



An Interdenominational Church

## 2022 Mission Partners

*<sup>18</sup> Then Jesus came to them and said, “All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. <sup>19</sup>Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, <sup>20</sup>and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age.”*

Matthew 28:18-20

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## ***Board of Trustees Message***

Greetings to The Worship Place family! We commend to you this 2022 edition of *The Worship Place Mission Partners* brochure and hope you'll find it informative and inspirational. It contains updated information on our 2022 slate of programs with which we've entered a financial partnership. But our partnership is not intended to stop there. These programs offer opportunities and invitations to our church family to get involved in their ministries on a direct and personal level. It's an opportunity they extend but didn't create. Rather, their relationship with us is an invitation from Jesus himself as He admonished all who would follow Him, to follow His example of discipleship, evangelism, and sacrificial service to those in need.

Last year the Board of Trustees challenged the Missions Committee by broadening its charter in two ways: to seek ways to better inform our church family about our mission partners, and to promote opportunities for our members to become more active in service to these partner programs. This brochure is but one of the Mission Committee's responses to that challenge. Throughout the year they'll bring other opportunities for us to learn, grow, and serve our mission obligation, with programs such as Mission Emphasis videos, ministry tables hosted by mission partner representatives, and special presentations by senior leaders of some of these partner programs. You'll also have opportunities to participate in field trips to local mission partner sites and possibly on mission trip to foreign lands. These activities are not intended to entertain you; rather, they are meant to inspire in you a greater desire to be missional in spirit, thought, and action.

Blessings to each of you! We look forward to serving alongside you and with our mission partners in ways that bring glory to our Lord and Savior.

*Your Trustees*

## ***Senior Pastor Message***

Hello church family! One of the joys I've experienced since becoming your Senior Pastor in 2022, is how The Worship Place responds to the needs of our neighbors. That we are a mission-focused church is evidenced by the many mission partners you support—not only with your generous offerings, but with your time and talent. But might we do more?

This brochure is the second annual edition. Here you will find descriptions of our mission partners. These programs operate on the local and global scene in obedience to Jesus' admonition in the Parable of the Sheep and the Goats (Mt 25:31-46). As you read about these programs, I hope you will be inspired to even greater investment. Locally, that might mean delivering a Meals on Wheels meal to Sun City neighbors or providing a Faith in Action ride to a Georgetown senior. It might find you serving an occasional meal—and as a Christian role model—to a child at Children of the King, or to a young Fort Hood soldier or military spouse at Soldiers Hospitality House. Or it might involve an even bigger step geographically, as a member of a mission trip to Matamoros Children's Home or to drill a well in Central America with Living Water International.

Every partner listed in this brochure is on a scripturally-inspired mission! Some do it through direct evangelism, some through examples of compassionate, sacrificial service that allow us to step in as volunteers and use opportunities to present our testimony. No matter what your talent or interest, there's a place for you to serve. Let's let 2022 be our year to reach new heights as we love God, love our neighbor, and go with the good news that Jesus Christ is the Savior of all who believe.

Blessings!

Pastor John  
Senior Pastor

## **Brookwood in Georgetown (BIG)**

Brookwood in Georgetown (BIG) provides a God-centered, innovative vocational and residential community for adults with special needs, changing the way the world sees and experiences this population. Established in 2008, the program supports approximately 100 “citizens,” employing them in varied work experiences that match their abilities and optimize their potential, and opportunities for them to achieve self-worth, earn a wage, and contribute to the world in meaningful ways by creating beautiful marketable items.

BIG has been voted best boutique in Georgetown each of the past 5 years and operates a café which has a 5-star Yelp rating. Citizens work in both, giving them opportunity to interact with the community. As they develop and thrive in those settings, citizens fulfill the second part of BIG’s mission-to change the way the world sees and experiences this population.

