

HERE, NEAR & FAR

A 2020 MINISTRY UPDATE FOR

COMMUNITY IMPACT COMPASSNATIONAL COMPASSGLOBAL

Our work around the world is served by our CompassGlobal department. Here are some of the relationships and partnerships CompassGlobal stewards. In some cases, missions partners or information about some partners have been left out intentionally for security purposes.

Africa

DAVE & PATSY ALFORS

West Africa | ReachGlobal

Dave and Patsy serve as church planters and evangelists among an unreached people group.

CALEB & KRISTA FADER

Burundi | Serge

Caleb is the site manager and engineer who oversees the construction projects and maintenance issues at Kibuye Hope Hospital. Krista teaches in the homeschool co-op.

ELI & BETHANY FADER

Uganda | SIM

Eli and Bethany serve Sudanese refugees in Northern Uganda. They are involved with theological education, as well as training and discipling local believers from different tribes.

JASON & HEATHER FADER

Burundi | Serge

Jason and Heather serve at Kibuye Hope Hospital. Jason works as a surgeon while running the surgery department and assists with administration. Heather teaches at the school for missionary children.

NATHAN & BECKY KENDALL

West Africa

Nathan and Becky are involved with church development, university student ministry and leadership training.

ELAINE SCHERRER

Chad | Wycliffe Bible Translators

Elaine does linguistic research involving development of alphabet systems to be used for various medias in hopes of opening the door to reach the 95% of unreached people in Chad.

RICK & ANN SMITH

Kenya | Oasis for Orphans

Rick and Ann work to help care for orphaned and vulnerable children through a guardian care and children's home sponsorship program. They focus on holistic care in the areas of physical, spiritual, social educational and emotional development.

Asia

TIM & SUSAN DRISCOLL

Japan | OMF

Tim and Susan are involved with church planting and evangelism, as well as training Japanese and OMF missionaries.

BRIAN & BEKAH FARBER

Thailand | OMF

Brian and Bekah are planting a church in an industrial area of Thailand where 99.92% of the population does not know Christ. Their work includes discipleship, market outreaches, kids' club activities, as well as organizing and leading a weekly worship service.

ANDY & LORNA GILBERT

Japan | ReachGlobal

Andy and Lorna are pastors to missionaries in Japan. They also oversee the work of church planting in Onagawa, Japan as well as the social enterprise Megumi Project.

FINN & SANDY TORJESEN

Asia Pacific | TEAM

Finn works with key local leaders; both government and faith leaders. Sandy helps new families as they adjust to a new country and mission work.

GILL & KAREN

Southeast Asia

Gill trains and equips church planters throughout the region.

MIMI

Southeast Asia

Mimi works as a coordinator for oral storytelling, training local believers across Southeast Asia.

RAJENDRA

Southeast Asia

Rajendra serves as the head of a church planting network, overseeing training and care for over 20 church planters.

STEPHEN & LOUISE

South Asia

Stephen and Louise are international training consultants. They assist programs around the world that prepare new international and national workers for the least reached peoples of the world.

STEPHEN & YOUNG-LY

Asia | ReachGlobal

Stephen is ReachGlobal's International Leader for Asia. He oversees current workers and partners as well as develops new partnerships across the region.

Central Asia & Middle East

BOB & JEANNETTE SCHROER

Central Asia & Middle East | CRU

Bob and Jeannette lead a team that is responsible for resource development for 400 national workers in 20 countries.

Europe

DENNIS & LYDIA BOWEN

Ukraine & Moldova | Ripe for the Harvest

Dennis and Lydia train and mentor qualified Christian counselors and family ministry workers. They provide training in substance abuse, marriage and family communication.

NATE & BRITTANY BRUNS

Germany | ReachGlobal

Nate and Brittany serve our German church partners through small group ministry, serving on the leadership team and worship team. In addition, they work alongside the larger church planting efforts in East Germany.

PHIL & KAREN DUBERT

Spain | United World Mission

Phil and Karen are involved in placement facilitation, mentoring, training and project management.

OLIVIER & KARIN JONKERS

Belgium | ReachGlobal

Olivier and Karin are Belgian nationals, involved in evangelism and church planting.

SOUTHEAST ASIA PARTNERSHIPS

- We support 67 indigenous church planters in Nepal, Bhutan, India, Vietnam, Philippines, Tibetan Mountain Region and Myanmar.
- **RISE UP CAMPAIGN GLOBAL FOCUS:** Supporting a total of 26 church planters in Bhutan; Kolkata, India; and a limited-access nation in Central Asia

EUROPE PARTNERSHIPS

- GERMANY:** We support church planting in the cities of Potsdam, Cottbus and Rostock.
- BELGIUM:** We support church planting in the cities of Brussels and Nivelles.
- MOLDOVA:** We support the work of KBC Ministries, which includes Moldova Bible Seminary as well as outreach and church planting efforts.

