



World Mission: 2023 Year in Review



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- World Mission works alongside global partners in **80** countries.
- **Sixty-four** mission co-workers and **26** Young Adult Volunteers serve in more than **50** countries, including the U.S.
- Young Adult Volunteers serve in the U.S. with **18** national partners.
- The Jinishian Memorial Program supports over **30,000** Armenians in Armenia, Lebanon, Syria, Istanbul and Jerusalem to meet their daily needs and develop their potential.
- **Twenty-six** active Presbyterian mission networks bring many PC(USA) congregations, mid councils and global partners together to connect and strategize for global work.

- More than **50,000** printed “Mission Connections” letters are mailed to congregations and individuals by mission co-workers, **5,000-plus** subscribe to online mission co-worker letters and over **600** blog posts are written by Young Adult Volunteers and mission co-workers.
- Over **600** visits are made to congregations and mid councils by mission co-workers and YAVs.
- World Mission is working together with colleagues across the PC(USA) and with global partners to learn and articulate how God is calling us in new ways to God’s mission.

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GIVE

Support mission co-workers by giving to **E132192**

Support Young Adult Volunteers by giving to **E049075**

Give online at pcusa.org/give or by phone at **888-728-7228**

Give by mail by sending a check with the above “E” number in the memo to:

**Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.)
P.O. Box 643700
Pittsburgh, PA 15264-3700**

CONNECT AND LEARN

Sign up to read online Mission Connections letters by visiting pcusa.org/missionconnections, clicking on a mission co-worker name and selecting “Subscribe.”

Contact mary.nebelsick@pcusa.org to subscribe to printed Mission Connections letters and to inquire about having a mission co-worker visit your congregation or presbytery.

Learn about the YAV program and subscribe to YAV blogs by visiting pcusa.org/yav and clicking on “Meet Current YAVs.”

Learn about mission resources for short-term trips and mission committees: pcusa.org/missionresources.



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- Accompaniment of global partners working for peace, reconciliation and healing:
 - Walking alongside the South Sudanese people to facilitate trauma healing for Sudanese refugees in South Sudan and Uganda.
 - Working with partner churches and organizations to give welcome, hospitality and vital support to migrants at borders around the world.
- Poverty eradication:
 - Partnering with the Church of Jesus Christ in Madagascar to address root causes of hunger and protect the integrity of God's Creation.
 - Working with church partners, organizations and networks to learn about and respond to the impact of migration among people who are fleeing from or displaced by poverty and violence.
- Ending systemic racism:
 - Walking with young adults serving in Young Adult Volunteer sites to address poverty and racism through the church and nonprofits within their service year within local context.
- Cultivating congregational vitality:
 - Working alongside partners globally by partnering with them in theological education, engaging in interfaith dialogue and addressing the upsurge of extremist ideologies.
- Addressing militarism and climate change:
 - Partnering with churches in the Pacific to explore ways to mitigate the impact of climate crisis, largely caused by greenhouse gases.
 - Leading civil society projects in Armenia to empower, educate and equip school and university students with necessary skills to reinstate democracy and bolster the people's solidarity.
 - Supporting local church denominations and agencies in essential work for peace and justice in countries around the world, including Colombia, Korea, Cuba and Israel Palestine.



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The content in this report provides a preliminary glance at the work of World Mission.

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