## **MDPC** Global Mission Partners 2026

## Missionary Partner: Couple Serving in Tbilisi

This MDPC missionary couple supports communities of Arab, Persian and Turkish Christians from a Muslim background. Through their Christian center in Tbilisi, Georgia, they disciple and equip maturing believers to be a light in their community of origin and shepherd Christ-centered, biblically based, multiplying churches.

## Missionary Partner: Dr. Miguel and Laura

MDPC Field Partner Dr. Miguel and his family show God's compassion to the unreached by meeting physical needs through dental health. Dr. Miguel practices and teaches dentistry while sharing the Good News of Jesus with tribes living in abject poverty in Southeast Asia. There, the 98% Muslim population has the least amount of dental care in the world.

## Missionary Partner: Family Serving In Saudi Arabia

This MDPC partner family lives in Saudi Arabia where they seek to introduce college age students to Jesus and build intentional relationships. Through teaching at a university and leading workshops and webinars, they have the opportunity to meet college students as well as their friends and families. Pray that the students they disciple will be a light in their country and will influence their society as they become leaders.

## Missionary Partner: Family Serving in SE Asia

A and S serve in SE Asia, advancing the gospel in a region experiencing political instability and conflict. Their work includes equipping leaders through seminary teaching, developing children's ministry curriculum, and providing discipleship and relief support to local communities. They also partner with area churches to strengthen outreach efforts among least-reached groups, including youth and women's ministries. Pray for A, S, and their three children as they faithfully share the hope of Christ in a difficult context.

#### Missionary Partner: Hannah and Mario

Hannah and Mario live in Lebanon where they lead a thriving media ministry and train disciple-makers in their community. They create Gospel centered social media content in Arabic to connect with unreached people in Lebanon and throughout the Arab world that are interested in learning about Christ. Hannah also provides trauma counseling and leads trauma healing Bible studies to minister to women in their region. Pray for Hannah, Mario and their outreach team as they proclaim Christ, engage seekers, and disciple new believers.

#### Missionary Partner: Justin Elder

https://www.ucatalyst.org/elder

MDPC Field Partner Justin Elder has a call on his life to reach Muslims in Houston with the love of Jesus Christ. Through House Church Collective, he seeks to plant multiplying House Churches who believe that by reaching neighbors, they reach the nations.

#### Missionary Partner: Kim Zovak

MDPC Field Partner Rev. Kim Zovak equips high-level Kingdom leaders to multiply movements of the gospel and mobilizes the church for mission in less reached and less resourced parts of the world, particularly in Asia. Through her strategic mentoring, training, and coaching, she helps missionaries and national leaders develop their personal and professional capacities to serve God, and to intentionally multiply themselves by developing more leaders to do the same.

#### **Missionary Partner: Kristin Jones**

MDPC Field Partner Kristin Jones is building relationships for the Kingdom and sharing the Gospel within the Bangladeshi community in New York City. After ten years living overseas in the Bengal region, she is fluent in Bengali and understands the culture. This allows her the opportunity to significantly impact Bangladeshis' lives as they adjust to America and to share the Good News of Jesus Christ.

## Missionary Partner: Rev. Mehrdad and Family

Rev. Mehrdad, the first Iranian ordained pastor in ECO, lives in Germany and serves as director of the Persian Ministry at Quest Academy. He equips and mentors Persian-speaking believers in Europe and the Middle East through theological training, discipleship, and leadership development. In partnership with churches and mission organizations, he supports house churches and encourages believers to grow in faith and ministry. Pray for Mehrdad, his wife, and their two sons as they raise up a new generation of faithful leaders.

### Missionary Partner: The Adair Family

theantiochpartners.org

Rev. Andrew and Teri Adair launched The Antioch Partners (TAP), a missionary-sending agency, in 2007 to train and equip cross-cultural servants, and send them into the world to demonstrate the love of Jesus Christ in tangible ways. TAP's goals are to see people become followers of Jesus and to foster the formation of worshipping communities among the unreached and least-reached people groups throughout the world

#### Missionary Partner: The Hall Family

send.org

MDPC Field Partners Steven and Natalie Hall serve with SEND International. Their strategic partnership ministry helps bring gospel transformation to unreached people groups throughout the world. The Hall's ministry spreads the light of Jesus into dark places to bring hope and healing.

