

MEET OUR NEWEST

Church Planters
Affiliations
Lead Pastors

Converge Southwest is a movement of churches working to help people meet, know, and follow Jesus. We do this by starting and strengthening churches together worldwide.

For over 165 years we've helped churches bring life change to communities in the U.S.A. and around the world through church planting and multiplication, leadership training, and global missions.

Why plant churches?

Converge is committed to starting churches. As a movement, we start churches that start churches, to see lives changed with Christ's love and truth. Church Planting provides a clear pathway to birth a new church or campus and to multiply churches. With proven strategies, systems and training designed to succeed, more people than ever before have the opportunity to accept Jesus.

Starting a church is a huge commitment and a slow process. We connect each church planter with a personalized coach to receive training and resources that actually work! We welcome new church planting couples to be part of the Converge family with seasoned planters and mentors to offer skillful support.

In this publication, you'll meet our newest, brave couples who are on the frontlines, embracing the marathon (not sprint) of church planting. We've included newly affiliated churches and new lead pastors of churches in recent transition; as strengthening churches is a key value of our mission. We welcome you to pray for these leaders, their churches and communities. See the last page for ways you can partner with us, and be sure to let us know if you have any questions about starting a church through Converge Southwest.

Embracing the Journey,



Bruce Sumner – Converge Southwest Regional President

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JOEY & CAROL ANNE

BILBREY



Desert Rock Church

Florence, AZ
desertrock.church
Church plant

BEN & MANDY

CLOUD



Amadeo Church

Pinetop-Lakeside & Taylor-Snowflake, AZ
amadeochurch.com
New multi-campus sites

NASSER & NICOLE

JAHAN



LifePoint Church

Tucson, AZ

lifepointtucson.com

New affiliation

TAHON & SHAWNTA

KING



Christ Culture Church

Tempe, AZ

christculturechurch.net

Church plant

CRAIG & BRITTANY

KLAUKA



Grafted Church

North Phoenix, AZ
graftedchurchaz.com

Church plant

JON & SAMANTHA

KRAGEL



Mission Grove Church

Phoenix, AZ
missiongrovechurch.com

Church plant

Lamar & Yvette
LOVETT



Redeemed Life Bible Church
Tucson, AZ
rlbctucson.org
Church plant

CHAD & KATRINA
MOORE



Sun Valley Community Church
South Gilbert, AZ
sunvalleycc.com
New multi-campus site

MICHAEL & MELISSA
ODOM



Journey Church
Yuma, AZ
journeyyuma.church
New affiliation

BRIAN & MELINDA
PACHECO



Flatiron Church
Queen Creek, AZ
flatiron.church
Church plant

MATT & HANNA
ROSE



Orbit Church
West Valley, AZ
orbitchurch.org
Church plant

JAMES & SHAUNA
RUIZ



Living Word Chapel
Oracle, AZ
lwconline.org
New affiliation

NOLAN & LINDSEY

TJADEN



The Garden Church

West Valley, AZ

[instagram.com/plantingthegarden](https://www.instagram.com/plantingthegarden)

Church plant

KEN & LINDSAY

TRAM



New Hope

Gilbert, AZ

[newhopegilbert.com](https://www.newhopegilbert.com)

New affiliation

AFRICAN CHURCH PLANTS

THROUGH
VISION ARIZONA &
CORNERSTONE
CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP

MULENGA & HELLEN
CHELLA



Christ Life Church
Lusaka, Zambia
Africa
Church plant

AARON & HELLEN
CHEWE



Christ Life Church
Livingstone, Zambia
Africa
Church plant

JOJO & ESTHER
KANYIRI



Nyeri Elevation Chapel
Nyeri, Kenya
Africa
Church plant



California

RICK & SALLY
BARREYRO



San Diego Christian Fellowship - Filipino Congregation
San Diego, CA
sdcfchurch.com/locations/the-filipino-congregation
Church plant

