A NIGHT OF WORSHIP
WITH
FOR ALL SEASONS
THE WORSHIP THAT GOD WANTS:

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James 1:27 ERV
Precious and her younger sister lived on the streets, without any family to care for them. Precious spent her days fighting to survive, struggling to protect her sister. She was only eleven years old.

Because there are too many children like Precious, Children of the Nations and For All Seasons have joined forces. In 1995, Chris and Debbie Clark started Children of the Nations to help the children other organizations weren’t reaching. Today, Children of the Nations focuses on holistic care for the most vulnerable children in the most hopeless circumstances.

For All Seasons grew out of a group of students—Emily Hamilton, Johnny Hamilton, and Jeff Luckey—who played together at Biola University. They exploded onto the Christian music scene in 2018 with their first album, Clarity. For All Seasons has a fresh sound and a deep heart for worship. They also have a heart for children in need.

Children like Precious, who was finally brought into Children of the Nations’ care. Through the support of loving sponsors, Precious and her sister were given food, education, counseling, and chance to know Jesus.

Today, they are both university graduates. In Sierra Leone, this is a monumental accomplishment. And it was only possible because of their sponsors. Child sponsorship is faith in action, telling children in need that they are truly precious in God’s sight.

In 2019, For All Seasons is traveling across the US to offer A Night of Worship, and a chance to change lives. A Night of Worship is a simple way of fulfilling the two greatest commandments: Love God and serve others.

And we would like to invite your church to be a part of it.
“The worship that God wants is this: caring for orphans or widows who need help and keeping yourself free from the world’s evil influence. This is the kind of worship that God accepts as pure and good” (James 1:27 ERV).

God’s command to help the poor can seem impossible. But we are already making huge strides. Over the last 25 years, extreme poverty has been cut in half.¹ That’s right: half!

That’s a huge accomplishment, and it means there is hope. You can make a difference.

Approximately 842,000 people die each year from contaminated drinking water.² And about 45 percent of children who die before the age of five die because of poor nutrition.³ All across the world, basic needs are still not being met. But these are solvable problems.

We can change this reality—and at Children of the Nations, we already are.

Children of the Nations’ children not only receive food, clean water, and hygiene supplies—they are also given an education, Christian discipleship, mentoring, and the skills they need to grow up and help others.

Our goal is to see children survive childhood and to help them thrive and grow into godly adults who change their communities—breaking the cycle of poverty.

Dr. Peter Schock treated a lot of children during his first medical trip to the Dominican Republic. And afterward, he felt great about his experience. He felt that he was making a real difference in the Dominican Republic.

So he decided to return for a second year. But he noticed that many of the children he had treated the year before were sick again, often with the same illnesses. That’s when he decided the real need was to help train local doctors who understood the environment these children were living in and could be there year-round to work with them and help them get, and stay, healthy.

Peter started working alongside two Children of the Nations students, Antonio and Charinson, taking them under his wing and showing them how to do minor surgeries. After he got back to Seattle, he started sponsoring both of the young men.

Antonio and Charinson were inspired by Peter and their teachers at Children of the Nations to work hard in school and get good enough grades to get into medical school.

Right before they graduated from medical school, the disastrous 2010 earthquake struck Haiti. The Dominican branch of Children of the Nations had 300,000 meals in its warehouse at the time of the earthquake. The staff was able to put all those meals on trucks and send them over the border to provide immediate food for people in Haiti.

But to Antonio and Charinson, this wasn’t enough. They both left medical school and went to Haiti to share their skills. Peter raised money to pay for their travel, food, lodging, and medical supplies. Doctors from all over the world flew to Haiti to help, and Antonio and Charinson worked side by side doing amputations and performing life-saving surgeries.

Many Dominicans look down on Haitians as a lower class of people. It is a testament to how we train and raise our children in God’s love that Antonio and Charinson would risk leaving medical school to go serve the people in Haiti.

Children like Antonio and Charinson have the heart and ability to make a huge impact on their world. They just need sponsors, like Peter, to believe in them and give them a fair chance.

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Antonio (left) and Charinson (right) learned from their sponsor’s generosity and passed it on to others.
To help these children, we’re inviting you to schedule a Night of Worship with For All Seasons. This means:

1. Providing the venue
2. Promoting the concert through your church’s existing channels (bulletin, Sunday morning announcements, church website, social media, etc.)
3. Help us by underwriting all or a portion of the cost of the event, which varies depending on your location

For 2019, we are looking for 745 new sponsors who are willing to support and pray for specific children in need, creating personal bonds that can last a lifetime.

In each country where Children of the Nations serves, there are children who want to join our program but can’t—because they don’t have sponsors. With 745 new sponsors, we could move these children off the waiting list—giving them deep and personal care that lasts through their university education or vocational training. Imagine the difference 745 new child sponsors could make!

Children of the Nations will provide a staff person or volunteer at the event to staff the sponsorship table, as well as promotional materials.

If you would like to secure For All Seasons for your church, contact 206-745-7932 or fraserratzlaff@cotni.org.

Changing the world doesn’t have to be hard. But it does require action. Will you join us?

WE WANT TO PARTNER WITH YOU

ONE LIFE LIKE ANTONIO’S CAN IMPACT AN ENTIRE COMMUNITY. YOU COULD MULTIPLY THAT IMPACT IN ONE NIGHT.