



## MISSIONS FOCUS

From bulletin: July 10, 2022

Our Missionaries, their health and ministries affected by Covid-19

### **Derek & Chelsea Jung** InterVarsity (IV) Campus Ministries

From today's bulletin / Missions Report from Missions Team

We welcome the Jungs who will be very briefly sharing in our English service this morning. Stop by and say hello!

- Derek completed 5 years with InterVarsity last month. Both Derek and Chelsea have accepted new leadership roles within IV: Chelsea as Associate Area Director of Planting and Staff Development (targeting unreached campuses!) and Derek as Leadership and Scripture Coordinator (investing in leaders across multiple campuses to grow their purpose and spiritual authority!). They will need to raise an additional \$20k for their expanding ministry roles.
- Prayer requests include: rest after long season of ministry; online training during the summer, new students and returning students who will be back on campus this fall; creativity, energy and wisdom as they prepare for Fall.
- Personally, they were able to gather with extended Ong/Pong/Jung family over Easter after everyone was vaccinated; Noemi is enjoying swimming lessons.
- Praises: 8 students came to faith, 3 chapters of IV planted, dozens of meals and care packages to reach out to college students and 3 new staff joined their team!

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## From Semi-Annual Business Meeting Mission Report

**InterVarsity Christian Fellowship** (Northern CA, Southern OR) – In the last six months, Derek and Chelsea Jung’s ministry outreached to about 1,500 students. Their chapters in Southern Oregon and Northern CA have faced drastically reduced enrollment due to reduced campus access. They have replanted 6 Bible studies in these chapters. Most excitingly, one Bible study group grew from one student in the summer to over 30 in December. They estimate that close to 100 students are involved with various chapters. Three students in Northern CA were led to faith. Chelsea in her Associate Area Director role is piloting a national program to create ministry structures that enable “southside” staff, individuals who come from adverse backgrounds without family support. Through this program, she is mentoring three student interns in Northern CA. Chelsea has also established 2 advocacy councils that support, pray for, and promote campus ministry.

Following is their newsletters emailed to the BACBC office.

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If you’ve read all these, you should be on their mailing list. For space and time, there are a few more newsletters we aren’t going to include. Email them to be added to their mailing list!

*Thank you for reading about and praying for our missionaries, countries and people locally and globally!*

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## The Kingdom is like Hot Pot

We can no longer take for granted the preciousness of presence and community. The above photo shows us enjoying hot pot with at our friends

house (all vaccinated). As we dipped meat, veggies, tofu, and more into the bubbling spicy broth we relished bursts of laughter and moments of savory silence. We had missed these precious moments being around good food together in fellowship.

The Kingdom is like this Hot Pot with all the varieties of foods immersed in a shared pot and enjoyed with personalized sauces, creating a veritable flavor exchange. The Kingdom of God is marked by feasts (Is 25:6; Mat 22; Rev 19:9) and communities from different nations, cultures, and languages gathered around the Lord's table. This is the kind of picture we imagine when we seek God's Kingdom come on earth as it is in heaven.

May we remember that Christ offers himself to us and at the same time brings us into his Body and the family of God. Will you pray for students, staff, faculty, and community volunteers to be united through Christ. May we follow the example of our Lord and invite others to encounter his goodness.



Eating good food to celebrate 1 year of knowing each other and our InterVarsity Oregon Bible study

## Testimony from Southern Oregon: Bram

I've only met Abraham (pictured above) in person 1 time, but every week for the last year we've met up for discipleship and online bible study. Abraham is passionate about scripture and passionately loves God. Through this past year, he got raised up to lead bible study through InterVarsity. Out of prayer, Abraham feels the call to start a seeker friendly inductive Bible study this

upcoming Fall at Oregon Tech.

Abraham represents the beautiful moments of being Kingdom-partners and co-disciples of Jesus. Will you be praying for students like Abraham this summer? Pray for their roots to go deep in his love, for their eyes and mind to be filled with clarity, and for their hearts to be courageously faithful.



## Promotions!

We are excited to announce that we are taking on new roles with InterVarsity.

Chelsea has accepted the role of **Associate Area Director of Planting and Staff Development**. She is thrilled to call forth new things on unreached campuses.

Derek has accepted the role of **Leadership and Scripture Coordinator**. He is excited to invest in seeing leaders across multiple campuses grow in their purpose and spiritual authority.

Please be praying for us as we enter these exciting new roles, and as we raise \$20,000 for the expanding ministry.

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## Prayer Points

- Rest after this year
- A couple conferences (online) that we're attending this week: Area Director Training (Chelsea) and Formation Theological Retreat (Derek).
- New students and returning students who will be coming back to campus this Fall.
- Creativity, energy, and wisdom as we prepare for the Fall.

## Personal Updates and Photos from the Year

Noemi is enjoying summer swimming times and loves learning!

Chelsea is taking up latte art and the making of simple syrups (Lavender, Rose, Rosemary, and Vanilla!) - all which are simply delicious!

