Ministry Report 2025

Throughout this year, and throughout the past 25 years, we have seen God do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine in Guatemala.

This year, as we celebrated 25 years of Impact, we reflected on the hundreds - even thousands - of people who have come to know Jesus and have experienced His healing in their lives, and we are humbled and filled with joy. God is continuing to transform lives, build brighter futures, and bring glory to His name.

Thank you for walking with us - God is at work through your gifts, prayers, and encouragement.

Les Peters, CEO - **Impact Ministries Canada**

◄ Schools

Total students registered: 1,988

School programs:

> Elementary: 1,521 students
> Secondary: 394 students
> Weekend Extension: 73 students

Teaching & admin staff: 123 *(52 former students)*

Graduates ▶

Grade 1 grads: 143
Grade 7 grads: 144
Grade 10 grads*: 120
Senior High grads*: 26

*includes Weekend Extension program

◄ Sponsorships

Sponsored children*: 1,829
Unsponsored children: 151

Units of class sponsors*: 722
2026 Goal: 120 additional class sponsors

*includes sponsors from US and Canada

Directed funds ▶

Sponsorship & Education: 58%
Build a Brighter Future: 8%
Orphan Care: 7%
Missionary Support: 5%
Health: 2%
Other: 20%

less than 8% of designated funds are used for admin

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Vida Children's Home ▶

Number of children who have been in the home this year: 37

Children's ages
Under 24 months: 18
2 to 4 years: 8
4 to 7 years: 6
7+ years: 5

◀ ## Rio de Vida Church

Baptisms: 16

Average attendance:
Chisac: 260
Mochohán: 80
Purulhá: 140

Joint services: 6

Connections groups: 14 groups
(20 to 45 people in each)

Impact Clinic ▶

Health & wellness checks: 600
Patients treated by Impact doctor: 900
Patients treated by medical teams: 756
Patients treated by Impact dentist: 590
Patients treated by dental teams: 236
Fluoride applications: 3,400

◀ ## Impact Trips

Canadians who served in Guatemala: 393

Short-term missions teams: 25
Fieldworkers:
Medical & dental professionals: 2
Mechanics & construction: 7
English teachers: 3
Pastoral care team: 3
Hospitality support: 6

Guatemalan Hospitality Team: 9

Construction & Renovations ▶

Playground installation at Agua de Vida Chijulhá School

Equipment installation at coffee processing plant and construction of coffee drying buildings

Roof upgrades at Vida Children's Home and several Vida schools

Today I am a Vida Teacher

Teacher Evelyn teaches Kindergarten at Vida Chamché School

I started studying at a Vida School when I was six, and continued all the way through Teacher Training. My teachers spoke to me about God's love and the wonderful things He can do in our lives. And brothers and sisters traveled all the way to Guatemala to bless children like me through children's ministry.

Each year, I received gifts such as shoes and groceries. I was always so excited. I knew behind those gifts was a sponsor who was supporting me, and I thanked God for them.

Every morning, I received a plate of food from the school kitchen. I also visited the school clinic. When I was in fifth grade, I was blessed to receive an eye exam and a pair of glasses.

Throughout my schooling, I saw God's goodness through the teachers, doctors, and international brothers and sisters who supported us.

Today, I am a teacher at Vida Chamché School. My greatest desire is to share God's Word with them and remind them that God is always with them.

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