

2019 annual report

UNHINDERED:
SHARING THE
LOVE OF JESUS
WITH CHILDREN



Our Purpose

We present the Gospel, particularly to those having the least opportunity to hear of Christ and especially to children and youth, and we disciple believers for living and serving through His Church.

Our Core Values

We are desperately dependent on God.
We accomplish nothing of eternal worth apart from God's Spirit empowering us, and we practice this dependence upon God by being Christ centered and Gospel focused. (John 15:5, Romans 1:16)

We are completely confident in the Bible.
The Bible is our final authority in all matters of faith and practice. (2 Timothy 3:16)

We are continually committed to being family.
The Holy Spirit, through the Gospel, creates a new community where we intentionally love and serve one another. (John 15:9-17, Colossians 3:12-15)

Our Vision Statement

To intentionally equip current and next generation leaders to be Gospel-centered, and to aggressively pursue new ministry strategies that recognize cultural and geographical realities.

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45 ministry points reaching over 30,000 children and youth across Canada



A Message from the National Board Chair



One Hope Canada is anticipating another strong year of ministry. Looking back on 2019 we are thankful for the many opportunities to share the Gospel, and for the thousands of missionaries and volunteers serving across the country.

We are committed to partnering with the local church to develop life-long followers of Jesus by clearly communicating the Gospel to more than 30,000 children and youth each year through camps, community outreaches and creative ministry strategies.

By God's provision and for His glory, may we continue to declare His power to the next generation!

Ferdi Van Dongen, National Board Chair, One Hope Canada

Let the little children come *Matthew 19:13-14*

It is a common message in today's day and age: if you really want to accomplish something, "dream big." If you want your ministry to grow, cast the vision and aim high.

In one sense this is good advice. There are exciting projects in the works for One Hope Canada, including the creation of a camper follow-up app, the growth of ministry in Quebec and a resource development initiative that will help the local church effectively share the Gospel with children.

But sometimes when we focus on the "big" we tend to forget about the "small." The grand vision runs the risk of getting in the way of actually connecting with those for whom it is cast.

This is why, in the midst of our plans and big dreams, we remain vigilant to remember *why* we are doing these things. Or rather, for *who* - the children and youth we hope to reach with the life-changing message of Jesus.

Everything we do is with one goal in mind: to present the Gospel, particularly to those having the least opportunity to hear of Christ, *and especially to children and youth...*"

We trust that God will continue to do big things through One Hope Canada as we build into the lives of young people. We are reminded that even the smallest are able to comprehend the mystery of the truth that Jesus loves them, died for them and has risen again to give them new life.

It is for this reason that we dream big, think small and follow God's leading to reach the least of these.



2018 Financial Report

INCOME	
\$9,568,405	Gifts
\$7,736,336	Camper Fees, Rentals
\$60,139	Interest
\$791,700	Other Income
\$18,156,580	TOTAL INCOME

EXPENSES	
\$7,601,606	Salaries and Benefits
\$1,790,577	Occupancy Costs
\$3,581,814	Supplies
\$480,471	Amortization
\$593,860	Training
\$383,139	Office Expenses
\$265,088	Travel
\$299,785	Promotion
\$782,867	Other Expenses
\$15,779,207	TOTAL EXPENSES

*These numbers reflect the financial activity of the entire Mission for the 2018 fiscal year. A detailed financial report of any ministry point for any year (including 2019) is available upon request.

2019 Year in Review

1,750
First Time
Professions of Faith

455 
Country Wide Prayer
Team Members

6
Community
Ministry
Initiatives

 **297**
Ministry
Board Members

 **17,008** 
Reached through
Non-Summer Ministry

 **12,842**
From Unchurched Homes

 **30,285**
Children and youth

 **37,570**
Heard the
Gospel

 **36**
Camps

146 
Year-Round
Missionaries

 **3,000**
Bibles Distributed

 **11** Churches
joining Associated
Gospel Churches

 **3,565**
Summer Missionaries
& Volunteers

9,613 
Spiritually Significant
Conversations

3 Travelling
Day Camps 