KENNO & JANA LEIER

Finland

Kenno is the Senior Pastor of the Evangelical Free Church in Espoo, Finland. He and his wife, Jana, are church planting movement leaders in Finland.

TODD & JANA PATTERSON

Slovakia | ReachGlobal

Todd is an Associate Professor of Old Testament at the evangelical seminary in Slovakia. Jana teaches at a local Christian school.

DANIEL & CARRIE RITZMAN

Belgium | ReachGlobal

Dan and Carrie are involved with planting a church among a refugee population of Belgium. Dan also leads their city team for ReachGlobal and Carrie teaches English at a Christian community center.

MAX SCHAAFSMA

Italy | CEDE Sports

Max participates in church planting initiatives in Milan, Italy through sports ministry, pastoral care and youth ministry.

DIETRICH & JAN SCHINDLER

Germany | TEAM

Dietrich and Jan serve as consultants for European-wide church planting.

EVGHENII & IRINA SOLOGUBENCO

Moldova | KBC Ministries

Evghenii is the Co-Pastor of Kishinev Bible Church. He is also the President of Moldova Bible Seminary, training students as church workers, pastors and missionaries.

STEFFEN & NATA WEIL

Germany

Steffen and Nata are German nationals, planting a church in Potsdam, one of the most atheistic cities in the world per capita.

PETER WILLIAMS

England | Tyndale House

Dr. Williams is the Principal of Tyndale House at the University of Cambridge, equipping people on six continents to be high level Bible teachers and scholars.

NAT & ANNETTE WINSTON

Belgium

Nat and Annette lead a community center to serve their city and build relationships. They begin disciple-making groups and are planting a local church.

North America

JEANNE AUSTIN

Mexico | Wycliffe Bible Translators

Jeanne works among the Popolocan people. She has completed the New Testament and is now assisting with translation of the Old Testament and continued literacy training.

RAY & LOIS BADGERO

USA & Canada | Adventure Learning Ministries

Ray and Lois provide summer camps and year-round discipleship for First Nations youth.

JENNIFER BLEVINS

Haiti | ReachGlobal

Jen works with the Global Fingerprints program in Haiti, serving as a resource for Haitian staff, as well as being the site coordinator for a new location of the program. Jen also coordinates short term teams serving in Haiti.

MARK & MEG KUZDAS

Costa Rica | World Outreach Ministries

Mark and Meg's goal is to share the gospel in the hard places of Costa Rica, Nicaragua and Honduras, discipling new believers in those countries and empowering them to go and do the same right where they live - in the dangerous and poor places.

ANTHONY & KRISTEN MIELE

Honduras | Samaritans Purse

Anthony serves in a healthcare clinic as an internal medicine and pediatric physician providing for the underserved. Kristen teaches at a school associated with the clinic which is owned by a U.S. Christian foundation.

TIM & NANCY NAVRATIL

ReachGlobal

Tim serves on the leadership team for the Latin America/Caribbean Division of ReachGlobal. He supervises six city team leaders across Latin America as well as two field missionary staff.

KATIE TAYLOR

Mexico | Partners in Christ International

Katie teaches classes in theological institutions, influencing current and future church leaders. She also collaborates with different local ministries and develops and mentors local colleagues.

GRACIE WALTON

USA & Latin America | YWAM

Gracie helps staff Bible schools that provide students with a chronological overview of the Bible, and helps lead and equip students on outreaches to share what they have learned.

South America

FELIX & NINOSKA GUTIERREZ

Venezuela

Felix Gutierrez is the pastor of Iglesia Montaña de Salvación which he planted in the Andes Mountains. The church is growing and seeking to serve 21 other communities located in this mountain range with the desire to plant future churches there.

ALONSO & RACHEL SILVA

Chile | One Collective

Alonso and Rachel work with children and youth under government protection. They are working to stop the abuse and oppression of youth across the country.

United States Based Global Partners

MATT & LAURA PHENEGER

USA | Ambassadors Football

Matt and Laura provide leadership to advance evangelism through sports ministry internationally.

MICHAEL & RACHEL THOMPSON

USA | OneWay Ministries

Michael and Rachel serve with OneWay Ministries which uses media and worship arts to stimulate prayer for the nations and bring the gospel to unreached peoples. Michael serves as the director and Rachel oversees the communications team.

RAY & MARTI WILLIAMS

USA | TEAM

Ray is part of the Executive Leadership team including member care for all missionaries. Marti is responsible for raising the profile of women of color into leadership in TEAM and changing the subculture to be inclusive.

BARRY & DAWN WINCHELL

Regional | TEAM

Barry serves as Regional Executive Director of TEAM giving overall leadership to the EMEA region, providing support and encouragement to leaders, while holding them accountable in accomplishing TEAM's purposes for the Great Commission.