Two years ago BIG launched a pilot residential program for five full time residential Citizens. These ladies will be the first to move into *Grace Place*, a \$25M master planned community for adults with special needs in Weir, TX. Construction is underway and BIG anticipates moving in at least 20 full time residents by spring of 2023. It will be the future home of at least 80 Citizens and will have income-producing enterprises such as a drive-in movie theater, splash pad, pet resort, and more, both to help Grace Place be self-sustaining and provide jobs for Citizens to work and interact with the community. It will also have a chapel as a place of worship for Citizens, and a full scale events center available for rent by the general public.

Worship Place financial contributions to BIG support a wide range of operational requirements. BIG also hosts a number of volunteer opportunities suitable for church members. For more information see BIG’s website at <https://brookwoodingeorgetown.org>.

## **The Caring Place**

For over 35 years, The Caring Place has provided a safety net to assist with basic human needs. Its unique challenge and greatest recent accomplishment has been sustaining operations with a staff of 30, even as much of its volunteer support was suspended due to Covid concerns for the past two years. As we move further into 2022, The Caring Place's programs are resurging stronger than ever! Its primary target audience is those local individuals and families who need assistance to meet basic human needs.

The Caring Place tailors comprehensive solutions to address needs of people in financial crisis, such as help with rent and mortgage assistance, utility bills, certain medical, dental, and optical procedures; prescriptions, transportation, temporary shelter, and high interest loan payoffs.

The program provides other assistance by operating a food pantry, clothing and household items thrift shops, a fan drive, referrals, education and client-centered case management.

Throughout 2021, The Caring Place upheld its mission by assisting over 6,600 individuals and 2,100 families; supporting over 19,000 visits to its food pantry, and distributing over 1 million pounds of food.

The Worship Place funds are used to directly assist local families in crisis with basic human needs--assistance with rent and utilities payments, transportation, certain medical needs, and food. The program is quick to welcome members of The Worship Place to serve as volunteers in a number of different program activities.

More information about The Caring Place's programs, services, and support opportunities can be found at the program website, <https://www.caringplacetx.org>.

## Children of the King

Children of the King (aka Boys to Men of God / Daughters of the King) has as its mission the sharing of Jesus Christ in a family atmosphere with children age 4-12 who live in father-absent homes. Top priority is safety and security of the children, then to meet their practical needs by building relationships through family (food, play, activities, study) and teaching Bible truths, promises, and values. Christian volunteers serve as mentors at program activities. For long term continuity, the program introduces children and families to a local church to further nurture their spiritual growth.

The program focuses its efforts on children in Georgetown, Round Rock, Leander, and Pflugerville. It provides van service to shuttle children between their homes (many of whom live in one of six apartment complexes in the areas served) and multiple after-school programs each week. The program reaches 200 children and 150 adults, and averages 50-75 participants at each session. In a recent exciting development, the program will be hosting activities each Wednesday evening at a second location—Cypress Creek at Riverbend Apartments in Georgetown—effective June 1st. This will provide a much closer opportunity for Georgetown youth to access the program...and a closer opportunity for The Worship Place members to get involved!

The Worship Place's financial contributions help cover the cost of program activities, transportation to events, small group mentoring, Bible study materials, facility maintenance, and other expenses. The Worship Place's 2022 donation will cover approximately 20% of the program's financial obligations.

This program offers The Worship Place family many opportunities to serve as volunteer mentors, drivers, cooks and meal servers, and to assist in facility and outdoor play area maintenance. For more information check their website at [www.childrenoftheking.church](http://www.childrenoftheking.church).

## **Christ Child Society of Texas, Capital Area**

Christ Child Society of Texas, Capital Area is a 100-member non-profit organization operating under the Catholic Diocese of Austin, one of 46 such organizations operating throughout the country. Its mission is to provide fellowship and service to community youth who are most in need of spiritual, physical, emotional, or economic support. It focuses support in Bell, Williamson, and Travis counties.

In fulfillment of its mission, the program manages several efforts: in a typical year, it assembles and distributes over 1,000 layettes containing basic items to assist young mothers in the care of their infant children; distributes bereavement sets of hand-made gowns, blankets, and bonnets to families who lose a baby before or after birth; distributes over 300 handmade hygiene bags of items to elementary students in need; and provides winter caps and gloves to students in need.

