.
- Our teams in Pakistan have built and drilled 187 water pumps, and more than 5,600 House Churches have been established, more than 1100 new this year. Miraculously, a new SUV for our water pump/church planting team was donated so they can reach even more unreached people groups in 2022.
- We provided a motorcycle for a female evangelist in Pakistan, which significantly increased her ministry scope. 89 new churches among those who have never heard of Jesus were launched through her work. She used to walk everywhere on foot.
- Teams were sent to plant churches among new unengaged, unreached people groups (UUPGs) in China this year, making a total of 21 former UUPGs being reached. We marvel at their dedication.
- 16 oxygen concentrators were provided and sent to India during the height of the pandemic there, saving countless lives.
- We helped leaders in Bangladesh set up a secure website and Facebook page for sharing the truth with Muslims throughout the nation and the Middle East, and boosted the page for them, reaching over 25,000 in just one month. JLM has helped start a new church in Bangladesh.

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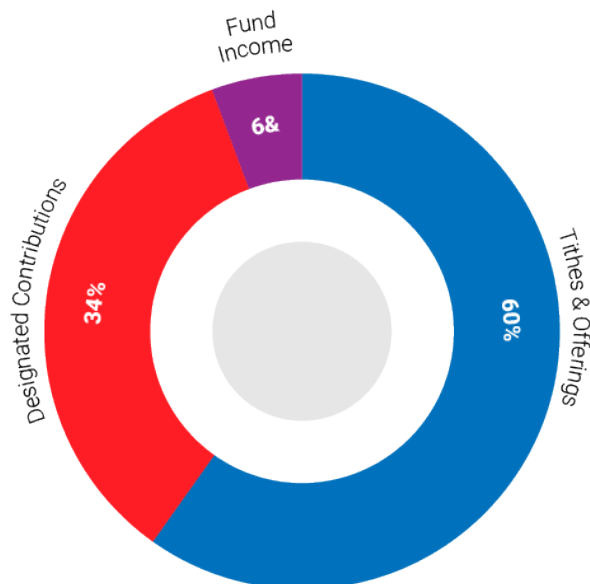
THE LIFE CENTER

Thank you for your support of the Life Center in 2021. Your support and donations allowed the Life Center to expand and reach more people in the Cornwallis and Durham community.

- Our team of volunteers from the community and from local high schools and universities provided in person and online tutoring and educational support to students.
- We provided approximately 49,000 lbs. (about twice the weight of a school bus) of fresh meat, fruit and vegetables to families in the community experiencing hardship.
- We assisted over 30 families in the Cornwallis community with utilities and rent.
- We worked with over 40 volunteers on the Nehemiah neighborhood beautification project.
- We served 180 people during our Health Fair in March.
- We partnered with North Carolina Central University to conduct Covid-19 testing for the community.
- We developed engineering projects and other innovative teaching and learning activities for the kids in the Cornwallis community along with our STEM project manager.

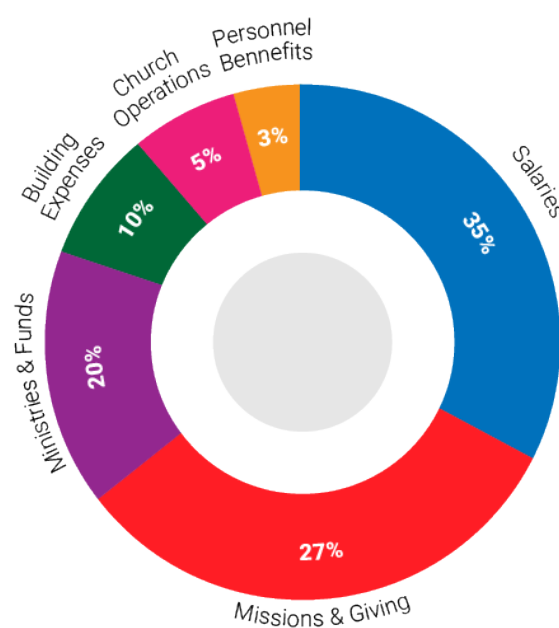
INCOME

Total Income:	\$4,939,417.44
Tithes & Offerings:	\$2,949,259.34
Designated Contributions:	\$1,694,192.72
Fund Income:	\$295,965.38



EXPENSES

Total Expenses:	\$4,291,803.27
Salaries:	\$1,497,318.44
Missions & Giving:	\$1,162,695.60
Ministries & Funds:	\$838,081.26
Building Mortgage & Expenses:	\$422,260.48
Church Operations:	\$233,756.70
Personnel Bennefits:	\$137,690.79





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