

2019 Ministry Report

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Hello!

Thank you for your constant prayers and support. In January, I transitioned from the north suburbs of Chicago to Flushing, NY to serve at my childhood church (Promise) as the high school pastor. This year has been filled with powerful reminders of God's faithfulness in my life.



During the first half of the year, I spent much of my time learning about PYM (Promise Youth Ministry), creating culture, and making relationships with the students and teachers. In addition to our weekly Sunday services, our Friday nights and external events focused on fellowship and personal discipleship. I also started a student leadership group with whom I started to meet twice a month to teach them to have

a personal relationship with the Lord, to create ministry culture and to plan for future events. God has moved powerfully in our ministry and has produced several testimonies of salvation and transformation.



This summer, I co-led a mission trip to Panama where we held an English camp and several revival services for local children, youth and adults. Many people responded to the

invitation to accept Jesus, including some of our own team members! We were able to build relationships with some of the teachers and leaders at the local schools and we hope to be back again soon.



In addition to leading our youth group, God has been opening many doors for me to preach outside of our church! This summer I had the privilege of speaking at BKUMC's (Bible Korean United Methodist Church in NY) youth retreat and NLOC's (New Life Oasis Church in LA, CA) youth retreat.

I was also invited along with one of my mentors to speak at a youth conference in Egypt! We were able to tour the pyramids for a day and ministered at the conference for three days.





In October, I was invited to speak at a prayer gathering that one of my students started at the University of Pittsburgh. He and his friends gathered over a hundred college students from multiple fellowships from the University of Pittsburgh and Carnegie Mellon to come pray and contend for revival on their campuses.

This November, I had the opportunity to speak at Livingwater Church in Berkeley, California where 180 college students and young adults gathered to worship. I'm simply amazed by God's faithfulness and grace. Every single week, I'm astounded by how God can use imperfect vessels like myself to preach His gospel and to advance His kingdom.



By the grace of God and with your faithful support, I am officially done with my mDiv at Trinity! When I received my diploma in the mail in October, my eyes started to tear as I thanked God and remembered His faithfulness. I'm very thankful for my time at Trinity, but I'm also thankful to be out!



This has been a year of God's favor and faithfulness. It's been a time of remembering God's goodness over the years and of venturing into new territory. I'm excited to see wherever He leads me next. Thank you once again for your support and prayers. I truly couldn't have done it without you!

Blessings,

Andrew