



ANNUAL REPORT
DOOR CREEK CHURCH



DEAR CHURCH FAMILY,

Wow, what a year it's been. We started the new campus on the northside of Madison, continuing our decade-long commitment to serve the families on the northside. Not only a new campus, but a new work as we've launched the Door of Hope Inc. with a desire of helping kids flourish in all the ways God intends. And then on Christmas day, the doors were open to the beautiful new building in DeForest, now having a permanent presence in the community. What a reminder that our God continues to do immeasurably more than we could ask for or imagine.

The stories we hear of lives changing continues to bring joy and renew our confidence in a God that's at work in bringing people to Himself. A high school student brought his brother to a student retreat where he, like his brother last year, committed his life to Christ. What a joy to be part of a church that loves sharing and living the Good News so that more children, students and adults would become devoted followers of Christ.

Year after year, week after week, I've been blown away by your desire to live for Christ, to love like Christ and to find life and joy in giving your life away to others.

It's our mission to join God in changing people into devoted followers of Christ who change the world with His love.

As you read through this report, may our response be one of gratitude to God for allowing us to be a part of His work around the world. May it fuel us to reach those who haven't heard, as we live out our vision that by God's grace we would be **a Christ-centered church for all people, where the power of the Gospel is continually transforming lives, renewing our city and changing the world.**

Thanks for a great year! Let's lock arms and hearts around Christ as we serve Him every day that He gives us breath.

Together for Christ,

Marc Maillefer
Lead Pastor



GATHER ON THE WEEKENDS

Each week we come together to focus on Christ and His word, worshipping our awesome God.

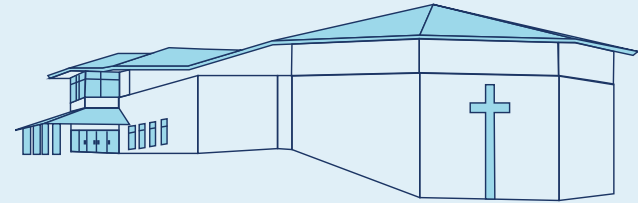
GROW IN A GROUP

Gathering together in smaller groups to build authentic relationships where we learn, care and serve—helping each other to become more like Christ.

GIVE OF YOURSELF

Followers of Christ are called to give our time, talents and treasures. We are each blessed by God with a unique set of gifts, abilities and resources that help us further Christ's mission.

ONE CHURCH THREE LOCATIONS



SPRECHER ROAD

SITE OPENED IN **2000**

AVG. WEEKLY ATTENDANCE: **1,381**



DEFOREST

CAMPUS OPENED IN **2011**

NEW SITE OPENED IN **2018**

AVG. WEEKLY ATTENDANCE: **320**



NORTHSIDE MADISON

CAMPUS OPENED IN **2018**

AVG. WEEKLY ATTENDANCE: **80**



CHRISTMAS ATTENDANCE

4,196

39% INCREASE
FROM 2017

EASTER ATTENDANCE

3,486

20% INCREASE
FROM 2017

MESSAGE SERIES





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Working with children has been a way for me to connect with families at Door Creek. I get to try to speak the gospel in ways children can understand. One doesn't need to think deep thoughts. We all come to God, our Maker, as children.

CAROL

KIDS

ANCHORING KIDS TO JESUS' GOOD NEWS EVERY WEEKEND!

Every weekend, those attending DCC Kids learn about God, the Bible and that Jesus loves them.

It takes **85+** volunteers every weekend to run kids programming at all three campuses, serving over **300** kids, ages birth through fifth grade.



STUDENTS

EMERGE FALL RETREAT SEPTEMBER 2018

80 students attended
7 first-time commitments
25 recommitments

DISTRICTS CONFERENCE | GREEN BAY JANUARY 2019

150 students attended
30 recommitments

WAKE UP CONFERENCE | ELGIN, IL FEBRUARY 2019

21 students attended

Nearly everyone recommitted themselves to living a life more like Christ!

NORTHSIDE MADISON CAMPUS

Northside Madison started its student ministry program: Youth Friday Night Live!

SERV NIGHTS

Summer volunteer opportunities for students to experience giving back and being the hands and feet of Christ to those around them.



