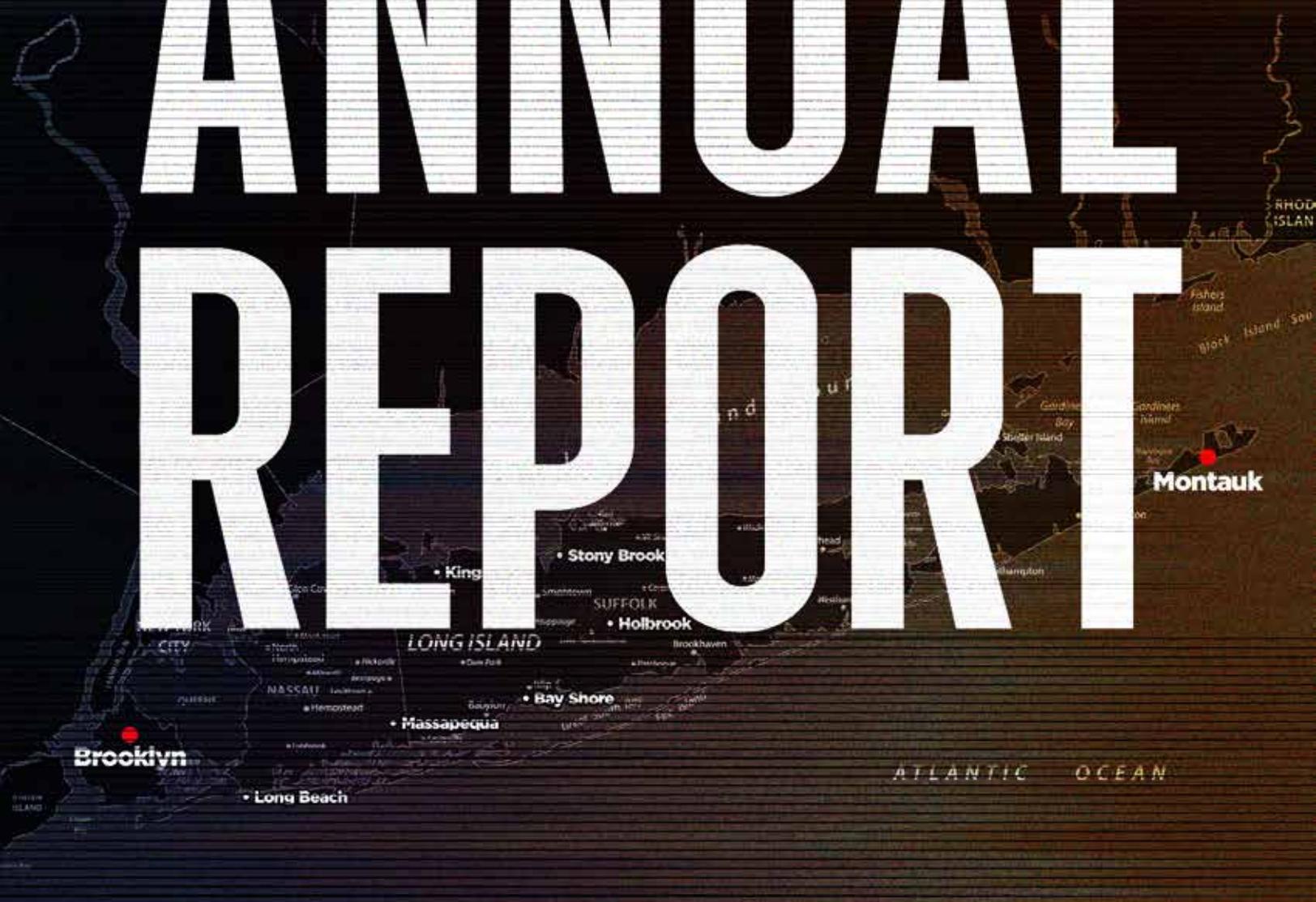




CENTERPOINT CHURCH

ANNUAL REPORT



2024

VISION SUNDAY
FROM BROOKLYN TO MONTAUK

2024



2023-2024

WE EXIST TO GIVE **EVERYONE**
ON LONG ISLAND MULTIPLE
OPPORTUNITIES TO **HEAR**
AND RESPOND TO JESUS,
BY BEING A MISSIONAL AND
ATTRACTIVE CHURCH THAT
LEADS PEOPLE INTO A **DEEPER**
RELATIONSHIP WITH GOD.