The program also distributes drawstring backpacks filled with full size hygiene products to homeless middle and high school students throughout the Round Rock school district. These packs are designed to meet the student's hygiene needs for the summer. In addition, it provides clothing items to homeless teens, and participates in feeding dinner items to homeless and at-risk students participating in *The Nest* program in Georgetown.

By way of acknowledging The Worship Place's support the Society includes with each layette a pamphlet from the Billy Graham Evangelistic Association.

The Worship Place members Joan Watkins and Mary Q. Smith are active participants in the Society. More information is available at the program website, <https://ccstxcapital.wordpress.com> or from Meg Beasley at [president.ccstxcapital@gmail.com](mailto:president.ccstxcapital@gmail.com).



## **Faith In Action - Georgetown**

Faith in Action-Georgetown was formed through a coalition of churches. The program provides services to Georgetown seniors who no longer drive or who cannot afford a vehicle. Services include reliable door-to-door assisted transportation and a Buddy Program that maintains recurring phone contact to check on the welfare of enrollees. It also maintains a closet of medical mobility equipment.

Each of the program's services is designed to support senior independence by responding to needs for mobility, companionship, and safety. The intended outcome is helping the elderly maintain their health and ability to stay connected with their community while living independently in their homes.

The program embraces the biblical call to serve widows (42% of the program's client base) and the underprivileged. Its services also provide a safe alternative to an impaired senior risking driving to obtain food, other essentials, or social interaction. Seniors living alone are at greater risk, and nearly 3 in 5 of the seniors supported by the program live alone.

As 2021 came to an end, 632 seniors were being supported by Faith in Action Georgetown. The program provided nearly 1,500 buddy care calls, 4,275 point to point rides, 790 van rides, and filled 168 requests for medical equipment. This was all accomplished with just over 250 trained volunteers. The new program executive director, Lisa Hill, is proud of and grateful for the relationship the program enjoys with The Worship Place, and says, "we always welcome TWP volunteers!"

More information is available at the program's website, <https://www.faithinactiongt.org>.

## **Fellowship of Christian Athletes**

Fellowship of Christian Athletes (FCA) exists to lead every coach and athlete into a growing relationship with Jesus Christ and the church. FCA engages, equips, and empowers close to 2 million people each year, fostering values of integrity, service, teamwork and excellence in every coach and athlete it reaches.

The Worship Place supports FCA in Williamson County. The local program reaches 200 coaches and approximately 4,500 students in schools throughout the county and in Pflugerville with a presence in 63 schools in those areas.

FCA operates a “To and Through the Coach” approach that seeks to equip young athletes to become Christ-like role models to their families, teams, schools, and communities. FCA works on campuses through coaches, camps, and community events. Last year, FCA in Williamson County reported 317 kids making decisions to accept Christ as their savior; put 2,650 Bibles in the hands of coaches and kids; hosted 70+ FCA Huddles on Williamson County school campuses, and sent 357 kids and coaches to a FCA Camp.

Members of The Worship Place participate in Celebrity Golf events and fundraising banquets hosted by FCA. TWP members can also assist in supporting local sports camps and hosting out of town campers.

Learn more about Fellowship of Christian Athletes program activities in the greater Austin/Williamson County areas at <https://fcaaustin.org>.

## **Georgetown Meals On Wheels**

Meals on Wheels, a national organization, is a service provided to residents of Williamson County for the past 45 years. Meals on Wheels in Georgetown started as a collaboration between area churches belonging to the Georgetown Ministerial Alliance and a local community action agency, Opportunities for Williamson-Burnet Counties (OWBC).