#### Missionary Partner: The Johnson Family

ywambudapest.org

MDPC Field Partners Steve and Barbara Johnson serve in Budapest, Hungary, through Youth With a Mission. The Johnsons operate a coffee house that serves as an evangelism center, reaching out to the Budapest community with music and conversation that sparks spiritual discussion. They also lead a discipleship training school and have formed a mercy minis-

tries team that shares the love of Jesus with people that are homeless and refugee families.

## Missionary Partner: Urgessa Biru

frontierfellowship.com

MDPC Field Partner Urgessa works and serves in Ethiopia as the founder of Light of Hope Ministry Ethiopia (LOHME). The vision of LOHME is to bring the Good News of God's love to the Arsi Oromo people, both in Ethiopia and in North America. LOHME carries out their mission through building village schools, mobilizing local evangelists and missionaries, church planting, Bible translation into local dialects, and the vision of establishing a Christian Academy and training center.

#### Berea Bible Institute

This small Bible college began as one family's dream to educate young leaders in Scripture and prepare future ministers to serve God in areas of great need in Mexico. Students are ingrained with a love for serving and for teaching their communities to reach out in service to their neighbors. Each year, graduates are sent into remote parts of Mexico where they lead churches and teach the sacrificial love of Christ through the way they live.

#### **Confidential Ministry in Egypt**

This ministry partner mobilizes Egyptian missionaries and churches to share the Gospel with unreached people in Egypt and throughout the Arabic-speaking world. They serve in 15 countries across the Middle East and North Africa through outreach, discipleship, church planting, and leadership development. For security reasons, the organization's name cannot be published.

## **Evangelical Theological Seminary** in Cairo

etsc.org

The Evangelical Theological Seminary in Cairo (ETSC) has been training pastors for the Synod of the Nile for over 160 years. The most exciting aspect of the seminary is how it equips students to witness to the Gospel of Jesus in and beyond Egypt amid political and cultural transitions, especially throughout the Middle East and Arabic-speaking world. Pray for the Body of Christ in Egypt, and for ETSC's leadership and the students as they share the love of Jesus.

#### Faith in Practice

faithinpractice.org

Founded by MDPC members in 1994, Faith In Practice works to improve the physical and spiritual health of people living in poverty in Guatemala through short-term surgical, medical, and dental mission trips and health-related education programs. Volunteer doctors, nurses, and dentists demonstrate God's love and compassion as they serve alongside local volunteers to provide healthcare to more than 24,000 Guatemalans annually.

#### **Faith Ministry**

faithministry.org

Faith Ministry aims to meet the basic physical needs of families living in poverty on the Mexican border, and in doing so, it shares the love of Jesus Christ. Through home construction, a medical clinic, food programs, child sponsorship, and skills training programs, it cares for the community and makes Christ's Name known.

#### **Far East Broadcasting Company**

febc.org

Far East Broadcasting Company (FEBC) seeks to make Jesus known among the world's least reached people by sharing the Good News through various media. FEBC broadcasts in 152 languages in 50 countries. For over 80 years, FEBC has been focusing on meeting the spiritual needs of their listeners and inspiring them to follow Jesus Christ.

#### Free Wheelchair Mission

freewheelchairmission.org

Free Wheelchair Mission (FWM) delivers wheelchairs to developing nations around the world where people with disabilities do not have access to mobility. FWM ministers to each recipient and shares the good news of Christ's call - that we are free in Him! Pray that lives would be transformed with each chair given as God meets needs in tangible ways.

#### Frontier Fellowship

frontierfellowship.com

Frontier Fellowship invites churches to join God's mission by engaging people groups where the Good News of Jesus is not yet known. They educate and equip congregations, building collaborative relationships with indigenous ministries among the least-reached. Their vision is to see every ethnic group have its own church, reflecting its own cultural characteristics.

# ICM (International Cooperating Ministries)

icm.org

ICM's vision is a healthy church within walking distance of everyone in the world. ICM partners with indigenous ministries to equip churches with a permanent building and discipleship resources in their native language. The church building serves as a place of worship as well as an outreach center for the community, serving both physical and spiritual needs. Local church leaders are trained to plant churches in nearby unreached communities, reaching places that outsiders could never access.