NORTH AMERICA PARTNERSHIPS

- HAITI:** We support ReachGlobal's Global Fingerprints child sponsorship program.
- NICARAGUA:** We support the work of OrphanNetwork



STORIES

Moldova/Central Asia

The Compass Church has a long-term partnership with KBC Ministries in Chisinau, Moldova. The ministry was primarily focused on a local church, Bible school and urban outreach. In the past couple years, KBC Ministries has been developing a strategy of church planting, both within Moldova and into unreached areas of Central Asia. Through our Rise Up global funds, we are now supporting six church planters in Central Asia. In January, Compass Pastors Jeff Griffin and Rick Pierson traveled to Moldova to meet with the church planting team, spending time hearing the church planters' stories and encouraging them through teaching and prayer. Through our partnership with KBC in Moldova in Europe, we are able to support church planting efforts in a Central Asian nation that is closed to American missionaries.

ANDREW & ALANNA

USA

Andrew and Alanna are member care coaches for a sending agency, working with new appointees and individuals on home assignment. They also provide care and counseling for emotional and physical health needs.

DAVE & PAM

Regional

Dave and Pam provide leadership, training and discipleship for international and national workers and ministries in many countries. They also build strategic partnerships and mobilize churches through specialized support for prayer and service.

DAVE & REBECCA

USA

Dave and Rebecca serve as disciple-making movement catalysts with a focus on Muslim outreach.

JOHN

Regional

John equips leaders globally through mentoring, coaching and training to advance the gospel.



Nicaragua

We have been partnering with ORPHANetwork in Nicaragua for the past several years. Their mission is to work with local churches to address the needs of the most vulnerable children in their communities. This is mostly done through meal distribution and providing resources for local orphanages. One way we have been able to come alongside their ministry is by providing a mission trip experience for the orphaned teens in their programs. It allows these students who have been on the receiving end of ministry to begin to see the ways that God has gifted them in serving and leadership. In January, Compass Pastor Dave Griffin led a team to take the orphaned students on this trip, where they served another community within Nicaragua.

Nepal

Last November, we hosted a first ever ministry family and marriage retreat in Pokhara, Nepal for national ministry partners from Nepal, Bhutan and India. We recognize that the family is the primary institution to advance the gospel, and yet families and marriages are under attack all over the world. Serving in ministry in very difficult areas presents even greater challenges. With over 50 nationals in attendance, Rick Pierson, Executive Director of CompassGlobal, presented biblical principles of family and marriage enrichment over the three-day retreat.

Vietnam

Last October, CompassGlobal sponsored their fourth Women's Retreat in Vietnam, in partnership with ReachGlobal and a church planting team based in Ho Chi Minh City. There were over 100 women in attendance, including a delegation from Hanoi who came to learn how to begin a similar ministry. During the three days, the women participated in worship, teaching, group discussion and interactive and intercessory prayer.

HERE COMMUNITY IMPACT

Our work beyond us into our local neighborhoods, cities and counties is called Community Impact. Here is a listing of our Community Impact ministries and partners and some 2020 highlights from across our church campuses.

BOLINGBROOK

Bolingbrook Chamber of Commerce
Bolingbrook Christian Health Clinic
Bolingbrook Police & Fire Chaplains
F3 Men's Fitness Ministry
Heart Haven Outreach
Kids Hope USA
JUST of DuPage
Southwest Suburban Immigration Project

COMPASS CHURCH FOOD PANTRY

When the Coronavirus pandemic started, we moved our food distribution from our Compass Church Food Pantry to our parking lot for better public health safety. As a result, in the month of June alone, we served over 400 households through our Food Pantry. Many have inquired more about our church and some have joined us on the weekends.



NAPERVILLE

Aurora Interfaith Food Pantry
Caring Network Crisis Pregnancy Centers
Christians Against Poverty
Giftmart
Kids Hope USA
Loaves & Fishes
Naperville Education Foundation
Naperville Police Chaplains
Rebuilding Together Aurora
School District 203
Sharing Connections
Stenzel Counseling
The Gathering
Versiti
Wayside Cross
West Suburban Community Pantry

NIGHT TO SHINE

In February, we hosted our second annual extraordinary prom night experience for people with special needs. With a team of nearly 300 volunteers from across our church, we were able to shower 103 Honored Guests with love, a salon experience, limo rides, karaoke, red carpet treatment, dinner, a crowning event, dancing and a balloon drop.

SERVANT RESPONSE TEAM

This team of 100 volunteers responded in a multitude of ways during this tumultuous pandemic season by shopping and delivering groceries to those at risk, delivering meals to seniors with Meals on Wheels, packaging and distributing food at several local pantries, providing over 100 under-resourced families at three local schools with fresh produce, full meals and library books and by cleaning up after the unrest in downtown Naperville in June.