The Georgetown Meals on Wheels program exists to provide physical and financial support to the OWBC Meals on Wheels program. Under this arrangement, OWBC staff screens potential clients, plans meals, and cooks and packages meals for locations in Burnet, Georgetown, Leander and Taylor. Georgetown volunteers deliver 225 meals, 5 days a week, in Georgetown and limited outlying areas. The program also serves congregante meals at the Madella Hilliard Center in Georgetown.

The Worship Place provides financial support, and along with other local congregations, shares the duty of delivering food to recipients every nine weeks. We receive our annual schedule in December, which allows The Worship Place volunteers to arrange their schedules and pre-plan their support of deliveries.

Contact one of The Worship Place co-leaders of delivery support if you are interested in participating in this outreach. They are:

- Dr. John and Sara Hudson, 512-948-7440, [drhudson7@yahoo.com](mailto:drhudson7@yahoo.com)

and

- Gary and Vicki Wood

- Vicki, 979-299-4531, [vickiwood1@earthlink.net](mailto:vickiwood1@earthlink.net);
- Gary, 979-417-7073, [woodeye1@earthlink.net](mailto:woodeye1@earthlink.net)

## **Reset Mentoring**

Reset Mentoring works with teens who have been arrested and incarcerated in the Williamson County Justice facility. Christian men from Reset Mentoring connect with teens at the facility and follow them back into their communities to support them in their growth and help them get connected to a local church.

Over the past 11 years the program has reached increasing numbers of teens through life skill classes, teen nights, Christian conferences and other connecting activities. The program follows Jesus' model of reaching people where they are, attempting to meet their needs and inviting them to a new life. It also provides practical help, giving kids in the program the tools and materials they need to build a successful life.

The program provides job application and placement, and integrates 6-8 week Dave Ramsey Financial Peace classes, teaching the handling of money God's way as a way to help supported teens overcome the generational poverty that follows 80% of them.

Financial support from The Worship Place allows Reset Mentoring to operate the Reset Resource Center, a dedicated site where participants are able to study and receive training to develop life skills needed to transition to successful adulthood. Funds are used to cover facility operations and maintenance, purchase program materials, and train volunteer mentors. The program founder, Lorie Goggin, describes the program thus, "Everything we do starts with Jesus. All our mentors are Christ followers that are plugged into local churches and serving God. With only four employees and over 100 volunteers, we wrap our arms around sacrificial service."

More information is at <https://www.resetmentoring.org/index.html>  
Lorie can be reached at [lorie@resetmentoring.org](mailto:lorie@resetmentoring.org).

## **The Salvation Army-Williamson County Service Center**

The Salvation Army (TSA) focuses on the interdependence of material, emotional, and spiritual needs, and is guided by the principle of “Doing the Most Good for those in the community. We walk alongside our neighbors to empower them to regain self-sufficiency.” The program targets its efforts at families struggling to avoid chronic homelessness.

The Salvation Army Williamson County Service Center executes a two-generational approach to preventing homelessness by 1) providing direct financial assistance through a referral-based structure and 2) offering no-cost youth programs to families struggling with housing instability. When COVID social distancing requirements were imposed, youth programs were postponed, even as financial needs in the community increased. In response TSA became hyper-focused on providing immediate financial assistance.

All Worship Place donated funds are used to serve residents of Williamson County, and are applied to directly support program and operating expenses such as financial assistance to prevent homelessness and special events; as well as activities that were postponed due to the pandemic but are restarting during this grant cycle (summer kids camp, community neighborhood outreach & ministry, music program, nursing home ministry, etc).

The program’s website is at <https://salvationarmyaustin.org/williamson-county-service-center/>.

Audrey Vivar, program representative can be reached at [Audrey.Vivar@uss.salvationarmy.org](mailto:Audrey.Vivar@uss.salvationarmy.org).

## **Soldiers Hospitality House**

Soldiers Hospitality House (SHH) is located in Killeen, TX and supports soldiers at Fort Hood. The program is run by Cadence International Ministry to the Military. Cadence's mission is "Sharing the gospel and our lives with the military community" (based on 1 Thess 2:8) and the belief that having strangers in your home for something as simple as a meal is an effective way of sharing the Gospel.

