



## Celebrating Our Network

Stretching 117 miles from Franklin, New Hampshire to Newburyport, Massachusetts flows the Merrimack River, forming the border between the two states. At its origin are two rivers - the Pemigewasset and Winnepesaukee - whose convergence are beautiful, yet relatively unimpressive. However, by the time the Merrimack's waters make the long journey past our family's home in Lowell, Massachusetts and ultimately collide into the Atlantic, the river becomes a substantial and powerful source of life for surrounding communities.

In the same way that the impressive Merrimack is simply the sum of its parts, the Within Reach network is, very simply, a beautiful community made up of tens-of-thousands of Jesus-followers alongside leaders in church, community, and business who share a love for and commitment to King Jesus. It's by moving together, not apart, that we imagine fulfilling Jesus' call to reach our city with His story of grace, hope, and renewal.

Over the past three years, Within Reach has grown in beauty, diversity, and strength as more partners have embraced this work of city reaching and renewal. As we celebrate this growing community and continue gaining clarity around the work Jesus is calling us to, we believe the best days are ahead.

This fall, we will unveil the State of the City Project, a highly collaborative initiative that will inform and guide our next ten years of collective efforts as we seek the good of the Omaha Metro. It's because of your joyful commitment to the greater body of Christ that we can confidently look downstream knowing that the Within Reach network will only become stronger and more beautiful for Jesus' glory and the good of others.

175 projects

4,213 volunteers

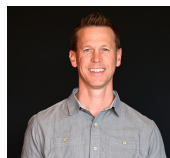
10,000 hours

\$380,570 value of impact

*"There is power in flipping the script. North Omaha is typically where people are the recipients of acts of service. Lives change when Jesus-followers in our neighborhood become the ones creating the projects, recruiting the people, and giving back to their community."*

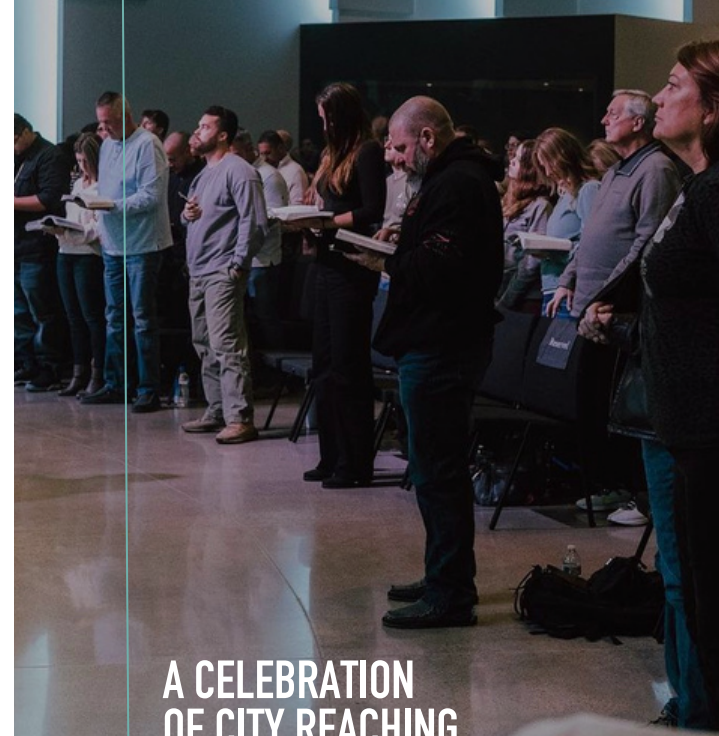
*-Samantha Johnson, Bridge Church*

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# ANNUAL REPORT 2022 ▶▶▶



A CELEBRATION OF CITY REACHING & RENEWAL



# 2022 IMPACT

3 church plants

1,511 baptisms

2,452 new believers

25,635 avg. weekly worship attendance

\$2,878,482 to local compassion efforts



"Within Reach has become the source of some of the most unified Kingdom efforts in our city."

-Micah Eldridge, Lifegate Church

"This community is an expression of Jesus' prayer in the garden, unity in His disciples."

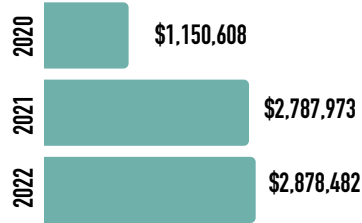
-Greg Griffith, King of Kings Church

# 2020-2022 Growth & Impact

We celebrate the influence of our network churches evidenced by a growing engagement in weekend worship services across the Metro. As more people encounter Jesus and more Jesus-followers are sent out to live for Him in their neighborhoods, workplaces, and community spaces, the church will become an increasing source of light and hope for the good of our city.



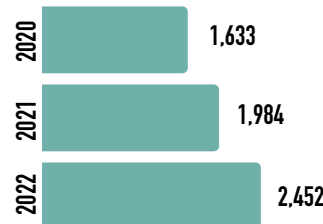
## Generosity Growth



We are grateful for the enduring generosity of the Within Reach network. Through our partners' commitment to radical expressions of compassion and service, our neighbors are encountering Jesus' generous heart firsthand. Generosity is changing lives.



## New Believers



"We are grateful for the powerful opportunities provided by the Within Reach network for spiritual growth, collaboration & cooperation with other leaders committed to reaching our city and the Metro area."

-Walter Hooker  
Bellevue Christian Center

"Within Reach churches have helped our new church and held up our arms when we've been in need! I've never seen church unity like this before; to be part of it is an honor and huge blessing."

-Drew Milliken  
Collective Church

"I am so thankful that Within Reach fosters an environment where church leaders are not just together in the same place at different times through the year, but we share a heart to reach and serve our city together."

-Dustin Schledewitz,  
Life.Church Omaha



# O,NE 2022

O,NE 2022 was an opportunity for students across the city to gather for worship, encouragement, and prayer. We are celebrating the 2,500+ students who attended and those 60 schools represented. We are grateful for young Jesus-followers committed to making an impact in their schools!