



# 2019 ANNUAL REPORT



**YouthHOPE™**

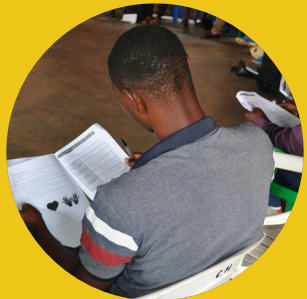
Partner. Equip. Multiply.

*YouthHOPE exists to transform the lives of global youth by equipping the Church to meet their holistic needs.*



**PARTNER.**

We serve alongside the local church and existing ministries around the world.



**EQUIP.**

We facilitate training and develop resources for youth workers and ministry leaders.



**MULTIPLY.**

We are committed to multiplying our efforts by raising up new leaders and trainers who will make an impact far greater than we could on our own.

*In 2019, we equipped*  
**378 INDIVIDUALS**  
*who participated in*  
**13 TRAININGS**  
*directly impacting*  
**11 COUNTRIES**





*“The coming of YouthHOPE and the teaming up with us has been very beneficial because the youth are our future. We are not going to last forever. We need leaders; we need our young people to be mentored. They need to be trained and this is exactly what YouthHOPE has done.”*

**- Cyprian Maseembe,  
Ugandan Church Planter**





*Record Breaking  
International Conference  
on Missions*

**3 WORKSHOPS**

**243 ATTENDEES**

**81 CONVERSATIONS**

*about global youth work & missions at our booth*



## A GREATER IMPACT

→ This year, one major project was the completion of the School of Youth Ministry Trainers (SYMT). SYMT equips youth ministry workers to train more leaders in their region. Our trainers represented seven different African nations, and they are already multiplying new leaders. With each new individual trained we create an impact that is far greater than we can even calculate.

→ To prepare for the final SYMT site visits, our team made changes to our Youth Leadership Academy (YLA) program and co-led this new curriculum with our SYMT graduates. This equipped them with another resource to further their impact. A core aspect of the YLA curriculum is the creation of a community action plan by each youth participant. Throughout the YLA sessions, youth identify issues in their community and establish tangible steps and goals to handle these various situations. Each individual finishes our training equipped and empowered to make a difference in their community and are now connected with other youth and youth workers to partner with in their endeavors.

→ At the International Conference on Missions, we were able to share the story of global youth ministry. We connected with partners in the United States and ministries abroad all in one location. The fact that each of our workshops were standing room only demonstrates the need to have more conversations about youth work around the world.



## HIGHLIGHTS FOR 2019

- Completion of the School of Youth Ministry Trainers program in East Africa with 12 graduates
- Inclusion of a short-term team from the U.S. during our training in the Dominican Republic
- Revamp of the Youth Leadership Academy curriculum to better empower youth
- Successful transition of the YouthHOPE leadership team
- New branding to effectively communicate the ministry of YouthHOPE



# WHAT ONLY GOD CAN DO

In July, I traveled to Cambodia to lead a training for a ministry called Legacy of Hope International (LOHI). LOHI assists with community economic development through education and public health initiatives, including human trafficking prevention.



It was a great time of learning and sharing. We were blessed to not only have staff and missionaries from LOHI, but also local youth workers and church pastors; there were about 30 participants in total.

Even though the training was fantastic, when I think back to my time in Cambodia, one thing always pops into my mind: the building.

This hallway runs beside the main meeting area we used for our training and the same area they use for worship and prayer meetings.

What's memorable about this hallway?  
It used to be a brothel.

The very doors that enclosed unimaginable horrors now keep the same type of young girls safe, fed, cared for, educated, and surrounded by the grace of Jesus. **Only God can do that.**

- Jesse Frame, Director of Programming



## 2020 FOCUS

### LATIN AMERICA

Prepare for a School of Youth Ministry Trainers (SYMT) in Latin America in 2021 by building relationships and facilitating youth ministry programming this year.

### EUROPE

Build new and cultivate current relationships to better understand the state of youth ministry in this region to evaluate the need for an SYMT in Europe in 2022.

### FUNDING

Position YouthHOPE and each individual team member for long-term financial health.