SHH strives to disciple its participants by building a ministry team equipped to use the gifts God has given each of them. The program directors and five additional staff have a heart to reach the single soldiers by providing a Christ-centered "home away from home."

Each week multiple levels of Biblical studies are conducted with goals of Bible literacy, tools for self-study and opportunities to teach God's word. The main ministry night is often attended by non-believers or those that are not active in their faith (easily 1/3 of the group). The Gospel message is built into the fiber of the group's conversations and studies, such as weekly dinners and Bible studies, and Sunday fellowship lunches. The program also runs monthly day trips, game nights and other activities as ways to reach the unchurched.

Soldiers Hospitality House is a large home that typically hosts 100-150 soldiers each week. Financial support from The Worship Place helps support evangelizing the lost and discipling those that are followers of Jesus. Worship Place members are welcome to attend weekly sessions. There are also opportunities to help prepare food, serve meals, and help with building maintenance and improvements.

Long time program directors Ben and Melody Bloker are transitioning to a new assignment in Rota, Spain in the summer of 2022. They are being replaced by Chris and Jenny Jolin, inbound from a Cadence assignment in Korea. More information is at the program's Facebook page, [www.facebook.com/soldiershospitalityhouse](https://www.facebook.com/soldiershospitalityhouse).

## **Texas Baptist Children's Home**

The Texas Baptist Children's Home, located in Round Rock, TX has the mission to "embrace children and families in need in order to empower and equip them for a promising future." Its vision is to make a difference in people's lives by applying resources to needs, helping those served to reach their God-given potential.

In 2021, Texas Baptist Children's Home carried out this mission by providing residential services to 110 children and 55 single mothers in Family Care. Additionally, 10 young adults received residential services through the Home Base Program. A new initiative, the HOPE Program was introduced. It offers no-cost professional counseling services at the Georgetown Community Resource Center to children, youth, families, and individuals in the Georgetown area who have limited resources or access to services. This new program served nearly 150 individuals in 2021 and is growing capacity to serve even more this year.

Beyond financial support, The Worship Place supports the Children's Home in various ways: Adoption of cottages; assistance in response to house mothers' requests; installation of Christmas outdoor lighting and an indoor Christmas tree; and by hosting spring and fall cookouts at the cottage to meet new residents. Active Worship Place support leaders are:

Primary: Gary Allen, garyallenconsulting@gmail.com, (214) 763-1835

Alternates: Terry Cassidy, tcassidy04@suddenlink.net

Herb Theis, firstpoppa@gmail.com

June Allen, mjunebugg@att.net

David Gillian, davidgillian@tbch.org, is the program Director of Development. More information about Texas Baptist Children's Home can be found at <https://tbch.org>.

## **Gideons International –Williamson County Camp**

Gideons International provides Bibles to individuals and in public areas with the goal of their being taken and read by people who come across them. Gideons also share personal testimony to bring people of all ages, genders, and backgrounds into knowledge of and into personal relationship with Christ.

The Worship Place supports the Gideons Williamson County Camp. The program places Bibles in hotels throughout the county, in hospitals, doctor, dental, and medical offices, and offers them to residents of nursing homes. Bibles are also distributed to students in local schools and college students at Texas A&M, UT, the ACC Leander campus, and Temple College in Taylor.

In 2021 Gideons of Williamson County Camp shared with others 11,000 copies of the New Testament and the Bible, and shared in testimony what a relationship with Christ means. To overcome limitations imposed by COVID, the local Gideons worked with and through the local Fellowship of Christian Athletes (FCA), another TWP mission partner, to make distributions.

Approximately 7% of the Williamson County Gideon Camp's fundraising goal is supported by The Worship Place. Notably, 96% of donor funds are used to purchase and distribute scriptures. No donor dollars are used for local camp operating costs. Those costs are covered by contributions from Gideons members.

TWP members are invited to join the local Gideons and participate in Camp events. More information is at <https://www.gideons.org>.

