



MISSION MOMENTS FROM THE ROAD

Stories of transformed
lives this year

HOW 8 TEAMS ARE HAVING A BIG IMPACT!

*"Thank you for bringing
a team to my school!"*

What your support did for a
student in Peace River, Alberta



INSIDE: Annual Report 2017–18
Read what **you** made possible this year!

Thank you for making it possible for a NET team to come to my school!

GOD had a beautiful plan when he sent a team to Peace River, Alberta this year. You may recall the update we recently sent out “You helped us grow from 6 to 8 teams” this year! The ripple effect of this growth is that MORE youth than ever have the opportunity to meet Christ through a NET missionary. It is through your generous support that these missionaries are able to go out and bring youth to Christ.

There is no better way to meet youth than the place where they spend most of their waking hours: school. You helped us respond to this need in the lives of young people like Ashley.

Alexia (from Saskatoon, on Team 3 located in Peace River) recently met Ashley, a grade seven girl, who came to realize that she was seeking to find Christ in her life. Ashley has the chance to connect with the NET team since they are in her school!

Imagine what your life would have looked like if a NET missionary was there to meet you in your first year at a new school like Ashley? Here’s what Ashley has to say:

“The first day the NET team arrived, I was so excited to meet these new people who would teach me more about God. They have given me somewhere to go during lunch, someone to hang out with, someone who I can talk to about God and who will understand

my opinion. The NET team has changed the way I view God and the way I view myself. At the NET retreat I attended, I will always remember when Alexia told me that I inspire her. Hearing that come from someone who I thought I was supposed to be inspired by was the best thing ever. It made me want to inspire people more.”

The impact you make as a donor goes beyond what we could ever see in our lifetime. Each year you make it possible for NET missionaries to invite over 20,000 youth to love Christ and to embrace the life of the Catholic Church. Imagine 20,000 young people like Ashley having the chance to experience the love of Christ; it is so beautiful how Jesus takes your prayers and donations, the missionary’s words, the school setting, and brings them together so that a young person may know His love. Thank you for helping to make little miracles like this happen every day!

Ashley shares how she is coming to know Christ in a deeper way:

“I’ve always wanted to read the bible. I’ve tried but failed many times. People have told me in the past to read the bible because it’s a good book, but it was always too confusing to understand. When Alexia told me to read it, I did it because I wanted her to like me but when I started reading it, it changed from me wanting Alexia to like me to being interested in



Miriam, Alexia, Therese-Marie, and Rebecca



The whole team together!
Team 3 – Holy Family school board

Jesus’ stories. *I am so glad that I started reading it because in the eight chapters that I’ve read, I have learned so much more already! **Thank you for making it possible for a NET team to come to my school!***

School can be a scary place, especially the first year at a new school. Without your generosity, Ashley may have never picked up a bible again in her lifetime; maybe she would have never made friends like the NET team. This year, your gift has given Ashley the greatest gift anyone could receive: to be loved and to know Christ. Pray for youth like Ashley, that they too have the courage to be bold and embrace Christ in their lives. Do not underestimate the impact of your prayers and support, for, as St. Paul reminds us, **“[God] is able to accomplish abundantly far more than all we can ask or imagine.”** On behalf of 20,000 young people across Canada, thank you for making it possible for NET teams to go to their churches and schools! 🇨🇦

Mission Moments – from the Road

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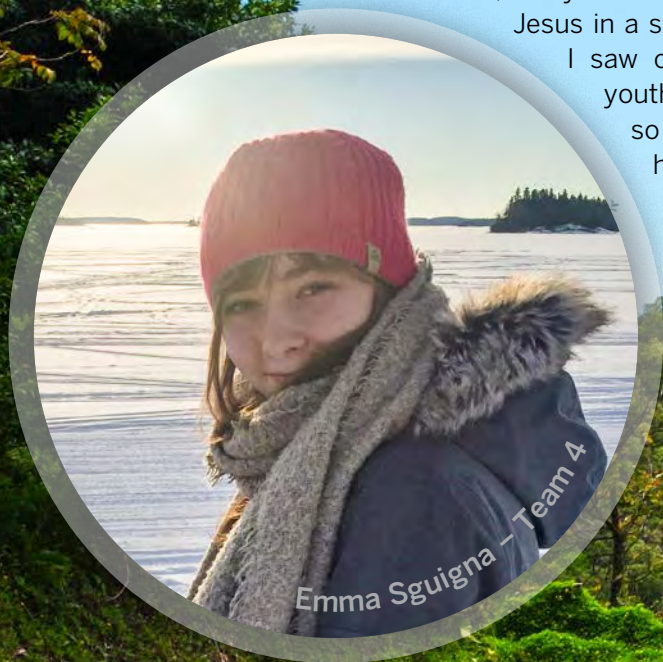
“While we were in Wollaston Lake, we held an adoration night. During the days prior, our team built relationships with a few of the youth in the community and during adoration, the youth experienced Jesus in a special way.

I saw one of the youth crying so I sat with her and she

told me that she hasn’t been happy in a long time. She said she had felt hopeless but the week that our team was in the community she realized that God had put her on earth for a reason and that it was the first time she had been truly happy in a long time.

