

# 2016 ANNUAL REPORT

# FROM OUR PRESIDENT

2016 was a roller coaster of a year for WonGeneration; from new ministries being added to our family, such as Gospel Plaques Ministry and Kalos Agon International, to successfully completing multiple fundraising initiatives, such as a water project in Uganda and a community-wide garage sale. We were also blessed by moving into a new office building that has given us expanded operation and storage space!

The year has also brought some challenges and changes to our ministry family. As life tends to get chaotic for all of us, a couple of our ministry leaders have shifted focus to deal with other priorities that have arisen in their lives. Additionally, with increased funding going directly towards ministry projects, there has been minimal funding to cover the costs of maintaining one-on-one relationships with our foreign ministry leaders. This has increased the challenge of maintaining a mentorship and cultural relationship with WonGeneration family leaders that reside out-of-country—which is critical to the success of their ministries.

Although there have been challenges, WonGeneration has been blessed with seeing grass roots ministries continue to grow and thrive. This is seen in ministries like Christi's Great Outdoor Race, which doubled in size for the second year in a row and provided increased support to women fighting cancer. And through our ministry partner Common Thread, as we witnessed tears flow from parents as they could finally provide Christmas gifts to their children. Outcomes like these are what drive the passion and motivation of our ministry leaders and our WonGeneration family.

With all the unforeseen bends and turns of 2016, our mission to help others serve has remained focused and strong. Throughout the year, God has been faithful and we have seen Him glorified in the process. We look forward to a new year of fulfilling our community's needs, both local and global, one person at a time.

Rev. Len Bundy President/Founder



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# MISSION STATEMENT

The ministry of WonGeneration is to facilitate others in their desire to serve, which will look different towards each person and community.

WonGeneration is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization of an ever-expanding group of men and women willing to devote their time, talents, resources, and skills, to further the Word and works of the Gospel of Jesus Christ. WonGeneration believes that everyone can do something to impact their community. We exist to help people discover their passions, and transform those passions into plans. Our support services provide non-profit status, consultation, marketing and structures for success.

If you could do one thing in your community to **make a positive impact or change**, what would you do?





POVERTY REDUCTION

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

HUMAN TRAFFICKING RESCUE
MINISTRY DEVELOPMENT
COUNSELING / DISCIPLESHIP
MENTORSHIP THRU SPORTS

**EDUCATION PROGRAMS** 

# **2016 IMPACTS**



4 countries served



14 unique ministries



8,500 families served



2,500 meals served
Ministry: WonGen Central Community Services



30 women rescued



450 hours of free counseling services



40 scholarships awarded

# MINISTRY FAMILY

Since our inception in 2009, we have partnered with numerous individuals and groups to help them in the development as well as the continued operations of their ministry. At the start of 2016, there were approximately a dozen ministry programs that have signed under the WonGeneration family. Additionally, WonGeneration is partnered with more than a dozen other organizations and nonprofits to better leverage resources and capabilities.



# WonGen Central Community Services

WonGen Central helps working families make ends meet by providing qualifying participants up to 600 dollars' worth of food, clothing and household supplies each month. In return, participants volunteer time back to the organization and are required to take financial planning classes.



#### Building Beyond the Walls

Building Beyond the Walls participants broaden their construction skills and learn the value of serving others through an inclusive hands-on training program that increases confidence and self-reliance. By focusing on projects that give back, participants are further connected in their community.



#### Christi's Great Outdoor Race

Christi's Great Outdoor Race is an annual fundraiser for women battling cancer in the Mt. Rainier Foothills / Seattle area. Teams of racers traverse mountains, rivers, and forests in order to push themselves beyond their limits.



#### Common Thread

Common Thread collects items such as clothing, bedding, and other personal items that are redistributed to families and individuals in need. These items are distributed all across the world to help those affected by disasters, homelessness, poverty and more.

# MINISTRY FAMILY



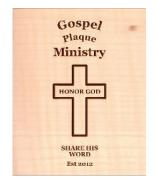
#### Kids in Burkina

Kids in Burkina has a focus and passion to make education accessible to the children of families in rural Burkina Faso (West Africa). The school that Kids In Burkina started and supports – Findawende Primary School – is ranked in the nation's top 10% of education programs.



