

The Grandview Mission Team facilitates on-going relationships between the Grandview family and missionaries/missions that we support as well as emphasizes the importance of missions in general. We host missionaries, plan events, learn about our mission partners, manage the Vision Fund (see below), oversee the Grandview Missions budget, and pray for God's work around the world.

New team members are welcome. Many opportunities for service are available. Please contact the team leader for more information about joining the team, to request long-term or short-term support, or to receive a current mailing list of our missionaries so that you can send cards and/or packages.

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Follow this link to read our mission policy: Grandview Christian Church Mission Team Policy

Grandview Mission Partners for 2020

Miles Costello with Canvas, a CMF Globalscope campus ministry in Nottingham, England



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Miles has been in England since October 2016 and helped begin Canvas Nottingham. There are more than 60,000 university students in Nottingham. Since then the Canvas community has grown in size and has increased in depth. The Canvas house is open weekly where students are able to come do school work and build community. They have a weekly event where students are able to hear a talk about Jesus and then share their thoughts on the talk. Miles' weekly responsibilities include writing and giving faith talks, running point on large events (weekend away, Thanksgiving, end of the year banquet), and mentoring students among other responsibilities that arise.

Christian Student Fellowship at ETSU in Johnson City, TN



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Mike Luzadder, Katy Woodward, and Daniel Curtis work with **Christian Student Fellowship** reaching out to students at East Tennessee State University (ETSU). The Christian Student Fellowship is a group of men and women committed to knowing our Savior and serving Him as a community on the campus of East Tennessee State University. They do several things each week: free lunch on Tuesday, Immerse (Worship service) on Wednesday, World Café on Friday evenings, and various prayer groups and Bible studies.

Sergio & Denisse Diaz-Ramos with NewStory Church in Chicago, IL



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The Diaz Family serves in a multiethnic congregation in the Edgewater community in Chicago as urban missionaries with NewStory Church. There they take up the hard work of reconciliation of the barriers that divide this urban community. They have been there since August 2017. Sergio is currently the interim pastor of this diverse and multi-ethnic congregation.

NewStory Church thrives in building relationships - deeper relationships with God and the community; authentic relationships with others thru Racial Reconciliation & Mental Health Justice, and the students/staff at Swift Elementary; and restorative relationships with the world through Creation Care and being better stewards of God's gift.

Dennis & Fabienne Freeland with SIL in Cameroon



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The Freelands work in Cameroon with SIL. Fabienne currently serves as the branch director and Dennis serves as a pilot and mechanic.

Meredith McKinney with Roots, a CMF Globalscope campus ministry in Edinburgh, Scotland



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Meredith is in her sixth school year of ministry with CMF Globalscope's International Campus Ministry team in Edinburgh, Scotland. Roots is a grace-driven community for all university students. The Roots team strives to inspire students to grow closer to Jesus by living life together in the context of a community. Meredith mentors students, is in charge of the Roots finances, gives talks at the weekly event Tuesday Nights with Roots, and keeps the Roots campus house stocked with tea and coffee.

Emmanuel Christian Seminary at Milligan in northeastern TN



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Emmanuel Christian Seminary at Milligan College is a graduate seminary which seeks to fulfill the mission of the Church by preparing men and women for effective ministry. For over fifty years, Emmanuel graduates have gone on to serve in a variety of ministries, including preaching, pastoral care, Christian education, campus ministry, hospital and military chaplaincy, church planting, cross-cultural missions and a host of other ministries.

Milligan College in northeastern TN



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For more than 150 years, Milligan has been dedicated to educating men and women to lead and to serve. The commitment to Christ-centered education has led Milligan to become a growing, well-respected liberal arts college. Because of the emphasis on scholarship, community, and faith, students come from all over the world to experience a distinctively different approach to higher education.

Enoch & Lydia Nyador with Ghana Christian Mission in Ghana



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Enoch began the work over 30 years ago. Enoch & Lydia live near Accra, however, the work of GCM stretches all over Ghana. The Four Pillars of Ghana Christian Mission are Church Planting, Medical Outreach, K-12 Education, and Community Outreach / Development.