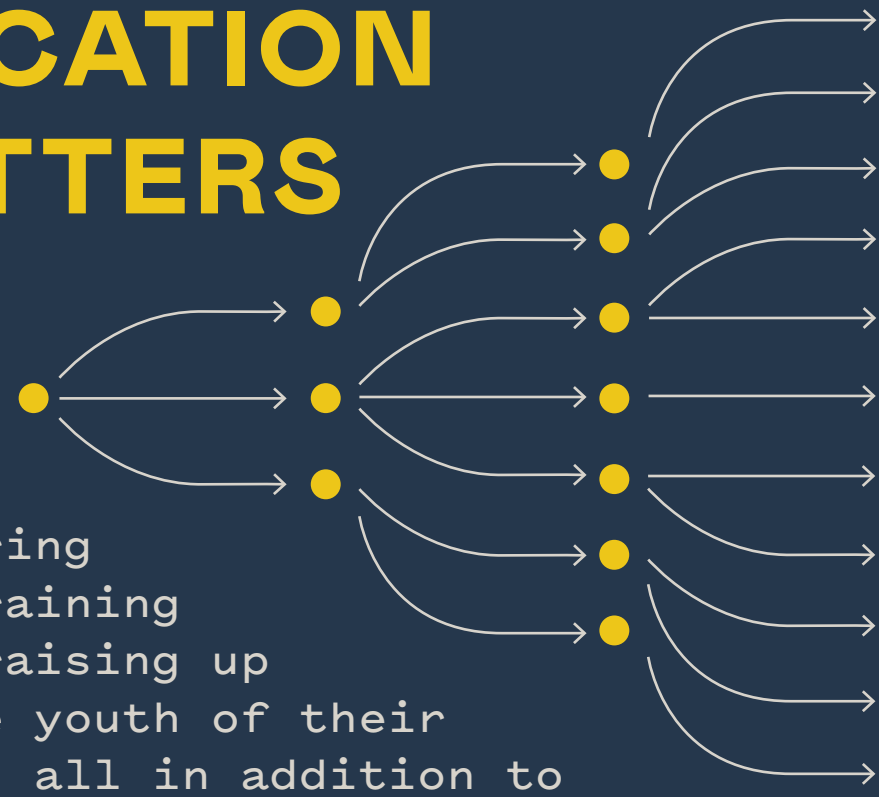
### SYSTEMS & STRUCTURE

Continue the development of internal systems to maintain and increase YouthHOPE's ministry momentum.



# MULTIPLICATION THAT MATTERS

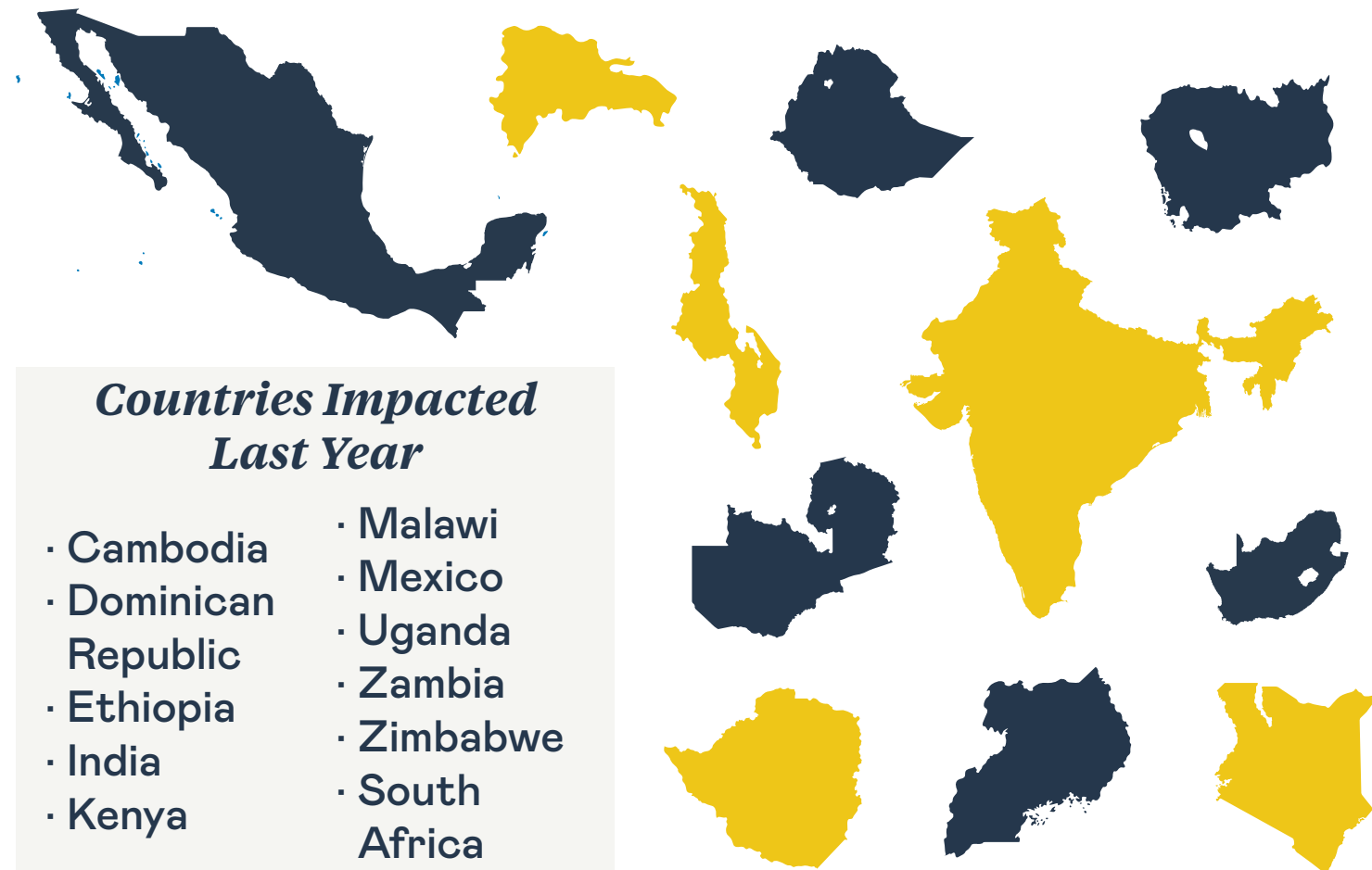
The 12 School of Youth Ministry Trainers graduates are multiplying our investment by mentoring new facilitators, training youth workers, and raising up new leaders from the youth of their communities. This is all in addition to their existing ministry work!



*Graduates of the 2018-2019 School of Youth Ministry Trainers in East Africa*

- Hosted 27 Youth Ministry Leadership Trainings
- Trained 31 New Facilitators
- Equipped 461 Youth Workers

*These numbers demonstrate the work of the twelve graduates in one year. We anticipate a continued multiplying impact far greater than we can measure!*





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