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THANK YOU, CAROL, FOR 35 YEARS!



A LIFELONG PURSUIT
Jeremiah 32:38-39 and Proverbs 2

FEAR GOD FOREVER



2023 LOVE OFFERING

Total Pledged

(and given starting November 2022)

\$1,080,622

Total Received

(through the beginning of October 2023)

\$1,520,153

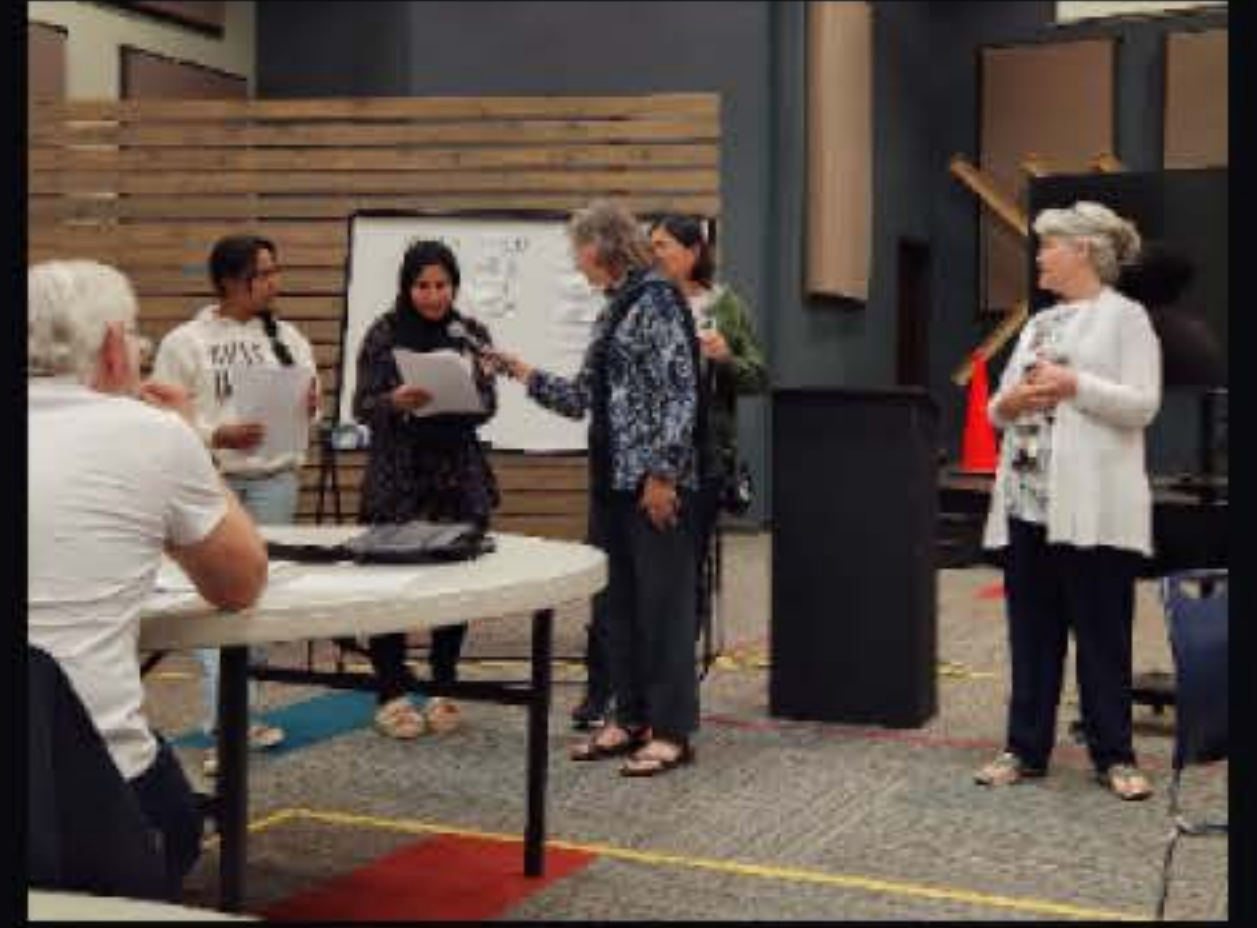
Total Expected Debt Paydown

(from this year's Love Offering and including the match)

