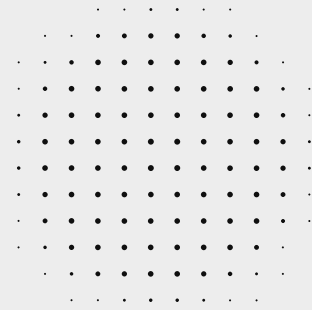




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About On Eagle's Wings



MISSION

To proclaim Jesus Christ and serve the Church and individuals in remote and isolated areas of Northern Canada.

VISION

On Eagle's Wings "walks with" the people of northern Canada in sharing the Good News of Jesus Christ who lives with us, loves us and offers us a way to live with and serve each other in love and great hope for the future.





A Word From

ROBIN ABROL

Executive Director

Throughout 2023, *On Eagle's Wings* was pleased to run six in-person **Bible Camps**, while simultaneously dodging the worst wildfire season in recent history.

Our team of dedicated volunteers also prepared **475 backpacks** for our **Bible Camp in a Bag** ministry which were distributed across 20 communities in 3 Provinces and all 3 Territories.

Staff and volunteers also began training in **Caring for the Wounded Heart** as response to requests from communities to offer support in the areas of trauma, healing and mental health.

Thank You!



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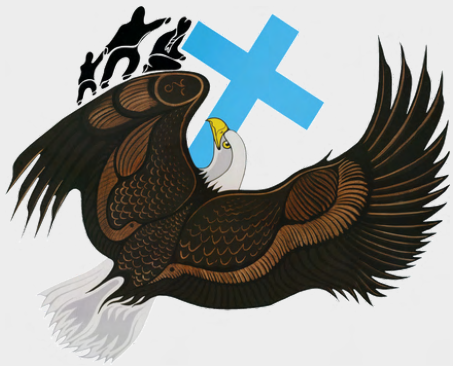


46 mailing volunteers
475 backpacks
8,305 newsletters
9,601 Advent Devotions

12 Bible Camp teachers
7 Board members

3453 volunteer hours :
the equivalent of 1.8 full
time staff!





Governing Board



MARILYN GOEBEL



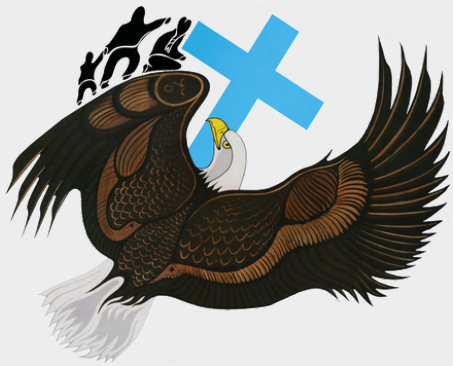
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2023

Bible Camps



Jesus.Others.You.
2023 Bible Camps



This year we held a Bible Camp in a new community - Iqaluit - the only city in Nunavut. We were also delighted to lead a camp in the most northern civilian permanent settlement in Canada.

2023 Bible Camps



Our teams partnered with the communities of Fort Chipewyan, Kugluktuk, Behchoko, Tuktoyaktuk, Iqaluit and Grise Fiord to run in-person Bible Camps this year.

Bible Camps

2023

“Thank you so much for coming all the way here to teach our kids about Jesus. It is so important for us, and we know how difficult and expensive it is to get here. We really appreciate you.”

- northern community resident

Your support is vital in enabling us to send teams to remote locations across Canada's vast northern territories.



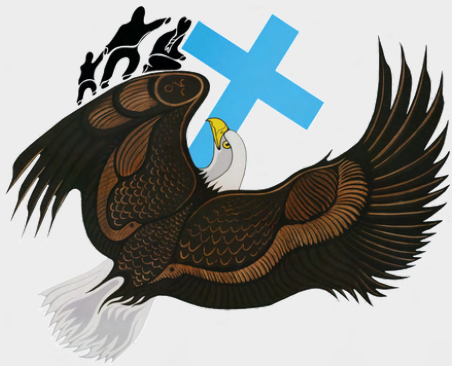
Bible Camp in a Bag



We are incredibly grateful for the Edmonton area volunteers who helped prepare **475 BCiaB backpacks** for distribution. Together they handled over **23,500** sheets of paper and card, along with **40,000** pony beads!

It cost **\$33** to create and ship a BCiaB kit to northern Canada in 2023.





Staffing News

REV. LESLEY'S RETIREMENT

In August 2023, Rev. Lesley Hand stepped down as Executive Director of *On Eagle's Wings*. A celebration of her 18 years of dedicated service to the organization was held on her last official day of work.