CENTERPOINT CHURCH



BRIAN & SARAH MCMILLAN

I love Long Island! Don't get me wrong, there are moments when I see what's frustrating about it. But when I put what I love and dislike on the scale, Long Island wins every time. It's a blessing to live on Long Island!

And the aspect I care most about, is our people. The 2,909,191 people that call Nassau and Suffolk their home. It's not the beaches, food, or schools that keep me here, even though they are great. It's the hundreds of thousands of people that don't yet know how much Jesus loves them. That He died for them. That through Him, there is salvation!

It's remarkably fulfilling to pastor a church on Long Island in 2024! That doesn't mean there aren't huge challenges. I've had some really hard moments over the last few years. But even when things seem the darkest, the light of Christ and the call of Jesus on this church has kept me steady, on mission – ready for whatever God wants to do next.

Friends, hear me, **WE GET TO BE A CHURCH ON LONG ISLAND!** We get to be a church in a culture that is so far from Jesus, yet so receptive to Him. We get to be light in darkness. We get to see hundreds of people come to faith in Jesus every year. We get to help change the culture. We get to show love on an island of indifference. **WE GET TO BE THE CHURCH!**

And right now, the collective church on Long Island is growing. Long Islanders are spiritually hungry. As I meet with other pastors on Long Island, so many are saying the same thing. That we have never seen a time where the average person has been so willing to have spiritual conversations and want to learn more about Jesus.

I believe we are in an unprecedented spiritual season. And, as such, God has specifically called CenterPoint to continue to care deeply for the spiritual fate of our fellow Long Islanders. So let's not shrink back. Let's continue to remember that "Brooklyn to Montauk" is not a slogan, but a realistic goal. That God has called and equipped us to tend to the mission field of Long Island. And, to let our Island know that God so loved the world, that He gave His one and only Son, that whoever believes in Him will have eternal life!

Thank you for coming alongside us. For being part of our family. For caring about the things of God and the Kingdom of God. It's all for the glory of God! May this annual report give you an idea of what has been done in 2023, and what we need to do to continue to move forward in 2024.

Through His Grace alone,



Brian McMillan, Lead Pastor

2023 STATS

▶ ATTENDANCE

2,234

IN-PERSON

529

WEEKLY LIVE
ONLINE VIEWS

2,763

AVERAGE SUNDAY
ATTENDANCE



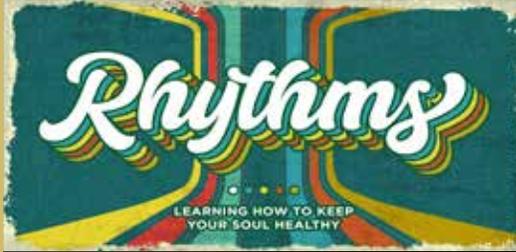
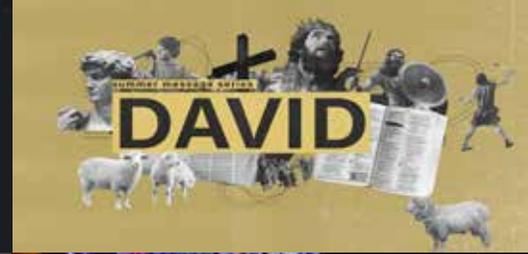
201 BAPTISMS
IN 2023 

1120 TOTAL IN 22 YEARS

APPROXIMATELY 184
SALVATIONS! 