### Light of Hope Ministry Ethiopia

frontierfellowship.com/light-of-hope-ministry-ethiopia/

Led by MDPC field worker Urgessa, Light of Hope Ministry Ethiopia is bringing the Good News of God's love to the Arsi Oromo people in Ethiopia and North America. Their holistic ministry focuses on literacy, building village schools, mobilizing local evangelists and missionaries, church planting, Bible translation into local dialects, and the vision of establishing a Christian academy and training center.

#### **Living Water International**

water.cc

Living Water International exists to demonstrate the love of God by helping communities acquire desperately needed clean water, and experience "living water"—the gospel of Jesus Christ—which alone satisfies the deepest thirst. Mission teams work in impoverished communities to provide a water well and hygiene education, and to share the love of Christ.

#### Lulwanda Children's Home

ugandaorphans.org

Lulwanda Children's Home provides a permanent, loving home for children in Uganda who have been orphaned or abandoned. Over 120 children receive holistic care—including housing, meals, health care, and education—within a Christian community that helps each child reach their full potential. The on-site Lulwanda Primary School also educates children from the surrounding community, raising up future Christian leaders.

#### **Mission JUVEP**

www.juvep.com.br

MDPC's Brazilian congregation partners with Mission JUVEP to advance the Gospel in the Sertão region of Northeast Brazil, where many communities are less than 2% Christian and have long been overlooked. Mission JUVEP sends teams to share the Good News, make disciples, and plant churches that continue sharing Christ's light.

#### Nueva Vida

nuevavidaguatemala.org

Nueva Vida is a multifaceted ministry serving children affected by disabilities and their families through comprehensive therapy services, grade school education, and intentional community outreach and collaboration in Santa Maria de Jesus, Guatemala. These children of God are rarely accepted in the public school and public square, but can find a loving family at Nueva Vida, sharing hope, sharing Christ, and supporting each child to achieve their God-given potential

#### One For Israel

oneforisrael.org

One for Israel began as a Bible college in 1990 and has since expanded to a multi-faceted ministry with the express goal of reaching Israelis with the Good News of Jesus, training and equipping the Body of Christ in Israel, and blessing the community with Jesus' love. 99% of Israelis don't know Jesus as their Savior and One For Israel seeks to introduce Him to both Jews

and Arabs and unite the community in Christ.

#### **Pars Theological Center**

parstheology.org

Iran is hosting one of the fastest growing churches in the world today. With this comes a critical need for training faithful and effective leaders who would shepherd the Iranian church into maturity in Christ and act as agents of change in all the spheres of culture and society across the Persian-speaking world. PARS Theological Center is a London-based ministry that provides theological education, leadership development, and broad support to the underground Iranian church.

#### **Renewing Our Minds**

forumforleadership.org/rom-renewing-our-minds

Renewing Our Minds seeks to reconcile people of different faiths and cultures in the Balkan region by studying the teachings of Jesus. Participants are chosen based on leadership potential, with the hope they will return to their home countries and impact their spheres of influence.

#### The Antioch Partners

www.theantiochpartners.org

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#### The Micah Project

www.micahprojecthonduras.org

The Micah Project ministers to young men and boys who have spent anguished childhoods in impoverished homes or on the streets of Tegucigalpa. The "Micah boys" are provided a loving home and learn to become Christian leaders through discipleship, education, and service to others. The Micah Project supports these young men as they learn to "act justly, love mercy, and walk humbly with our God." -Micah 6:8

#### The Outreach Foundation

www.theoutreachfoundation.org

The Outreach Foundation is an independent Presbyterian global mission organization that connects congregations and people in the United States with church partners around the world in Christ-centered evangelistic mission. It seeks to build the capacity of the global church to proclaim the Good News of Jesus Christ by sending missionaries, building relationships, expanding mission support, and equipping their global partners.

## Youth With a Mission (YWAM) Budapest

www.ywambudapest.org

Youth With A Mission serves through evangelism, mercy ministries, and leadership and discipleship training. MDPC field partners Steve and Barbara Johnson created a coffee house that serves as an evangelism outreach tool — a place where music and good coffee help spark spiritual discussions. MDPC members are always welcome to visit when traveling through Budapest.