NEW EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Robin Abrol was appointed as Executive Director for *On Eagle's Wings*, and assumed the role on September 1st, 2023.



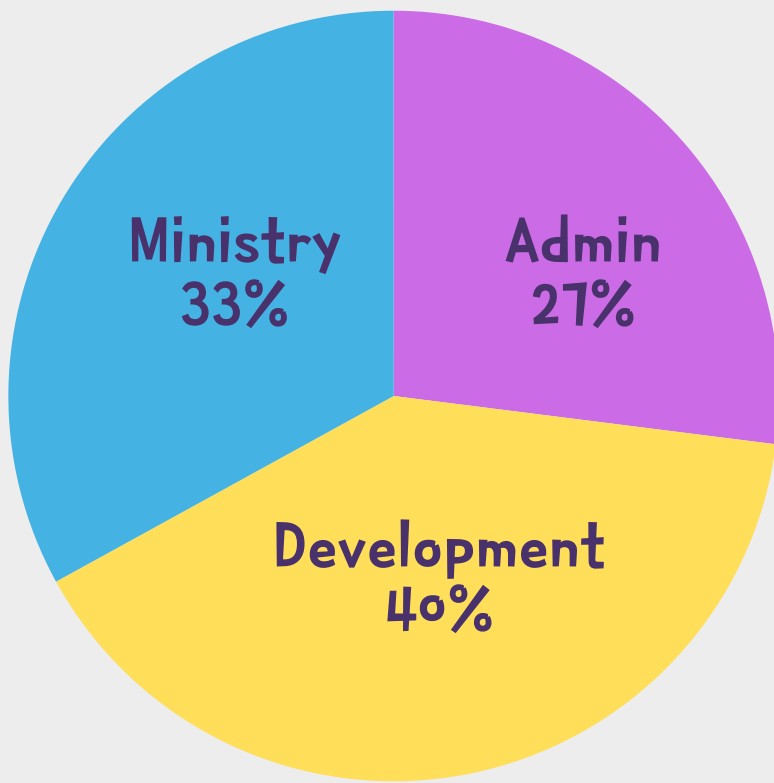


Financial Report

Income : \$43,508

Expenses : \$34,724

Net Income : \$8,783



Expense	Amount
Development	\$13,853
Ministry	\$11,500
Admin	\$9,372
Total	\$34,724

Total US Income increased by 11.5% from \$39,023 in 2022.

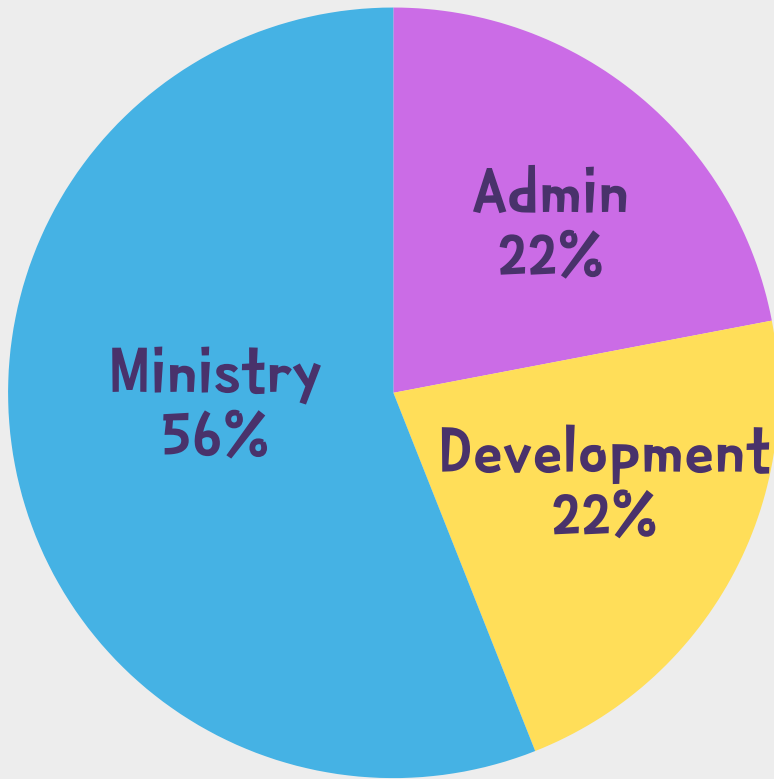
More bills were paid directly from our US account resulting in less currency exchanges and lower fees.