TITHES AND
OFFERINGS
\$4 MILLION



MESSAGE SERIES



LIFE GROUPS

A Life Group helps people move from attending CenterPoint to belonging. From being in a church to part of a family. Life Groups are where we build the relationships that help us live for Christ and live like Him. But these groups are far more than just getting together and discussing faith. These groups volunteer together at homeless shelters, prisons, food pantries, nursing homes, veterans' organizations, special needs facilities and crisis pregnancy centers all across Long Island. cpchurch.com/groups





MISSIONS AT CENTERPOINT CHURCH

At CenterPoint, it is in our DNA to bring the truth about Jesus to the people who do not yet know Him. We exist to give people multiple opportunities to hear and respond to Jesus, and a part of us accomplishing this is through missions and church planting. Jesus tells us in Mathew 28 to GO and MAKE DISCIPLES of ALL NATIONS. This is the call God has for us as a church, and for each and every Christian. This is why we partner with many new churches, missionaries and missions organizations to plant churches, as well as to share the truth about Jesus with the world. Because of our church's generosity, we have been able to make truly impactful life changes through our partnerships in 2023, both globally and locally.

OUTREACH MINISTRIES



Haven

Our Bay Shore campus offers people who are homeless warm shelter every Monday night through the winter season. We open the doors of our church to **welcome 30-40 guests** for a hot meal, fellowship, and a safe place to rest for the night.



CP Food Pantry

CP Food Pantry provides essential grocery items to upwards of **70 families per week** in our Bay Shore community on Saturday mornings. Your donations are making a difference to many struggling families.

CHURCHES WE SUPPORT

\$42,000 given in 2023



Roots Church
Astoria, NY
Pastor Jimmy Schauerte



Living Waters Fellowship
Brooklyn, NY
Pastors Ronald & Anna Mandile



Local Church
Farmingville, NY
Pastors Michael & Emily Liebler



ONE OF OUR VALUES IS "KINGDOM" BECAUSE WE KNOW THAT THE KINGDOM OF GOD IS BIGGER THAN JUST CP. THESE ARE SOME OF THE MISSIONARIES WE SUPPORTED IN 2023. WE THANK GOD FOR THE GLOBAL IMPACT HE MAKES THROUGH US.

Mission 2535: Rick & Tammy Romano
Dominican Republic

Starting new churches, humanitarian work, healthcare.

Young Life: Jennifer Hurst, Rachel Koslowski,
and Gina LaRusso, Long Island

Reaching students and teens across Long Island and connecting them with the local Church.

YWAM: Greg Wills, Nepal

Traveling into rural mountain villages to share the Gospel.

Tori's Ministry: Tori and Alix Rasmussen, Tanzania

Training local Africans to plant churches and reach their communities for Jesus.

LI Youth for Christ: Long Island

Supporting their mission to reach students on Long Island.



CP Kids is one of our most important ministries, teaching the next generation that God made them, God loves them and Jesus wants to be their friend forever. CPCHURCH.COM/KIDS



500 CHILDREN ATTENDED VBS

110 CHILD DEDICATIONS

1300 OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD BOXES

400 AVERAGE KIDS PER SUNDAY



EQUIP SCHOOL OF MINISTRY

CenterPoint Church's Equip School of Ministry Program is an educational program designed in partnership with the Christian & Missionary Alliance's "Alliance Center for Leadership Development" in order to equip Christians with a strong Biblical and theological foundation.

The goal of the program is to equip followers of Christ to be disciples that make disciples. As it says in Ephesians 4:12 , we are working to "Equip the saints for the work of the ministry."

2023 EQUIP GRADS

60 TOTAL ENROLLED

- Richard Catapano Jr.
- Leland Cox
- Troy Johnson
- Christopher McDermott
- Mel Silva

Congratulations to our 2023 Equip Graduates!