### Lighthouse in Action Foundation

Lighthouse in Action Foundation provides intervention, restoration, and prevention pathways to girls of northern Thailand who are trapped in exploitation. Through a holistic approach, there is increased success in changing the long-term trajectory of their lives.



#### Gospel Plaques Ministry

Gospel Plaque Ministry publishes God's Word as engravings on slabs of wood, that can either be placed or hung in view. Appropriate verses are selected to encourage and are freely given away to different individuals and groups.



#### TOWN Outreach

TOWN Outreach focuses on re-purposing old billboard signs into heavy duty tarps that can be used to pass out to the homeless community. The tarps that are provisioned by TOWN Outreach are distributed to the homeless directly as well as thru other organizations.



#### Kalos Agon International

Kalos Agon (KA) is a highly effective self-defense system founded on the principles of the Christian faith. The system incorporates grappling, striking street fight survival philosophy, and weapons training.

# **MINISTRY FAMILY**



#### Kick-It

Kick-It is a soccer academy in rural Uganda that connects youth to mentors who help them develop their competitive soccer skills while they learn the Gospel. Team members learn to give back to their communities and are highly respected among schools in the region, resulting in numerous educational opportunities and scholarships.



#### Room at Our Table

Room at Our Table is a developing concept that once launched, will operate and feel like a common restaurant but it will provide the patrons with either paying their bill in full or paying an optional amount that they can afford. If a patron is unable to pay their bill, they will be encouraged to volunteer at the restaurant.



#### Barber's Round-Up

Barber's Round-Up collects school supplies, clothes, and backpacks and distributes these by hosting and participating in Back to School Giveaways located in the south Seattle region. These products are primarily donated by local businesses.



#### Life Arts

As of late-2016, the Life Arts ministry has gone into retirement. Life Arts was an after-school arts program that focused on providing an arts class to kids who didn't have access to traditional after-school activities. Life Arts was known for being able to dedicate more one-on-one time with the participating kids in comparison to similar programs.



#### Heavenly Goals

As of mid-2016, the Heavenly Goals ministry has gone into retirement. Heavenly Goals was founded as an umbrella ministry with a focus on soccer in Africa and sharing the Gospel. Heavenly Goals assisted in the organization and operation of soccer camps for youth as well as coaching improvement camps for coaches.

# 2016 HIGHLIGHTS



# Over \$10,000 raised for cancer victim

This year, 28 people (made up of nine teams of four) participated in the annual Christi's Great Outdoor Race; these participants pushed themselves up mountains, across rivers, and through the deep wilderness all in an effort to raise support for this year's beneficiary, Vicki Saxer, who was diagnosed with cervical cancer. Through the hard work of these participants and generous donors, over \$10,000 was raised for Vicki and her daughters.

# Discipleship Training School Launches in Thailand

Last spring, the Lighthouse in Action Foundation kicked off their first Discipleship Training School for women working at the Zion Café in Chiang Mai, Thailand. The discipleship course is three months, featuring several guest pastors and mentors affiliated with the Lighthouse in Action Foundation. WonGeneration's President, Rev. Len Bundy, started the program by teaching on baptism and the attributes of God. At the end of his week-long training, nine of the participants were baptized.





### Christmas Giveaway benefits 330+ children

Last Christmas season, WonGeneration (with the assistance of Common Thread) organized and ran its first Christmas Giveaway that benefited over 330 children. These families were given an opportunity to walk around and select Christmas gifts for their family, ranging from new toys to clothing and other household goods. With the success that the event brought, the Giveaway is anticipated to be even bigger in 2017.

# 2016 HIGHLIGHTS

# \$6,200 raised for Uganda well project

As life in rural Uganda has many challenges, the number one challenge may very well be access to clean, drinkable water. In partnership with our African counter-part, WonGeneration Africa, WonGeneration stepped in and assisted in raising the additional money that was needed for a new community Well system near the growing village of Masulita. The Well system was jointly built between community members and a contractor and is now servicing over 300 community members.





# Ninja Camp moves to bigger venue

Every year, Kalos Agon hosts a workshop for 5-10 years old which is referred to as the Ninja Camp. With over 40 children registered for the event, Kalos Agon had to seek a bigger venue as their previous venue would not hold them. The Ninja Camp that Kalos Agon puts on is designed to teach children the basic and fundamental principles of Christian Self Defense. The course is based on a non-militant-style, Christian philosophy.