DEFOREST CAMPUS

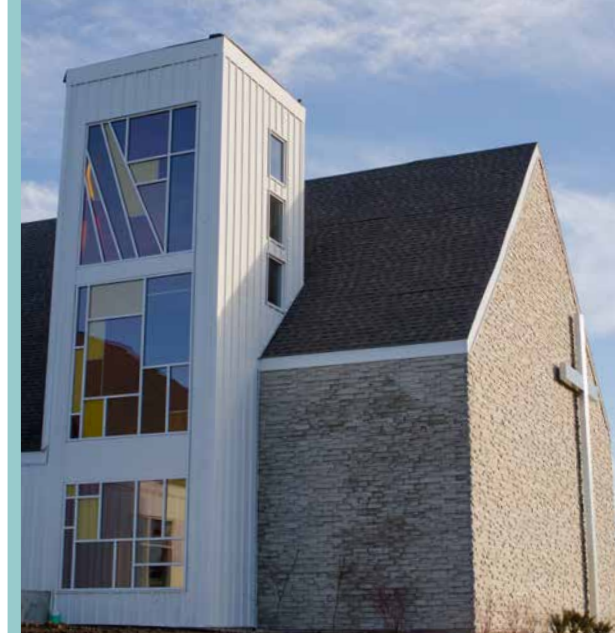
CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICES DECEMBER 24, 2018

Prior to the Grand Opening, the new site opened on Christmas Eve, with attendance reaching over **900!**

GRAND OPENING JANUARY 13, 2019

DeForest Campus now has a permanent presence in the community—something we've been searching for since February 2011! This new location will help us better serve and reach the community.

The average Sunday attendance at DeForest Campus has **DOUBLED** since the opening of the new building!





NORTHSIDE MADISON CAMPUS

GRAND OPENING SEPTEMBER 9, 2018

The Northside Madison Campus was opened with the vision to reach more people for Christ.

THANKSGIVING MEAL DELIVERY NOVEMBER 22, 2018

65 volunteers delivered 311 meals!

“ We wanted to be part of something new. The transformation of our space has been tremendous and what it allows us to do for the community. The Northside is a growing group that’s filled with the Holy Spirit and ready to serve!

BRAD & AMY





BOOMERANGS

Many thanks to the countless people who support Boomerangs through donations, shopping and volunteering!

 **23 NEW VOLUNTEERS** & **65 CURRENT ACTIVE VOLUNTEERS**

 **7,000+ VOLUNTEER HOURS**

 **\$1,000+ SPENT WITH VOUCHERS**

 **21,377 POUNDS OF UNSELLABLE CLOTHING AND LINENS (10.6 TONS) WERE RECYCLED**

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Quality after school programs are important because they help reduce risky behaviors, boost academic performance, promote health and provide a safe, structured environment for children of working parents.

DOOR OF HOPE

Door of Hope Inc. is a NEW nonprofit that is supporting the northside of Madison as a ministry of Door Creek Church.

Its mission is to help children and families flourish!

PILOTED TWO PROGRAMS SPRING 2019 SEMESTER

STEM
SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING, MATH
12 Middle Schoolers attended a 16-week program

STEAM
SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING, ART, MATH
20 Middle Schoolers attended a 6-week program

SUMMER ENRICHMENT PROGRAM SUMMER 2019

Students spent time doing various fun activities during the summer, such as a farm tour, boating, fishing and more!





IGNITE

108 COUPLES

Couples had the opportunity to connect with their spouse while attending workshops that provided helpful marriage-strengthening strategies.



LEADERSHIP SUMMIT

100+ ATTENDERS

Workshops and large group discussions were held for attendees to learn more about how to lead.



FORUM

ROMANS IN A DAY
162 PARTICIPANTS

Dr. Douglas Moo went through all of the book of Romans, helping attendees understand the broader context and how that understanding can enrich how we interpret and apply this great letter.



LIFE GROUPS

979 PEOPLE IN LIFE GROUPS

PILOTED A CANCER SUPPORT COMPANION GROUP

Six people completed eight training sessions in order to walk along and support those with cancer and their caregivers.



BAPTISM



34 BAPTISMS

Celebrating one of the most important events in the life of a Christ-follower.

IN HONDURAS

While on a service trip in Honduras in summer 2019, three of our students were baptized in the Caribbean Sea.



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 Upward sports are great! The coaches really care about the kids and want them to succeed, both on the field and in their lives.
 MICHELLE



SPORTS MINISTRY

Upward programming leverages the power of sports to connect with families in their community, promoting the discovery of Jesus through sports.



