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Hear from the new missionaries! PG 2&3

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Hear from the missionaries

We asked some of the 2024-25 missionaries about how God brought them to NET and to share their experiences!

What brought you to NET?

I have seen God bless me in so many ways, and I wanted to do something I can point to when I die and say "God, I did this for you. I spent this year serving and giving back the blessing you gave me." - Dominic Rinaldi (St Paul, Minnesota)

I realized I have a story worth sharing and I realized now is the time. I applied and was like, "if it's your will Lord, let it be." - Ellie Germain (Fort McMurray, Alberta)

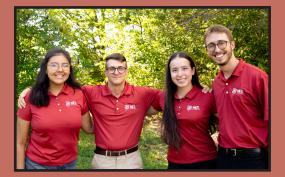
I hope that every day I'm getting closer to the Lord, and at the end of the mission, even if only one soul comes back to Christ, it makes everything worth it.

- John Paul Tomaszewski (Strathroy, Ontario)

Did you have any fears or hesitations about serving with NET?

Two weeks before coming I was like "what the heck have I gotten myself into?" I had to remind myself, this is where the Lord wants me to be and I know it'll be a good thing once I get there, and I was so nervous even on the plane. That was a struggle the first few days here, and then I started settling in and it's been great. - Ellie

One thing I was reluctant about going on NET was not being around my friends and family all the time. Being at training has been really good though, because my NET brothers and sisters here are so amazing and I'm so glad to be around them every day. - John Paul











How has training been so far?

Training has been amazing. It's stretched me so much and forced me to trust in the Lord and reminded me that I need Him I can't wait to get to know my teammates better throughout the year. - Ellie

I really wasn't expecting how much personal growth and development would be taking place in such a short amount of time and in such a profound way. A big thing that has really hit me this week, is just how little I am compared to God and how every good thing I can ever do is because of Him, it's not because of me. - John Paul

Hearing how intimacy develops through vulnerability and sharing with each other. Learning how to bare my heart and open myself to the other women here. I feel like I've known these people for forever, but it's only been a week. - Ange Nessa Amanda (Ottawa, Ontario)

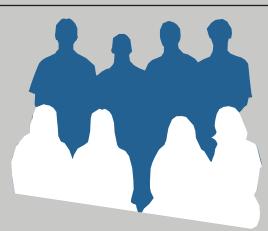
Why do youth need to be evangelized?

When you look at what's going on in the world – sadness and desolation – the world truly needs Christ. Especially the youth of today, they just have all these lies told to them and they just don't feel like they need love, and our God is love so why not bring Him to them. - Ange Nessa

I think in this world we're so lost and everyone has this heart with a hole in it, and we're searching for things to fill it. And in my life too, I've tried to fill it with things other than the Lord, and until the Lord came into my heart I never really felt full and at peace with myself. I think youth need that direction and that guidance in their lives that only the Lord can provide them. - Ellie

MEET THE TEAMS





Back: Chris Vandenberg, Anthony Lombardi, John Paul Tomaszewski, Kirk Holyk

Front: Serena Powder-Case, Ange Nessa Amanda, Mikaila Joanette, Grace Foy



Back: Marie-Anne Gagnon, Patrick Wasch, Joshua Kurzitza, Dominic Rinaldi, Jamie Jones, Dakota Ayotte

Front: Juanita Guevara, Cony Garcia, Amy Tinajero, Ellie Germain



He said, I hereby make a covenant. Before all your people I will perform marvels, such as have not been performed in all the earth or in any nation; xodus se:

and all the people among whom you live shall see the work of the Lord; for it is an awesome thing that I will do with you.

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