David Smith, davidsmithllc@suddenlink.net is an active Worship Place member of the Gideons Williamson County Camp and can provide additional information.



## Global Gates

Global Gates was co-founded in September 2012 by Chris Clayman, son of The Worship Place Music Minister Jim Clayman, as a mission directed toward reaching Muslims, Hindus, Sikhs, Buddhists and Jews around the world through the global gateway of New York City. The program has grown from a few missionary families in New York to now having missionaries in around 25 cities in 6 countries.

Global Gates' vision is to spread the Gospel to the ends of the earth through global gateway cities. Its mission is to see gospel transformation of the world's least evangelized people groups who have come to our gateway cities, and through them spread that Gospel reach back into their overseas homeland communities.

Global Gates' mission plan is to mobilize missionaries, raise the mission climate in global gateway cities, plant reproducing churches, minister in Jesus' name, and launch church planting movements.

The program focuses on global gateway cities with large numbers of unreached people groups where the gospel can be shared without government backlash. Its strongest presence is in New York, Toronto, Houston, and Washington D.C. It also has missions in the San Francisco Bay Area, Pittsburgh, Columbus, Cincinnati, Detroit, Dallas, Austin, Vancouver, Atlanta, Nashville, Raleigh, and many other cities.

Overseas, Global Gates has missionary presence in Greece, India, and Morocco, and at various times, in other "least-reached" countries for language immersion or extended visits. Through gateway city contacts, Global Gates' influence reaches back into some of the least-reached regions of the world.

More information is available on the program's website at <https://globalgates.info> or from Chris Clayman at [cclayman@globalgates.org](mailto:cclayman@globalgates.org).

## Living Water International

Living Water International (LWI) is a faith-based non-profit with a goal of bringing clean water to the rural poor. Its approach involves mobilizing the local church in the area to build sustainability, ownership, and a healthier community while sharing the love of Jesus. The program works in 17 countries in Africa, the Caribbean, India, South and Central America, and Mexico.

Since 1990, Living Water International has completed over 21,000 water projects. In FY 2021 it completed 668 water projects, bringing clean, sustainable water to over 243,000 people; providing sanitation and hygiene training to over 68,000 community members; and presenting the Gospel message to over 273,000 people.

The Worship Place supports Living Water International in two ways. We typically provide a monetary contribution that is sufficient to cover the operational and material cost of digging one or more wells (labor, transportation, shipping, supplies and equipment, etc.). In 2022 The Worship place has pledged funding to support two well-drilling projects, one in Haiti and one in Peru. Further, when circumstances permit, we form and send a team of volunteers from The Worship Place to assist in a well-digging project AND to serve alongside LWI team members in presenting hygiene classes to members of the local community (typically students in the local school) who will benefit from the clean well water. COVID restrictions temporarily interrupted LWI's ability to host outside groups on trips, but as this document was being finalized, plans were being made for The Worship Place to resume mission trips with LWI starting in early 2023.

Leads for The Worship Place mission trips with Living Water International are Jim Mizell, [mizja@msn.com](mailto:mizja@msn.com) and David Tanner, [dgtanner65@gmail.com](mailto:dgtanner65@gmail.com).

## **Matamoros Children's Home**

Matamoros Children's Home is located in the Mexican town of Matamoros, directly across the southern Texas border from Brownsville TX. It is a Christian organization supported 100 percent by donations from Christian organizations and individuals, and operated by Christian staff.

The Children's Home's mission is to operate a safe Christian environment for orphaned, neglected and abused children. When the Mexican government imposed COVID restrictions in early 2020, the Home was required to reduce its population by nearly half, down from 230 to 130. With restrictions being eased in early 2022, the Home intended to return to traditional capacity, but funding lost during the pandemic era will be needed to support that increase. The Children's Home is also deeply involved in evangelism among the Nahuatl Indians in Mexico. In 2019 the program launched a Christian radio station that transmits the Gospel in the Nahuatl language 14 hours a day.