Approximately \$1,000,000

2023 LOVE OFFERING COMPLETED PROJECTS

- ✓ **Serve Week**
- ✓ **Placemakers**
- ✓ **Inspire WeCare Packages**
- ✓ **B-Building Room Expansion**
- ✓ **Church Ministry Vehicle**
- ✓ **Easter 2023**
- ✓ **Refugee Community Center**
Belgium
- ✓ **Ukrainian Missionary Housing**
Hungary
- ✓ **Bella Vista Refugee Homes**
Belize
- ✓ **Local Church Support**
Ukraine
- ✓ **Children's Center**
Ecuador
- ✓ **Evangelism Ministry**
Middle East
- ✓ **Marketplace Ministry**
Guatemala
- ✓ **Church Building**
Albania
- ✓ **Church Planting**
Eastern Mediterranean
- ✓ **Church Planting**
Uganda
- ✓ **Church Planting**
India
- ✓ **Church Building**
Mexico
- ✓ **English Class Discipleship**
South Asia
- ✓ **Student Care Shelter**
Central Asia
- ✓ **Doula and Childbirth Partnership**
Eurasia
- ✓ **Outreach and Local Care**
Southeast Asia
- ✓ **Community Center Development**
Chile
- ✓ **River Boat**
Brazil
- ✓ **Teen Camp**
West Asia
- ✓ **Ministry Vehicle**
Thailand
- ✓ **Infant Formula**
Malawi
- ✓ **Facility Improvements**
South Asia
- ✓ **Discipleship and Bibles**
Middle East
- ✓ **Kurdish Outreach**
San Diego
- ✓ **Hannah D.**
New Global Partner
- ✓ **Jillian J.**
New Global Partner
- ✓ **Stephen & Nancy Hop**
New Global Partners



ENGAGE

MEXICO Church Building (before)



MEXICO Church Building (after)





INFANT FORMULA

Malawi



B-BUILDING ROOM EXPANSION



BELLA VISTA REFUGEE HOMES

Belize



RIVER BOAT *Brazil*



LOCAL CHURCH SUPPORT *Ukraine*



CHURCH PLANT

*Eastern
Mediterranean*

JEREMIAH 32:38-39 (ESV)

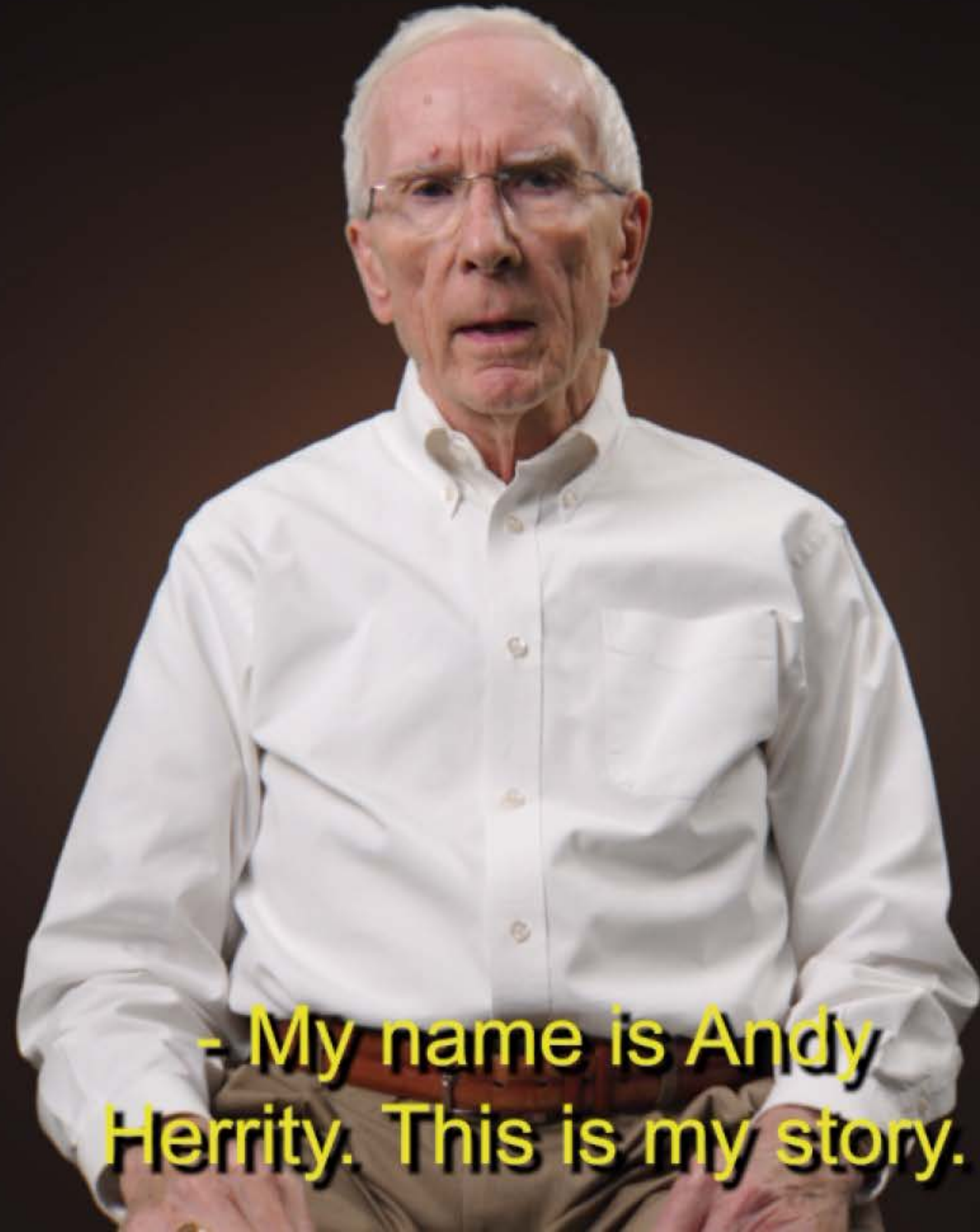
38 And they shall be my people, and I will be their God.