David & Claudia Ossa with La Ruta, a CMF Globalscope campus ministry in Montevideo, Uruguay



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David & Claudia arrived in Uruguay in September 2015 to launch La Ruta, a pioneer campus ministry in the capital city of Montevideo. They work alongside three other teammates. They have bought a campus house for their ministry, providing a place where students can be impacted by God's love through experiencing a loving Christian Community.

Cody Spencer with En Vivo, a CMF Globalscope campus ministry in Salamanca, Spain



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Cody serves as the team leader with the CMF Globalscope campus ministry En Vivo in Salamanca, Spain. En Vivo's goal is to help university students from all over the world find their way back to God. The En Vivo community serves as a bridge between the university and the local church.

Warren & Julie Veal with Mission Aviation Fellowship (MAF) in Nampa, ID at the home office



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Warren and Julie work with Mission Aviation Fellowship's home office in Nampa, ID after many years in Mozambique where Warren served as a pilot and mechanic. Those years of experience on the field enable Warren to lead the Aviation Maintenance Support Department in maintaining MAFs fleet of aircraft. This ensures that MAFs missionaries can continue to carry out the mission of sharing the love of Jesus with isolated people.

European Evangelistic Society (EES) in Tubingen, Germany



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The European Evangelistic Society (EES), incorporated in 1946, has now been in existence for 70 years. The Institute for the Study of Christian Origins was established in Tübingen, Germany in the early 1960s. Its purpose is to encourage and promote research in the early church and to apply that research to the church today. The Institute is sponsored by the European Evangelistic Society and works in cooperation with the Protestant Faculty of the Eberhard Karls University in Tübingen.

Travis & Emily Weeks with Christian Missionary Fellowship (CMF) in Nekempte, Ethiopia



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In October 2013, Travis and Emily joined the CMF church-planting team in Ethiopia. They are located in the city of Nekempte and partner with the local Kristos Andinet Church (KAC). Through this partnership, they train national church planters to take the gospel into unreached areas of Ethiopia.

Kip Elolia with Eldoret Institute in Eldoret, Kenya



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Dr. Kip Elolia oversees administration and teaching at Eldoret Institute, a Bible training school for Kenyan pastors. We have worked with this Bible Institute since 2008. Dr. Elolia travels to Kenya every summer to teach seminary level classes for Kenyan pastors.

Joe & Marie Lieway oversee Christian Churches in Liberia



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Joe teaches Intercultural Studies and New Testament at St. Louis Christian College, but each summer he and his wife, Marie, return to their home country of Liberia to help the churches there with leadership training. They also help the churches with various projects to help them be self-supporting, to help with evangelism efforts, and to help the Christian school minister to the students.

Gabe & Melissa Hillman with Josiah Venture in Bulgaria



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The Hillmans have been serving in Bulgaria since 2007. From 2002 - 2005 they were student members at Grandview while studying at Milligan. Originally they served thorough Adventure & English ministries while learning language and developing relationships with national leaders. Through this God opened doors for establishing a national organization which in 2014 became Josiah Venture in Bulgaria. Their ministry focuses on Evangelistic and Discipleship ministries equipping young leaders to fulfill Christ's commission through the local church. They serve as country directors and locally on their church's ministry team. As was in the beginning, the Hillmans are passionately involved with youth ministry through Athletics and Discipleship. A central role they have is shepherding their team and expansion of national partners as they pray for a movement of God amongst the youth of Central & Eastern Europe that finds its home in the local church and transforms society. The Hillmans have four children (Isabelle 12, Noah 10, Samuel 7, and Elijah 3). All four of their kids were born in Bulgaria, attend national schools and are involved with local clubs and represent the Christian Faith in their school and community. In addition to life in ministry they enjoy exploring Eastern Europe on random road trips together as a family.