

"For I am already being poured out as a drink offering, and the time of my departure has come. I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. Henceforth there is laid up for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will award to me on that day, and not only to me but also to all who have loved his appearing."

2 Timothy 4:6-8

Friends,

As we studied 2 Timothy this past year, we were reminded that in order to live lives that truly matter, which leave legacies that last, we are called to be people who seek first the kingdom of God. Paul demonstrated in his life the beauty of sacrificial living, of pouring out his life as a drink offering for others, and in so doing receiving the rewards of God.

The following pages are a glimpse of how so many of you give your lives away through your serving, your giving, your praying, and so many other ways in which God calls us to be His disciples. The record below is a mere snapshot of all the wonderful things God has done in the last year through the sacrifices of His people. We, as elders and staff, hope and pray that this is an encouragement to all of us that God is at work in our church, our city, and beyond, as we faithfully steward the resources He has given us.

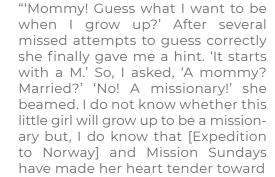
- JJ on behalf of the Elders & Staff

GROWING IN OUR LOVE FOR GOD



Children's Ministry







"Stop & Pray" Theme



Emphasized this year to encourage prayer with Children's Min. students.

missions all year long." - Sherry H.

Growing in Prayer



Corporate Prayer Launch

Sought to grow in our dependance on God, by praying together.



Children's Ministry Prayer Launch

Dedicated to praying for teachers/helpers and children each Sunday.



Neighboring churches we have prayed with this year:

- 1. Harvest Comm. Church
- 2. Pleasant Grove AME Zion
- **3.** Hope Church Charlotte



GROWING IN LOVE FOR ONE ANOTHER

Community Groups

"When we first started the group, I was worried about my own gifts and ability to lead; but God has shown me that it is not about me, that He is in charge, and that He uses each member to encourage and lead the whole...What a joy it has been to get to know these now dear friends and be encouraged through them to know and love Jesus more...We need each other and the gifts God has given us. These gifts help build each other up and glorify Him. (Eph. 2:15-16)."

- Alex & Ashley Hong

Discipleship M28 Connect Groups Launched

12 Mentors

23 Students



3 New Community Groups Launched



New Community Group Leaders

Women's Discipleship Groups Launched

8 Leaders34 Participants



Serving

"Perhaps, the largest blessing that has come from my gift of serving...is the wonderful brothers and sisters I get to see in a more intimate setting." - Mercedes Cotchery



People serve each Sunday Morning

GOING IN LOVE TO THE WORLD



Little Moments of Adoption



Sons & Daughters Sunday

We highlighted several opportunities to display the Father's heart.



Safe Families Partnership Built

This year we cared for six at-risk children.



100 Valentine's Day Bags & Notes for **Stoney Creek Staff**



Rancho 3M

"I want to say to this church, thank you very much for all your support, thank you for your prayers, and thank you for not forgetting children like me. God is using your lives to change the lives of many children in need at Rancho 3M. All the glory and honor be to our God." - Valeria. Staff of Rancho 3M



Summer Mission Trip Team to Serve R3M

Over the past 10 years. over 131 individuals have joined one of our teams.





SUMMARY AND NUMBERS

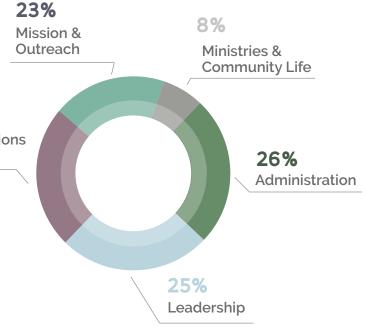
Fiscal Year: September 2018-August 2019*

FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES

How money was spent.



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18-19	Anticipated	Actual
Income	1,041,750	1,041,570
Expenses	1,053,012	1,044,427
Loss	(11,262)	(2,857)



*As of August 27, 2019



VISION

Hopes for the future.

Collaborating with Local Churches:
Growing in our relationships with

churches in our area to more effectively demonstrate the gospel

5-Year Strategic Plan:

Prayerfully creating a 5 year strategic plan over the course of the next year

Gospel Care Expansion:

Stewarding our resources to better equip and serve our church and other local churches

19-20	Anticipated	
Income	1,044,500	
Expenses	1,107,554	
Loss	(63,054)	



MORE DETAILED VERSION:

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