HESED HOUSE TEAMS

We continue to provide love, dinner, service, and much-needed supplies, including tents, to Hesed House, the second-largest homeless shelter in Illinois. During this pandemic season, we helped to ensure they had what they needed to remain open to care for some of the most vulnerable in our community.

SOUTH NAPERVILLE

Caring Network Crisis Pregnancy Centers
Our Children's Homestead

BEST BUDDIES OF NAPERVILLE

We hosted the inaugural event for Best Buddies of Naperville who founded their chapter this year. We welcomed 40 young adults with special needs, in addition to their family members. Over two dozen Compass volunteers served at this launch party.

WHEATON

Lowell Elementary School
Naomi's House
Safe Families for Children
I Have A Bean
Wayside Cross
Northern Illinois Food Bank
DuPage Care Center

WORLD RELIEF

We are partnered with World Relief to provide a Homework Club at Lowell Elementary School in Wheaton. The club is designed for students who are a part of their English-learning program to provide additional academic support.

KOINONIA HOUSE

We serve a monthly meal for Radical Time Out, a ministry of Koinonia House that cares for families of incarcerated individuals and those who have formerly been incarcerated.

NEAR COMPASSNATIONAL

Our work across the country is served by our CompassNational department. Here are some of the relationships and partnerships CompassNational stewards.

DENOMINATIONAL ENGAGEMENT

Our church is part of the Evangelical Free Church of America denomination, a movement of about 1,300 like-minded churches. We were privileged to be the host church in June 2019 for our denomination's national gathering called EFCA One; with over 1,500 pastors, missionaries and church leaders being trained, refreshed and encouraged at our church.

The Compass Church is part of the Great Lakes District, a grouping of about 200 EFCA churches in Illinois, Indiana, Michigan and Ohio. We have close ties to the leadership of our District. We have a passion for helping other EFCA churches in the Midwest with the basics of church birth, growth, depth and health.

TRAINING SENIOR PASTORS

Our Senior Pastor Jeff Griffin and Executive Pastor Darrell Cloud have been leading a monthly connection group of about eight EFCA Senior Pastors in Chicagoland over the past three years.

HELPING ETHNIC CHURCHES

We have built a relationship with Iglesia Filadelfia, an EFCA church in Franklin Park, IL that worships in Spanish. When the Coronavirus pandemic started, we gifted them funds from our Assistance Fund to help them start a similar fund of their own. We have a ministry support connection with Jonathan Pierson, the Senior Pastor of Iglesia Filadelfia.

HELPING CHURCH-PLANTING CHURCHES

We have built relationships with three EFCA churches in Detroit, MI – Restore Church, Cornerstone Church and Summit Church. Restore Church started 10 years ago in an under-resourced neighborhood in the urban center. Four years ago, they helped Cornerstone Church get started in another under-resourced part of the city. This year they are helping Summit Church get started as well. We are supporting all three churches with financial gifts through our Rise Up campaign.

HELPING CHURCH PLANTERS

Church planter Tyler St Clair started Cornerstone Church in Detroit, MI through the help of Mike Hanafee, church planting Senior Pastor of Restore Church in Detroit. Now they are helping new church planter Ovi Petrascu start Summit Church this year in Garden City, MI, a first ring suburb of Detroit. We are involved with supporting all three of these bold new church planters.

Ritch Sandford is the church planting Senior Pastor of The Mission Church in South Jordan, UT – a Salt Lake City suburb. Ritch is a former Campus Pastor of our church. Students from Compass have helped The Mission Church with a Vacation Bible School for 6 years. We also personally support Ritch in his work.

SUPPORTING FAITH-BASED NON-PROFITS

Pacific Garden Mission in Chicago, IL started in 1877. It is the oldest continuously operating gospel rescue mission in the country. Theo & Beth Jones are on their management staff.

Andrew & Bekah Cedarleaf are on administrative staff at Camp Bighorn; a gospel-focused student retreat in Montana.

SUPPORTING COLLEGIATE MINISTRIES

Karen Hibberd-Crebs is on staff with Cru, a national ministry to reach college students. Karen serves in administrative support at the national headquarters in Orlando, FL.

Milton & Cynthia Massie are on staff with Cru; a nationwide ministry for evangelism and discipleship. Milton leads Cru's national inner-city movement. They live and serve on Chicago's south side.

Jordan Richert is on staff with Christ Community Church in Urbana, IL. The church specializes in reaching young adults through relationships at the University of Illinois.

Joel & Ana Schrader are on staff with Cru; a national, multi-faceted ministry to reach college students. Joel leads a Cru team at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign.

Leah Watters is new on staff with Cru, reaching students at four different central Illinois colleges.