## WonGen Central Surpasses 30 new families

WonGen Central Community Services (WGC) celebrated a milestone as their membership surpassed 30 families within the community of Prairie Ridge. With the success of WGC, Birch Community Services (the group that WGC is modeled after) asked WGC to present their success at the Birch Community Services replication seminar – a program designed to replicate the mission of Birch Community Services across other communities.



# CORE FUNDRAISING HIGHLIGHTS

Key fundraisers such as the ones mentioned below are important to the WonGeneration ecosystem; these fundraisers allow for a more direct handoff between donors and the intended ministry. In other words, WonGeneration strives to give as much as the incoming donation to the intended ministry by maintaining as-low-as-possible overhead percentages. By dedicating fundraisers that directly support the operational cost of WonGeneration, donors can see more of their money go directly towards the passion that originally called them to donate.



### WonGeneration Garage Sale raises \$10,000+

In the late spring of 2016, WonGeneration hosted its first community garage sale in the city of Enumclaw. In the months leading up to the garage sale, donations were collected from dozens of local community members and businesses. The event was held in downtown Enumclaw on a vacant lot that was owned by a local business that granted permission to WonGeneration to use the property. With the help of over a dozen volunteers, the three-day event brought in over \$10,000. The proceeds were then invested back into the operations of the WonGeneration ministry family. The incredible weather provided a phenomenal opportunity to connect with community members and advocate for the ministries that are a part of the WonGeneration family.

### WonGen Café grows network and raises \$28,000

During the summer of 2016, WonGeneration was blessed with yet another successful season at the WonGen Café located at the Evergreen Sportsmen's Club in Littlerock, WA. For the third year in a row, the board of the Evergreen Sportsmen's Club invited WonGeneration to run their in-house café during their summer competition events, allowing WonGeneration to keep 100% of the proceeds. Minus the operating costs, WonGeneration brought in over \$28,000 throughout 2016. Depending on the size of the event, the number of volunteers running the café ranged from 2 to 12. Patrons are not only served with delicious food but they are given an opportunity to learn about the purpose of WonGeneration and the ministries that are a part of the WonGeneration family. In addition to the monetary donations that are raised from this summer-long fundraiser, the café has provided a tremendous opportunity in expanding WonGeneration's contact and volunteer network. Through the natural conversation and networking between patrons and café volunteers, we have been able to connect patrons up to ministries or programs that peak their interests.

# **FINANCIALS**

WonGeneration believes it is important in being transparent and good stewards of the gifts and money that flow throughout the entire organization. This transparency is modeled across the organization through a few different methods. First, we want our donors and potential donors to have visibility and see how financial assets are coming into the organization and how they are being utilized. Secondly, we intentionally strive to keep all overhead percentages that are taken out of direct ministry donations as low as possible by seeking funding for core operational costs through separate fundraisers and donations. Finally, with our financial mentoring, we encourage our ministry leaders to practice healthy financial habits by placing a small percentage of their incoming donations in a savings account as well as generously giving back to their community by supporting a benevolence cause that is separate from their ministry.

### **2016 INCOME & EXPENSES**

Income	Designation	Amount	
Grants	Ministry	\$	19,000
Individual Contributions	Ministry & Core	\$	76,100
Fundraising	Core	\$	41,000
Misc. Contributions (Corporate Matching, etc.)	Ministry & Core	\$	14,000
In-Kind Support	Ministry	\$	99,000
In-Kind Support	Core	\$	11,000
	Total Income	\$	260,100

