

WAVES THAT GO BEYOND WALLS

Letter from Pastor Scott

In January, I said, "I believe 2020 is going to be Community's BEST YEAR EVER!" And as you will read in the Wave of Ministry section on the inside of this newsletter, it started off that way. And then...the world as we know it changed in a BIG way. For the past 10 weeks, we have met online-only, including our first (and hopefully only) online-only Easter.

But God is using this COVID-19 era as a time when He is moving in an even BIGGER way! Community's impact has been HUGE, with more people engaged with our services than when we were meeting in person. We had record online attendance for our online Easter services! Our staff team has worked hard to move our CommunityKIDZ and Community Students experiences online, as we have also done with our LIFE Groups, Rooted groups and Women's Ministry studies. We were fortunate to host a large food distribution event in conjunction with Feeding South Florida and the City of Tamarac earlier this month and have plans to do it again in the coming weeks. We're finishing the planning for a Baptism Saturday event on Saturday, June 13 where we will conduct baptisms in our portable baptistery outside the front of our building.

We know we will one day meet again in person and we will not let COVID-19 stop our God-ordained vision for an exciting new building for our children and students and expanded seating in our Auditorium! Since the raising of the first wall on March 3, it's been so very exciting to see the progress that has taken place! The building is literally taking shape before our eyes each week and it is still planned to be completed in late August or early September.

Community family, thank you for your faithful giving to Community this year, and especially during this time when we've been sheltered-in-place! Your giving now is as important as ever, especially as we complete the construction of our new building for children and students.

Let's continue to jump in and make waves!

All in,



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jump in. make waves.

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Each month we desire to share video stories of people on the Cannonball journey. We would love to hear from you! How has God been working in your life through Cannonball? Go to communitycannonball.com/your-story to tell us your Cannonball story.

Did you know your employer may double your contribution to Community? Here are some of the local employers that participate:

ADP, AMC Entertainment, Apple, AutoNation, Bank of America, Capital One, Chevron, Citrix, The Coca Cola Company, Darden Restaurants, Disney, Motorola, FPL/NextEra, General Mills, Gilead Sciences, Goldman Sachs, Google, IBM, Macy's, McKesson, Merck Pharmaceuticals, Microsoft, Morgan Stanley, NFL, Nordstrom, Pfizer, Republic Services, Starbucks, Toyota, Verizon, Volkswagen America, Wells-Fargo. Visit communitycc.com/matchinggifts to use the easy search tool to see if your employer may match your gift to Community.

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UPDATE

wave of MINISTRY



January is always an exciting month culminating with Decision Day when we celebrated 57 decisions for baptism and 134 people placed their membership at Community! In February we had one of our largest Community Impact events ever with 621 from the Community family serving throughout Broward County. We launched our *At The Movies* series in February with strong attendance and saw the first wall of our new building for children and students erected on March 3rd. Our Student Ministries had two well-attended WKND events for high school and middle school students this Spring.



wave of EXPANSION

Here are some photos of the construction progress over the past few weeks:



Guinea: Pastors Tim Gray and Bill Davis took a trip to west Africa earlier this year and had the opportunity to do a prayer walk through a Muslim village with the permission of the Chief of the Sanka people in Guinea. We are calling this village, "Hope Village." There are no Christians among the 80,000 - 90,000 Sanka people. A faithful Pioneer Bible Translator has been translating the Bible into their language for the past 17 years. The Scripture is now ready to be shared with these people. Two missionaries from Ghana and the president of Team Expansion joined Pastor Tim and Pastor Bill on this trip. The 2 missionaries from Ghana stayed several days longer looking for people interested in hearing the Gospel and being trained to share the gospel with others. Currently, there are several interested who will be trained in the near future. Please keep "Hope Village" and the Sanka people in your prayers.

wave of OUTREACH

Panama: In light of COVID-19 concerns in Panama like everywhere else around the world, the launch of our Panama Church plant has been delayed. Pastor Jose Rodriguez is starting Central Church Panama in the Brisas del Golf community of Panama City, Panama. Their tentative plan is for their very first worship service sometime early this summer. They will be renting the Cinepolis in the Metromall in Brisas del Golf, which will give them great accessibility in that community. Please pray for Pastor Jose, his wife Rosa, and the start of this new church in a community that needs to accept Jesus as their personal Savior.



G O A L U P D A T E

Total Cannonball Commitments: \$16,565,648

Total Cannonball Giving to Date: (12/1/2018 - 5/17/2020):

Actual to Date: \$9,120,197

Goal to Date: \$11,059,441

First Time Givers to Date: 3,134

Total Givers to Date: 12,254

*Note: All gifts to Community Christian Church from December 2018 - December 2020 count toward the Cannonball goal. **Thank you for being part of Cannonball!***

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