TRACY & MONICA
CRAWFORD



Tri-City Church
Rialto, CA
tri-city.church
Church plant

DAVID & REBECCA
JOHNSON



Highlands Church

La Crescenta, CA
madeforcommunity.com
New pastor

RAY & JULIE
KWON



Camarillo All Nations Church

Camarillo, AZ
allnc.net
Church plant

AARON & ADRIAN
LINDSEY



Believe Church of Los Angeles
Calabasas, CA
believela.org
New affiliation

KEN & EMMY
LIPPOLD



Christ Church Los Angeles
Los Angeles, CA
ccla.church
Church plant

ARMANDO & CHARLENE
LOPEZ



New Church Plant
San Diego, CA
launching soon
Church plant

PHONG & TRUC TRAN
NGUYEN



Unity Fellowship
Fountain Valley, CA
phongtruc@gmail.com
New pastor

TONY
SILVESTRI



Simi Community Church
Simi Valley, CA
simicommunity.com
New pastor

PAUL & JENNY
WEIR



The Gathering
Simi Valley, CA
wegatherchurch.com
Church plant

STEVEN & ARIEL

ADAIR



Real Life Church

Celina, TX
reallifetx.church
Church plant

LUIS & NORA

ARRAS



Conexion Church

Plano, TX
conexionchurchtx.org
Church plant

MAXWELL & TONYA

CLARK



LifePoint Church

Spring, TX
lifepointcc.org
Church plant

MANNE & REBECCA

FAVOR



The Connect Church

Pearland, TX
theconnectchurch.tv
Church plant

ANTHONY & MELODY
FUSCO



New Church Plant
Texas
launching soon
Church plant

NATHAN & HEATHER
LAW



Renovation City Church
Pearland, TX
renovationcitychurch.com
Church plant

JUSTIN & BECKY
MOORE



Faith Chapel
Cypress, TX
faithchapelcypress.com
Church plant

GAVIN & NICOLE
PAPIT



Tribes Church
Argyle, TX
tribes.church
Church plant

KENNETH & KRISTIN
REYNOLDS



RockPoint Church
Schertz, TX
gotorockpoint.com
New pastor

JUSTIN & ELAURA
SCHULTZ



Heart + Soul Church
Princeton, TX
heartandsoultexas.com
Church plant

DAVID & JENNA
SMULLIN



Portrait Church
Celina, TX
launching soon
Church plant

HAI & HANA LE
TRA



New Life Viet Ministry
Houston, TX
Church plant

TUONG & HUONG LE
TRUONG



Vietnamese Calvary Church
Fort Worth, TX
nehemiah206@gmail.com
Church plant

DARRELL & ANGELA
TURNER



Solomon's Porch Church
Wylie, TX
faithlife.com/spc-x
Church plant

SHAY & ROBYN
WOOD



Mercyhill Church
N. Fort Worth, TX
mercyhill.live
Church plant

ANDRE & VALERIA
VALENTINE



Deeper Truths Christian Fellowship
Texas
launching soon
Church plant

DOMINICAN REPUBLIC CHURCH PLANTS

THROUGH
VISION TEXAS &
ROCK CREEK CHURCH

JONATHAN & JEANINE AUTREY



Iglesia Bautista Celebracion
Veron, Punta Cana
Dominican Republic
Church plant

MACKENDY & LALANNE
CHARDAVOINE



Iglesia Bautista Celebracion Guateque
Guateque, Veron
Dominican Republic
Church plant

MANECIO & ALICIA
MASELLIS



Iglesia Celebracion Embajadores
Cristo Rey, Veron
Dominican Republic
Church plant

FERNANDO & RUTH

MEJIA



Iglesia Cautivados

Centro, La Romana
Dominican Republic
Church plant

CARLOS & FLORANGEL VASQUEZ REYES

PENA



Iglesia Bautista Celebracion

Bonao, Veron
Dominican Republic
Church plant

Partner with us

There's a great feeling of purpose, meaning and fulfillment in your life when you partner with a movement to expand God's kingdom across the street and around the world. By partnering with Converge Southwest, you're connecting to something much bigger than yourself. *You are giving someone an opportunity to accept Jesus.*

Here are some ways you can partner with Converge Southwest:

Pray

The mission God has laid in front of us is great, and we can't accomplish it on our own. But with God's help and your prayers, it can be accomplished. So, we invite you to join us as a prayer partner, together asking God to ordain our steps as we follow him.

Give

Help people meet, know, and follow Jesus by financially supporting Converge Southwest. You can support new church plants, pastor/ministry leadership development, missionaries who are sharing God's love around the world or many other options. converge.org/southwest/give

Get connected

Staying connected in ministry is vital. Converge Southwest is a family of churches where you can connect with other ministry leaders to receive support, encouragement, and prayer to help you fulfill your calling and make a greater kingdom impact. converge.org/southwest/about/join



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