PASTORS' COMMISSIONING

Sunday, October 8 was one of the most powerful days of the year! On this day, we commissioned six new CenterPoint pastors. As Pastor Brian explained on Vision Sunday 2023, we are praying for God to raise up many new pastors and leaders in the years ahead so that we can reach Long Island with the Gospel. This group was part of the answer to our prayers. Each one has been called by God, had their gifts identified by church leadership, and went through a thorough training process to become pastors. Congratulations to our new pastors:

Mel Silva, Worship Pastor

Michael Koslowski, Young Adults Pastor

Troy Johnson, Executive Pastor of Operations

Frank Franco, Care Pastor

Steff Eggers, Youth Pastor

Patty Buehler, Executive Pastor of Children's Ministry

Join us in continuing to pray that God would raise up more leaders for His church!

THANK YOU FOR YOUR FAITHFUL GENEROSITY!

YOUR GIVING HELPED MAKE EVERYTHING IN OUR ANNUAL REPORT POSSIBLE.

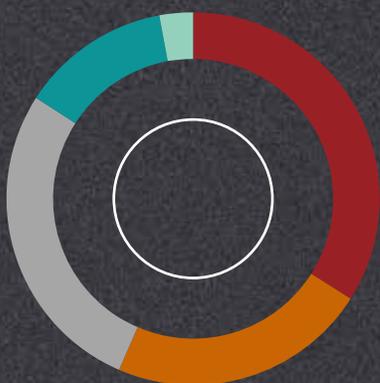
With 6 campuses and 46 staff members, it takes a lot of financial resources for us to accomplish the work of the church. In 2023, the people of CP gave over \$4 million to help us meet our expenses. It truly takes the entire church working together for us to meet our financial goals.

2023 INCOME



TITHES & OFFERINGS	\$4,074,435
ATTITUDE OF GRATITUDE	\$145,991
MULTISITE SPECIAL OFFERING	\$59,852
RETREATS, MISSION TRIPS & ACTIVITIES	\$164,997
OTHER INCOME	\$201,926
TOTAL:	\$4,647,201

2023 EXPENSES

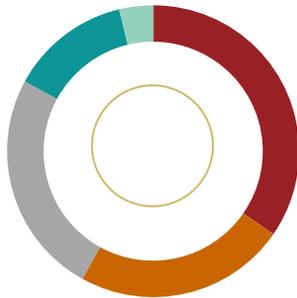


MINISTRY PROGRAMMING	\$1,536,664
SUNDAY PROGRAMMING	\$1,015,276
OPERATIONS	\$1,247,720
ADMINISTRATION	\$587,658
RETREATS, MISSION TRIPS & ACTIVITIES	\$130,531
TOTAL:	\$4,517,849

We take seriously the responsibility of being good stewards with the money entrusted to CP. We prayerfully decide where to allocate resources and strive to use the money as efficiently as possible. This year we delayed some building projects and some staff hiring due to our finances. While we received more money than we spent last year, a significant amount was designated for future campuses and upcoming retreat registrations.

As we all know, costs are rising. As a result, our budget has some minor increases. We did make some budgetary cuts to deal with rising costs. CP leadership carefully made decisions to ensure we are spending in areas that will promote mission (such as CP Kids and community outreach).

2024 BUDGET



● MINISTRY PROGRAMMING	\$1,713,155
● SUNDAY PROGRAMMING	\$1,158,588
● OPERATIONS	\$1,230,296
● ADMINISTRATION	\$659,637
● RETREATS, MISSION TRIPS & ACTIVITIES	\$185,000
TOTAL	\$4,946,676

KINGDOM FOCUS

Metro District of the CMA	\$100,000
Church Planting	\$25,000
Great Commission of the CMA	\$40,000
Missionary Support	\$21,396
Compassion	\$73,572
Long Island Ministries	\$28,000
TOTAL:	\$287,968

ASSETS & LIABILITIES

Though our income and expenses were tight, our balance sheet (which includes buildings and properties) remains strong. Because we are a multisite church and own many buildings, we are in a great position with our debts and assets. This stability means that we have resilience to weather storms, or set out on an audacious vision.

Estimated Property Values and Other Assets \$8,661,423

Mortgage & Other Liabilities \$2,302,727



CenterPoint Church is a certified member of the ECFA who ensures ministries demonstrate the highest level of integrity and transparency. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call the office or email troy.johnson@cpchurch.com

QUESTIONS?

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