Audited financial statements available by request.

Income : \$195,464

Expenses : \$249,534

Shortfall : \$54,069



Expense	Amount
Ministry	\$138,639
Admin	\$55,479
Admin	\$55,416
Total	\$249,534

Total Canadian Income increased by 18% from \$165,482 in 2022.

Shortfall decreased by 39% from \$88,734 in 2022 despite continuing rises in operating costs.

Audited financial statements available by request.

2024 Bible Camps



2024 **GIFT** Curriculum Growing In Faith Together

Day 1 - The Promised **GIFT**

Day 2 - The **GIFT** of Miracles

Day 3 - The **GIFT** of Peace

Day 4 - The **GIFT** of Being Found

Day 5 - The **GIFT** of New Life (Easter story)

This Summer across northern Canada, children will learn about the greatest **GIFT** ever given.

The 2024 **GIFT** curriculum is packed full of Bible stories and fun activities that will help children discover who Jesus is, and why He came to earth.

Caring for the Wounded Heart

THE ASK

In 2021, we began receiving repeated requests to help northern communities in address their trauma & mental health crisis. We started praying for suitable resources.

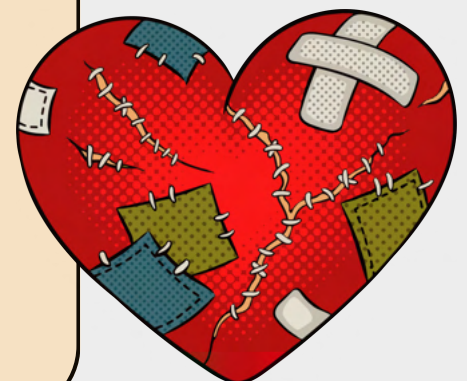


THE DISCOVERY

Early in 2023, we learned about Caring for the Wounded Heart, a series of Bible-based trauma healing workshops being offered by the Canadian Bible Society.

TRAINING BEGINS

After incredibly successful pilot projects in two communities, our Executive Director and some volunteers began training in facilitating Healing Groups.



Caring for the Wounded Heart

Our northern partners continued to express great interest in the program, and asked if we could begin rolling it out in 2024.

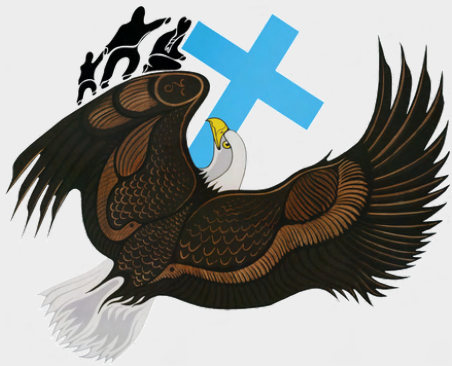
“Trauma healing is what is most needed right now. It has become a priority for us here in the North.”



“This is a new chapter for me”, commented one participant after completing the six core lessons of Caring for the Wounded Heart.

“I actually feel 10lb lighter”, said another.

For more information please visit the [Caring for the Wounded Heart](#) page of our website or scan the QR above.



Grant Funding

In 2023 we were pleased to have received funding from the following organizations :

- Lutheran Triune Educational and Benevolent Society of Calgary
- New England Company
- Trinity Lansdale Endowment Fund
- Boville Murray VBS fund

Thank you for supporting of ***On Eagle's Wings!***



Canadian Bible Society

We also extend our thanks to the Canadian Bible Society for their

partnership in providing Caring for the Wounded Heart resources, facilitator training and mentorship.



Celebrate and Give!

On Eagle's Wings registered as a Canadian Charity in 1999. That means 2024 marks our 25th year in ministry, and that is a cause of real celebration!

Celebrating
— 25 YEARS —



25 VBS
Curricula

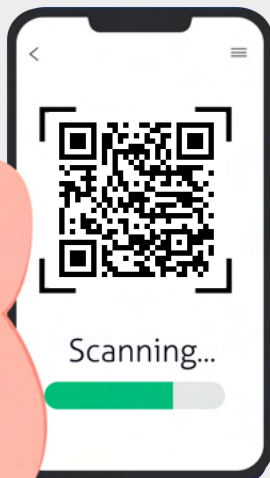
13,000+ Kids
@ Bible Camp

30 Remote
Communities

1472 BCiaB
Backpacks

1000's of
Volunteer Hours

Thank you to all our donors, volunteers and supporters for the faithful prayers, gifts, and hours you have poured in to the children and families of northern Canada.



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