



SECOND QUARTER 2018



Last year we were so encouraged and grateful that God would use our team to start 150 new churches in one single year - the highest number of churches planted in one calendar year.

Well, that was last year. Since January of 2018, our team started 278 new churches. We have already started 6 more churches than our previous year and it is only July!!!

Another perspective to evaluate our church planting efforts is the comparison of the first 20 years with the last two and half years.

1995-2015



383
TOTAL CHURCHES PLANTED

2016-2018*
*AS OF JULY



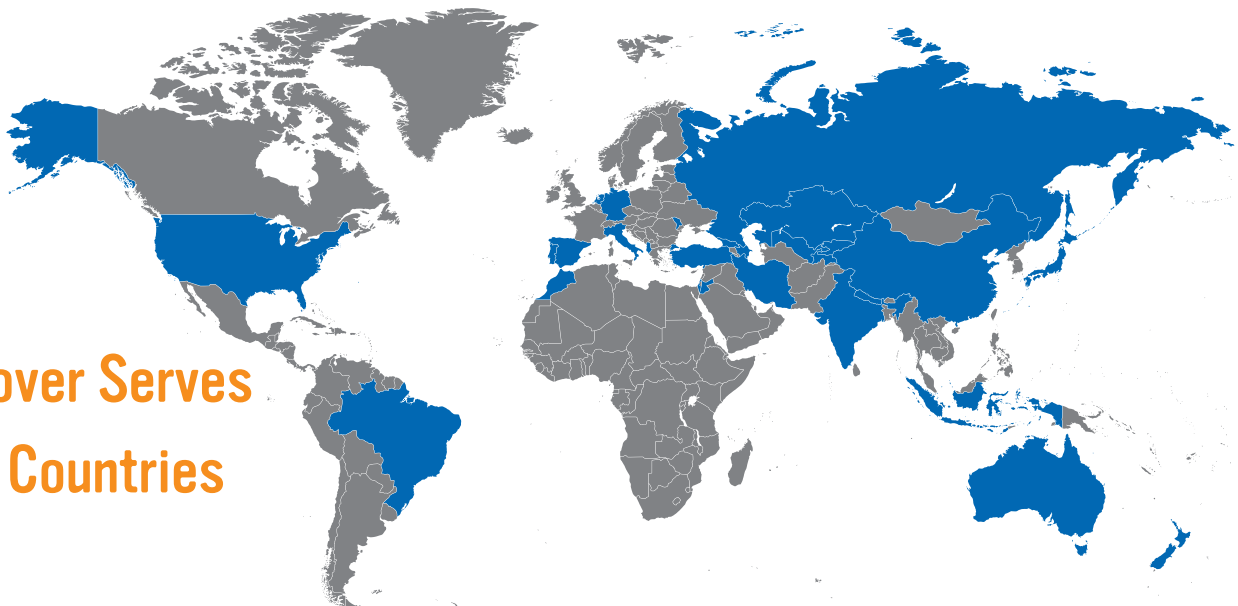
532
TOTAL CHURCHES PLANTED

You may be thinking, but why is this growth happening now?

In addition to seeing God work clearly and powerfully in and through our team, we believe there are several main reasons.

We have expanded our geographical presence. For example, from 1995 to 2015 Crossover had ministry taking place in four countries - Brazil, Moldova, Turkey, and the USA. Today we are in 27 countries across the globe.

**Crossover Serves
in 27 Countries**



We have expanded our sending capacity. In 2004 Moldova stepped up and became our third base. They started our church planting efforts in the heart of Central Asia. More recently, in 2017 Azerbaijan became our fourth base. They significantly extended our footprint to the Caucasus region. For instance, the church planting efforts in Central Asia and the Caucasus regions have resulted in the total of 342 churches over the last ten years. (For more information, check out "Central Asian Summit" on page 16).

Throughout the years our global bases were deploying cross-cultural missionaries. Upon arrival to their ministry field, they needed to learn the language, culture, etc. Many of them are now seeing the fruit of their ministry. Currently 98 cross-cultural missionaries have been sent by our bases.

The power of multiplication. We are finally starting to see second generation churches. For example, we have been working in India for eight years now. Just this year, 118 new churches have been planted. All of them are second generation churches - churches started by churches we planted in the last couple of years.

We are excited to celebrate and report these amazing numbers. We understand that only God knows if this exponential growth will continue, but we believe this is just the beginning!

Thank you for your support and we are counting on you for this exciting phase. Together we will see 2000 multiplying churches planted by the end of 2020.

Many Blessings,



KEN KATAYAMA
President

Churches Planted

CUMULATIVE AS OF JULY 2018



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