After adoration another youth came up to me looking worried. She then explained to me that during adoration, while she was sitting with her cousins, she felt someone tapping her arm. She looked over at her cousins thinking it was them but they were praying and were too far from her to touch her. I explained to her that that night God had touched her and that God was and is pursuing her and waiting for her to acknowledge him and love him.

For both of these girls, they had lost hope for their futures and were struggling with mental health issues. But, when our team came to their community, the Lord brought them a new hope. God used us by getting to know them and loving them for who they are to reach their hearts.”



ELIANNA PYLE – VANCOUVER

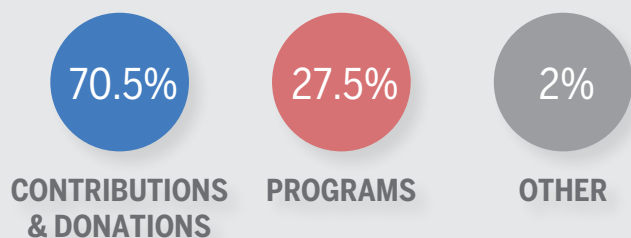
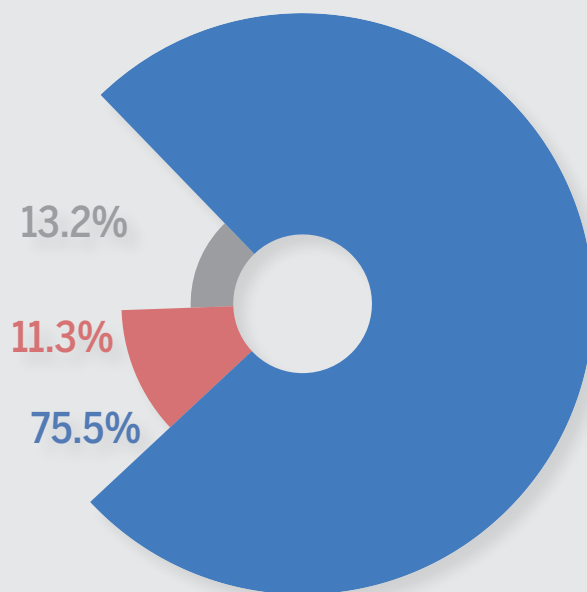
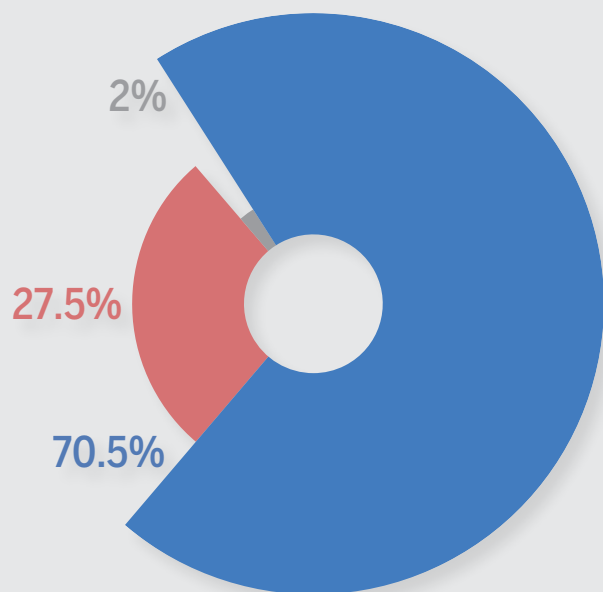
“The first retreat this year that we ran was actually an overnight youth retreat in Kelowna. Saturday especially was a very full day, and at the end of the day there was a time of adoration where prayer ministry and confession were also happening. It was a beautiful time of prayer, and it was amazing to see God working in the youth that were there. After adoration had finished and the students had left the church, I was talking to the priest who was helping with the weekend and he told me how all the confessions he heard that evening were so real and genuine, and not something he always hears from youth. He said that he could tell by the confessions that the youth had really been touched that day in the retreat and that God was really present and moving in them.”



Annual Report 2017–18

Total Revenue: \$1,537,639

Total Expenses: \$1,473,320



The financial information included in this annual report is representative of the June 30, 2018 financial statements and our audit report, dated October 13, 2018. – Collins Barrow Ottawa LLP
If you would like a copy of NET Canada's full financial statements, please email heather@netcanada.ca

You made this all possible!



2019–2020 65 MISSIONARIES!

DO YOU WANT TO SEE A NET TEAM IN YOUR COMMUNITY?

Only **ONE** spot left for a NET team for 2019!

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There is only one spot left for 2019–2020! Apply now! The last spot could be yours!

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IT'S TIME TO JOIN THE 65

Will **YOU** be one of the 65!?
58 spots left for 2019–2020 mission year!

Seven young adults have accepted the challenge to do something amazing with their lives! Will you join them?

APPLY TODAY!

Ask for an application from the recruiters Julia or Jacob at recruit@netcanada.ca

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Ottawa	Feb 1–2
Toronto	Feb 15–16
Vancouver	Feb 22–23
Winnipeg	Mar 1–2
Calgary	Mar 1–2
London	Mar 8–9
Saskatoon	Mar 8–9
Halifax– Yarmouth	Mar 15–16

DO SOMETHING AMAZING



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Mark June 1st 2019 in your calendars!
Join us at the Thanksgiving Mass and Banquet to celebrate a fruitful mission year with the 2018-19 missionaries!

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