UPWARD FOOTBALL
56 KIDS



UPWARD BASKETBALL
109 KIDS



UPWARD SOCCER
114 KIDS



CHICAGO EAGLES SOCCER CAMP
166 KIDS



70+ VOLUNTEERS MADE UPWARDS POSSIBLE!

19,530 "ONE-HOUR MINISTRY" OPPORTUNITIES

FINANCES

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!

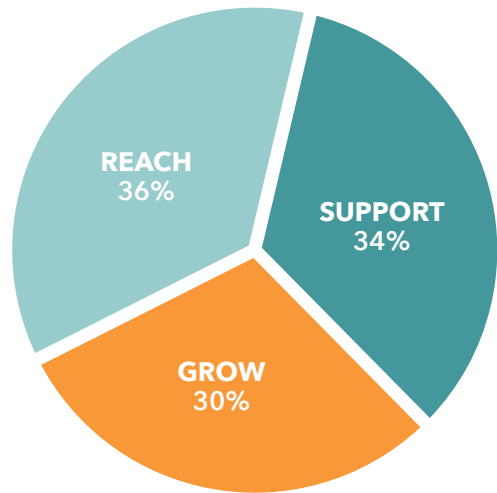
Your time, talents and treasures play an impactful role at Door Creek Church and in our communities—locally and globally. Thank you for being part of how the gospel is transforming lives, renewing our city and changing the world!

FINANCIAL OVERVIEW

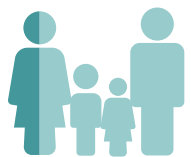


*GIFTS comprised of general offering, Ministry Expansion Fund, Benevolence.
*EXPENSES comprised of multi-sites, Boomerangs, Door of Hope, Benevolence.

PERCENTAGE OF BUDGET



- GROW MINISTRIES**
Groups, Care, Kids and Student Ministries
- REACH MINISTRIES**
Outreach, multi-sites, Benevolence, Boomerangs and Door of Hope
- SUPPORT MINISTRIES**
Administration, operations and facilities



GIVING FAMILIES
NEW: 245
TOTAL: 1,366



INCREASE
IN GIVING



Each of you should give what you have decided in your heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver.”

2 CORINTHIANS 9:7

GLOBAL COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

HAITI SERVICE TRIP

OCTOBER 24-31, 2018

Mission of Hope

A service team visited and painted our new partner school in Zoranje, took part in the Farm to Table program, painted the school, delivered meals to a local orphanage, delivered goats to a family and participated in Strategic Village Time.

RWANDA SERVICE TRIP

MARCH 15-23, 2019

World Relief

A special team went to Rwanda, in support of World Relief, to host a three-day retreat for Rwandan pastors and their wives.

“ Although we have nothing to pay you, we will tell the Lord to give you the greatest gift of all: Eternal Life. You have helped us recommit our marriages, and we feel young again and strengthened. We will be sure to pass what we have learned on to others.

RWANDA RETREAT ATTENDER

HONDURAS SERVICE TRIP

JULY 26-AUGUST 3 & AUGUST 2-10, 2019

Great Commission Church of Latin America

Two student ministry service teams (32 total!) built a house, bunk beds and worked with children in an after school program.

Three people from our teams were baptized while in Honduras!





LOCAL COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

ADOPT A TEACHER

There were **27** Life Groups matched with **27** teachers to serve in **18** different local schools.

MEAL PACKING

Meals directly benefit our partner school in Zoranje, Haiti.

60,000 meals packed by **500** Door Creek Church volunteers (alongside students, parents and staff at our partner schools)!

SERVE DAY 2019

Over **300** people served at our three school partner sites, totaling **900+** hours!

MENDOTA BLOCK PARTY

1,500 people attended!

CHRISTMAS STORES

Over **600** families were served at our three partner schools, and **1,850** gifts valuing **\$20,000** were sold!

CHRISTMAS OFFERING

\$90,000 raised—thank you!

The Christmas Offering is an opportunity for Door Creek Church to respond to God's immense generosity toward us with thankful generosity towards others in our own backyard and around the world.

Thank you for being part of this opportunity to love some of the most vulnerable people in our community and around the world.





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SPRECHER ROAD CAMPUS

6602 Dominion Drive, Madison, WI 53718

DEFOREST CAMPUS

6640 Pederson Crossing Boulevard, DeForest, WI 53532

NORTHSIDE MADISON CAMPUS

1181 North Sherman Avenue, Madison, WI 53704

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