# MINISTRY GELEBRATION

#### God isn't resting during social distancing and neither is HDC!

HDC is certainly not "closed"! Christ's church has never depended on buildings to change the world! God continues to provide for His people through your gifts, and He transforms those gifts into life changing ministry! HDC's pastors and staff continue to work diligently to provide you both personal and corporate support, as well as to create opportunities for you to encourage your oikos in their own relationships with Jesus.

Let's all celebrate how your gifts to the Lord have been turned into vital ministries that lead to worldchange, even through this season of social distancing!

## HDC ONLINE:

- 8700+ attended online Easter Services
- Weekend worship services
- Weekly online devotionals
- Weekly children's ministry
- Weekly student ministry

### **WORSHIP & PRODUCTION TEAMS:**

- Combined weekend ministry worship leaders from each campus
- Teaching by HDC's pastors and guest teachers
- Continued use of both staff and volunteers, including sound engineers, camera operators, lighting technicians, and video editors

## **KIDS'S MINISTRIES:**

- New online content for preschool, elementary, pre-teens and parents each week
- Backyard Blast, a 4-part online original content summer event for HDC's families and their oikos
- Summer Hangs, a multi-week program targeting pre-teens, giving them a place to connect with Scripture, peers and caring leaders
- Bloomz App allows HDC's staff to stay in touch with parents and provide support and content

## **STUDENT MINISTRIES:**

- Nearly 300 students at our outdoor, socially distanced
  Jump Start event
- 41 Small Groups from all four campuses meeting in person and over Zoom
- Midweek Online Service worship, games, teaching
- Online Movie Night
- Quarantainment Show!

### **TOGETHER AGAIN EVENTS:**

- 67 people have been baptized in outdoor events
- 50+ meeting in numerous outdoor support groups

#### **ADULT SMALL GROUPS:**

- Most small groups are back in full swing
- Ongoing online training for new group leaders
- New young adult's group continues to thrive throughout COVID

#### **MISSIONS:**

- Every missional partner, both internationally and here in the US, has received the full financial support we committed to them at the beginning of 2020
- Relief support provided for people in hurricane and fire-ravaged regions
- HDC is changing lives in the name of Jesus, around the world, even throughout this difficult season

#### NATIONAL OIKOS CONFERENCE Preparation:

• HDC's staff team continue to prepare to host (now online) a fall training conference, training pastors and leaders around the country on how to leverage the oikos principle to increase the effectiveness of their church for every age group and at every level (see details about that effort at nationaloikosconference.com)

#### **GROWTH TRACKS:**

 Online Growth Tracks classes offered since April: Guilt and Shame, Spiritual Gifts, Parenting Your Kids in a Digital World, Why the Image of God Should Matter to You, Baptism, and Membership

#### CARE TEAM:

- Shopping support for HDC's senior family members
- Personal support for those who need encouragement and counsel
- Hospital outreach project, providing encouragement to medical teams throughout the valley
- HDC care calls, canvassing HDC's church family to understand personal needs
- 20 memorial services have been provided at homes and the VV campus

## FACILITIES:

- Anticipating our soon return to our campuses through campus maintenance projects
- VV Powell Auditorium Roof repairs, Gym roof repairs, HVAC unit replacements
- New HS campus ministry building and landscaping completed
- Custodial crews continue to clean and disinfect our campuses, protecting HDC's staff and visitors in our offices

## **STEWARDSHIP IN ACTION:**

- HDC departmental budgets reduced to 25% of original monthly allocation.
- Gifts given through 3rd Quarter have allowed us to continue to provide all this ministry to the HDC family, 100% funded! Praise the Lord!
- Thank you for your continued generosity and desire to affect World Change!