JEREMIAH 32:38-39 (ESV)

39 I will give them one heart and one way, that they may fear me forever, for their own good and the good of their children after them.

ECCLESIASTES 12:13 (ESV)

The end of the matter; all has been heard. Fear God and keep his commandments, for this is the whole duty of man.



- My name is Andy
Herrity. This is my story.

PROVERBS 14:2 (ESV)

Whoever walks in uprightness fears the Lord,
but he who is devious in his ways despises him.

FEAR GOD FOREVER



1

Fearing God means **depending and throwing yourself on God.**

PROVERBS 14:27 (ESV)

The fear of the LORD is a fountain of life,
that one may turn away from the snares of death.

PROVERBS 19:23 (ESV)

The fear of the LORD leads to life,
and whoever has it rests satisfied;

ISAIAH 11:1-3 (ESV)

There shall come forth a shoot from the stump of Jesse,
and a branch from his roots shall bear fruit.

ISAIAH 11:1-3 (ESV)

**2 And the Spirit of the Lord shall rest upon him,
the Spirit of wisdom and understanding,**

ISAIAH 11:1-3 (ESV)

the Spirit of counsel and might,
the Spirit of knowledge and the fear of the Lord.

ISAIAH 11:1-3 (ESV)

3 And his delight shall be in the fear of the Lord. He shall not judge by what his eyes see, or decide disputes by what his ears hear,

2

Fearing God means **delighting in Him and being afraid of doing anything without Him.**

PROVERBS 1:7 (ESV)

The fear of the LORD is the beginning of knowledge;

PROVERBS 9:10 (ESV)

The fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom,
and the knowledge of the Holy One is insight.

PROVERBS 14:26 (ESV)

In the fear of the LORD one has strong confidence,
and his children will have a refuge.

PROVERBS 15:16 (ESV)

Better is a little with the fear of the LORD
than great treasure and trouble with it.

PROVERBS 31:30 (ESV)

Charm is deceitful, and beauty is vain,
but a woman who fears the LORD is to be praised.

PSALMS 34:9 (NIV)

Fear the LORD, you his holy people,
for those who fear him lack nothing

ISAIAH 33:6 (ESV)

the fear of the Lord is Zion's treasure.

FOMO: Fear of missing out.

ISAAC ELLIOT, PRETEEN MINISTRY DIRECTOR

"We need to have Holy FOMO."

APPLICATION QUESTIONS

Is there an area in your life where you are doing things on your own and living without God?

APPLICATION QUESTIONS

**Where do you need put God first in your life today?
How would you describe what it means to fear the Lord?**

3

Fearing God Forever means **seeking Him like treasure every day of your life and never giving up.**

APPLICATION QUESTIONS

Is the fear of the Lord your treasure today? How so?

PROVERBS 2:1-5 (ESV)

My son, if you receive my words and treasure up my commandments with you, ² making your ear attentive to wisdom

PROVERBS 2:1-5 (ESV)

and inclining your heart to understanding; ³ yes, if you call out
for insight and raise your voice for understanding,

PROVERBS 2:1-5 (ESV)

**4 if you seek it like silver and search
for it as for hidden treasures,**

PROVERBS 2:1-5 (ESV)

**5 then you will understand the fear of the Lord
and find the knowledge of God.**

PSALM 86:11 (ESV)

Teach me your way, O Lord, that I may walk in your truth.
Unite my heart to fear your name.

JEREMIAH 12:5 (ESV)

If you have raced with men on foot and they have worn you out,
how can you compete with horses?

JEREMIAH 12:5 (ESV)

If you stumble in safe country,
how will you manage in the thickets by the Jordan.