The Children's Home exists to provide for the physical, emotional and spiritual needs of orphans, neglected and abused children. The program reports that about 99 percent of the children that live there or who have left the Home do so having professed Jesus Christ as their Lord and Savior. Dr. Saul Camacho, program director reports with pride that "45 children who have grown up at the Children's Home are in ministry full time, and 65 new churches have been planted through our ministry."

With COVID travel restrictions easing, opportunities abound for Worship Place member groups to visit the Children's Home to support special events and facility maintenance projects.

More information is available at the program's website, [www.matamoroschildrenshome.org](http://www.matamoroschildrenshome.org).

## **Operation Christmas Child – Samaritan’s Purse**

The Worship Place supports the Samaritan’s Purse worldwide effort of packaging and shipping over 10 million shoebox gifts annually to poor children in more than 100 countries and territories including Native American tribes. As part of the shoebox gift, Samaritan’s Purse volunteers offer recipients a 12-lesson discipleship program called The Greatest Journey.

In 2021 volunteers and donors from The Worship Place created over 1,100 shoebox gifts. Activities take place throughout the year, but the largest effort of packing boxes occurs in the fall. Packed boxes are then delivered to a local drop-off location the 3rd week of November.

Volunteers are always needed to support this year-round compassionate ministry, particularly those who like to organize, plan, shop, craft, and more. You will experience the blessing of helping a young child experience the love of God in a tangible way and to hear the Gospel. The Worship Place’s 2022 goal is to prepare 987 shoeboxes, and an additional 275 are expected to be received from the surrounding community. If interested in being part of this exciting activity, check the program information posted on bulletin boards at both TWP campuses, or contact one of The Worship Place program leaders:

Primary: Gail Roush, 512-774-9868, [groush57@gmail.com](mailto:groush57@gmail.com)

Secondary: Julie Rauch, 512-635-4251, [jarauch70@yahoo.com](mailto:jarauch70@yahoo.com)

More information about Samaritan Purse’s global Operation Christmas Child program can be found at <https://www.samaritanpurse.org/what-we-do/operation-christmas-child/>.

## **Valcin Ministries: Jacob's Well (Ti Guinea)** **and** **Village Church (Port-au-Prince)**

Jacob's Well is one of two ministries managed by Gersan and Betty Valcin in north central Haiti (the other being Village Church, a congregation of about 800 members in Port-au-Prince, Haiti's capital city). Jacob's Well is a faith-based humanitarian organization helping build Haiti's future through spiritual, educational, social and economic initiatives. Centered in Ti Guinea, an impoverished village in northern Haiti, Jacob's Well also serves the town of Limbe and surrounding villages. Major focus areas are Evangelism and Outreach; Children, Youth and Family Camp; Church Planting and Spiritual Development; and Radio and TV Ministry.

Jacob's Well's target audience is the Haitian population in and around the village of Ti Guinea. The ministry operates radio Station CIEL 98.7 FM that reaches approximately 225,000 people, an audience that increased with installation of a new, taller transmission tower in early 2021. Sunday afternoon Kid's Club gospel lessons have an audience of 200 children, and Vacation Bible School and youth camps reach about 500 kids a year.

Over the years The Worship Place members have sent hundreds of handmade dresses to Jacob's Well through the Dresses for Missions ministry. These dresses are given as gifts to young girls from villages in the vicinity of Jacob's Well. The Worship Place's pastors and members have also traveled to Haiti to participate in ministry training events hosted by Jacob's Well. In 2021, TWP members began supporting the Valcin's "Cell Phones for Haiti" initiative, donating over 25 used cell phones to expand a pastoral cell phone network throughout Haiti. For more information, visit the Valcin's website at <http://jacobswellcamp.org/>.





# Sunday Worship Services

## Sun City Campus

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Traditional Worship—9:00 & 11:00 am

(512) 869-1310

## Rocky Hollow Campus

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Praise & Worship—9:00 & 11:00 am

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