

2018 Projects

Missional Organizations

Bethany Christian Services

Bethany Christian helps with pregnancy support, local and global adoption, resettling refugee families, and much more. By partnering through Kingdom Builders, you help the orphan find a family, the hurting and scared family find a home, and hope brought to the hopeless.

Giving Goal: \$5,000

Convoy of Hope

Is a faith-based, nonprofit organization that has helped more than 80 million people throughout the world by sharing food, water, emergency supplies, agricultural know-how, and opportunities that empower people to live independent lives, free from poverty, disease and hunger. In 2017, you gave \$2,000 to help with the relief and rebuild of Texans caught in hurricane Harvey's destructive path. And this year, you will partner to continue helping Convoy provide aid to those in need.

Giving Goal: \$2,000

Habitat for Humanity - Kalamazoo

Habitat for Humanity exists to provide safe and affordable housing for people in need. Seeking to put God's love into action, Habitat for Humanity brings people together to build homes, communities and hope. By partnering with Kingdom Builders, you are helping people find the comfort of home.

Giving Goal: \$4,000

Lifewater

Lifewater is a non-profit whose goal is to bring clean water sources to all those who do not have one. Last year through Kingdom Builders, you helped provide clean water to over 300 people in Mayuge, Uganda by generously giving \$12,000. In 2018, we are partnering with Lifewater again by drilling a shallow well and providing Bibles and training materials for pastors in the various Lifewater communities.

Giving Goal: \$18,000

Operation Christmas Child

Operation Christmas Child is a branch of Samaritan's Purse that focuses on giving shoe boxes packed with gifts, both fun and practical, to children all over the world. Alongside the gifts, OCC also shares the Gospel with the recipients of the shoe boxes. In 2017, you donated x shoe boxes through Kingdom Builders.

Giving Goal: \$3,500

Preemptive Love

Is a coalition stretching across Iraq, Syria, the United States, and beyond, working together to unmake violence and create the more beautiful world we know can exist. Preemptive Love is dedicated to bringing hope and healing to one of the most hurting places in our world today: the Middle East. Preemptive Love brings life saving heart surgeries to children in Iraq, food and water to families in war torn zones, and helps communities find restoration amidst the pain. Through Kingdom Builders, you get to be a part of remaking the broken things in our world.

Giving Goal: \$5,000

Tree of Life School

Tree of Life is a school that seeks to provide a Christ centered education to all children, regardless of their socio-economic situation. Tree of Life celebrates the diversity of the body of Christ and equips children to serve God, people, and creation to their fullest potential. Through Kingdom Builders, you are a part of providing affordable, Christ-centered, education at an affordable price

Giving Goal: \$5,000

Local Church Growth

Helping Hand (Benevolence)

Helping Hand is how you provide for those in need in our local church body. Through Kingdom Builders, you provide financial assistance to those who fall on hards times or get blindsided by bills.

Givnig Goal: \$6,000

Media

This is the face of KB, working to create and curate videos, photos, and graphics to inspire spread the vision of Kingdom Builders to our congregation and anyone who may come across Kfirst.

Giving Goal: \$1,000

Short Term Trips Financial Help

At Kfirst, we desperately believe in missions, and one small aspect of missions is short-term trips. Through short-term trips, participants not only gain new perspectives on the world but they also get a glimpse of God's heart for the world. Through Kingdom Builders, you help shape a new generation and people to have hearts that beat more like God's.

Giving Goal: \$2,000

Serve Teams

Serve Teams is the biggest part of Kingdom Builders. We believe everyone has talents, passions, and burdens that can be used to further God's Kingdom here on earth. Serve Teams are empowered through your generous giving, equipping people to use their talents, passions, and burdens here and now in Kalamazoo and Portage.

- **Habitat for Humanity**
 - This team partners with Habitat for Humanity every month to help provide affordable housing options for people in the Kalamazoo and Portage area.
- **KFAM**
 - KFAM is a committed collective of people that provide support and care for families that are fostering and/or adopting. **Giving Goal: \$1,000**
- **Tree of Life**
 - The Tree of Life (ToL) team provides lunches for ToL twice a month. By providing lunches, this team helps keep the cost of running ToL School down and provide great meals for the kids! **Giving Goal: \$3,000**
- **Cancer Unit Care**
 - This team helps prepare care packages for families of kids in Bronson's Pediatric Cancer Unit. They also bring tangible love and care for kids in the unit by simply visiting and hanging out with them. **Giving Goal: \$2,000**
- **Socks Ministry**
 - This ministry is all about socks! Particularly providing socks to the homeless and those that really need socks in Kalamazoo. **Giving Goal: \$300**
- **Food Pantry**
 - The Food Pantry team works to provide food to families that have come on hard times. Once a month the team hosts a food giveaway that provides food for over 20 families. **Giving Goal: \$4,200**
- **Future Teams**

- This money is set aside for new teams that will start up in 2018 that may need finances to maximize the groups potential. **Giving Goal: \$3,000**