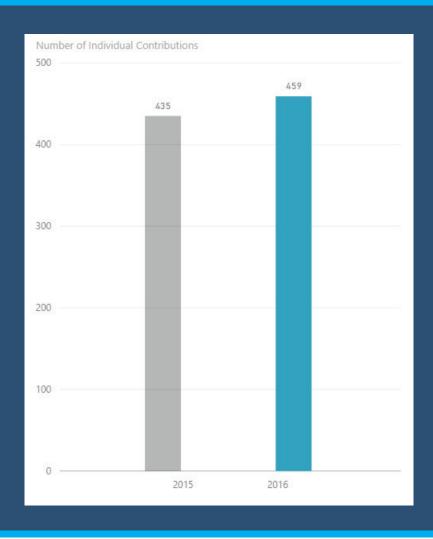
Expenses	Designation	Amount	
Management & General			
Insurance	Ministry & Core	\$	2,200
Professional Fees (accounting, legal, software, etc.)	Ministry & Core	\$	6,000
Office Supplies & Equipment	Ministry & Core	\$	9,400
Intern Stipend	Ministry	\$	5,500
Travel	Ministry & Core	\$	24,000
Rent & Utilities	Core	\$	10,800
Fundraising & Development	Ministry & Core	\$	18,000
Programs			
In-Kind Expenses	Ministry & Core	\$	91,100
Ministry Supplies	Ministry & Core	\$	70,500
Benevolence	Ministry & Core	\$	12,000
Missionary Donations	Ministry & Core	\$	10,600
	Total Expenses	\$	260,100

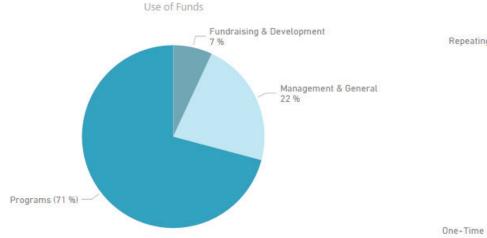
Core - Financial values that are designated or used towards the core mission of WonGeneration

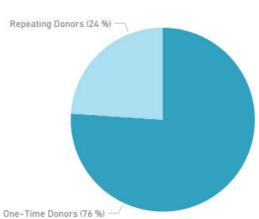
Designation

Ministry - Financial values that are designated or used for specific ministries/programs that are a part of the WonGeneration family

# **FINANCIALS**







Repeating Donors vs. One-Time Donors

# **BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

One of the unique things about WonGeneration is the spectrum of skills and passion of each individual across the entire WonGeneration family. This concept proves no different for our Board of Directors. This dedicated team comes together from all different ages and backgrounds to oversee the operations of the organization and ensure that the organization and its family of ministries follow the path of our mission. The Board is responsible for making sure that donors and volunteers are provided with accurate and transparent information about the organization and any one of its ministries.



**Len Bundy**President/Founder



Michael Wentworth Vice President



**Sheri Bundy** Secretary



**Tara Goodin**Treasurer



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**Andrew Gath** 

# **LOOKING AHEAD**

As we look at all that was accomplished in 2016, we eagerly look forward to setting new goals in 2017 for the core operations of WonGeneration:

- Increase sales of annual WonGeneration Community Garage Sale by an additional \$5k
- Add two new Board of Director positions
- Maintain an average of at least 10 hours per week of office staff volunteers
- Continue to increase direct church partnerships and connections
- Continue to grow recurring donor base by 30%











#### **Donate Directly**

As we strive to keep overhead percentages from direct ministry donations as low as possible, we humbly recognize this is only possible by taking in donations that are directly intended to fund the operations and mission of WonGeneration. To make a donation online, please visit: wongeneration. org/donate

#### **Donate Directly to a Ministry**

If there is a specific ministry or cause that you are passionate about, we invite you to donate directly to that ministry. If you are unsure on what ministry to donate to, you can email us at info@ wongeneration.org for guidance and further information. To make a donation online, please visit: wongeneration.org/donate

#### Give a Gift-In-Kind

Between on-going projects and fundraisers, we are constantly collecting material items, ranging from clothing to working appliances. Throughout the WonGeneration ministry family, it can be assured that donated items can find a use that positively impacts a ministry or the beneficiaries of a ministry.

Please feel free to contact us if you have something that you would like to donate. You can reach us via email at info@wongeneration.org

#### Volunteer

Within the WonGeneration ministry family network, we frequently encounter opportunities for people to give back through the means of volunteering. If you would like to find out about current or upcoming volunteer opportunities, we invite you to contact us at info@wongeneration.org.

#### Connect with a Ministry

If there is a ministry or cause that is a part of our family that touches your heart, we would love to provide you with more information and connect you with that ministry. Please email us at info@ wongeneration.org.



# GENERATING PASSIONS MEETING NEEDS