Derek celebrated 5 years on staff this month. He is grateful to reach this landmark with the grace of God and the collective partnership of y'all! If you want to send him a word of affirmation, email:

[derek.jung@interversity.org](mailto:derek.jung@interversity.org)

This summer, we are looking forward to spaces of rest and togetherness while preparing for our new roles.



Easter family reunion thanks to everyone getting vaccinated. We hadn't seen most family for 1.5 years.



We celebrated Derek at our Area retreat with a delectable seafood boil for 5 years of ministry with InterVarsity!



Noemi getting some swimming lessons from her Auntie Liz! She can blow bubbles and do some kicking.



We celebrated a crazy year with our Area staff team (all vaccinated) and welcomed our 3 new interns shown to the left: Michelle (Back), Kalia (Middle), and Alexandria (Front)

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## End of the Semester Newsletter | The Jung's with InterVarsity

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Thu, Jun 2, 2022 at 9:59 AM

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### Come to the Lord

In May, we ended this ministry year gathering for the first time in 3 years with InterVarsity Staff from Northern California, Southern Oregon, Santa Cruz, Bay Area, Hawaii, and Reno. Our time was centered in the Scroll of Isaiah.

In Isaiah 55:1, the prophet calls out to the wayward and dejected exiles

*"Come, all you who are thirsty,  
come to the waters;  
and you who have no money,  
come, buy and eat!  
Come, buy wine and milk  
without money and without cost."*

This ministry, year this has been the call to us and the words we have offered to students haggard by the pandemic and the injustices of this world. The Lord is a healing host who offers renewal, healing, purpose, and hope with no cost to us. He is our redeemer.

Earlier, in Chapter 40, Isaiah proclaims. *"but those who hope in the Lord will renew their strength. they will soar on wings like eagles..."* In this last year, indeed even in the last month, hope and strength feel fleeting in the face of conflict, disease, massacres, and scandals. Yahweh doesn't turn his eyes from these things. He is present. He invites us to learn from the eagles who soar not on their own muscles, but by catching the wind under outstretched wings.

Our testimony is that God has sustained us, and that he has not left us. For healing, he offers us true food - his broken body and spilt blood. He calls us to not despair or disconnect, but to cry out and hope in His Spirit - His Wind-Breath that we might soar and offer real hope and real life in resistance to the sting of death and chaos.



**End of the Semester Praise Report:**

- 12 decisions of faith from across our campuses
- Over 100 students involved across 6 campus fellowships
- 16 Student Leaders developed
- 8 In-Person Bible Studies/Community Groups replanted
- 3 student interns

Picture: Lake Tahoe, us with Linda (Derek's mother) and Auntie Brenda IV staff elder who has ministered to our whole family through prayer and the Holy Spirit.



**At COS**, we saw 5 students come to faith! Praise God for new life in the Kingdom. Our COS staff, Kalia, is in the yellow jacket



**We celebrated Chelsea for 5 years with InterVarsity Staff!**

In 5 years, she has planted several chapters, led many folks to faith and deeper discipleship, and raised up life-long leaders. Her heart to reach those who are marginalized and to boldly pray and proclaim God's Kingdom is beautiful and inspiring. If you've been impacted or inspired by Chelsea, email her a word of affirmation: [chelsea.jung@intervarsity.org](mailto:chelsea.jung@intervarsity.org) .

Picture: Lake Tahoe, Chelsea, IV Staff Auntie Moani (left) and Auntie Brenda (right)



**Derek concluded a 1 year Leadership Cohort** with the staff pictured. What a full year of leadership growth, ministry skill training, and visioning for our campuses to experience more of the whole-life transformation of Jesus

Messiah! If you'd like to hear more about what he's been learning, feel free to message him.

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## Prayer Requests

- Pray for healthy rhythms and peaceful times with family over Summer for students.
- Pray for incoming frosh and transfers who will be seeking/needng spiritual community and Jesus to find a fellowship.
- Pray for us as we rest, raise funds, plan and pray for Fall 22.



This summer we are fundraising **\$25,000** in new annual support. Our goal is to raise this amount by **August 8th** so that we can step foot onto our campuses with full hours and ambitiously chase after new ministry goals.

If you are interested in hearing testimonies from this year and learn about our goals and needs for the upcoming year, **we would absolutely love to connect** about how you can give, pray, and/or serve.

Click the "Connect" button below and fill out the short survey and we will contact you to grab coffee, share a meal, or catch up on Zoom.

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Thank you for all the ways you make this ministry possible and for being a part of bringing the Gospel to this generation of students!



## Life with the Jungs

We are sliding right into summer! This means new rhythms and some rest. Summer for us also means lots of anticipation, planning, and travel. This Summer we are looking forward to relational connections, visiting family, a couple of retreats, and lots of ice cream - especially avocado flavor, Noemi's favorite.

Ministry-wise, we'll take the next couple months to do preparation, and connect with ministry partners and community. If you want to catch up let us know with the "connect" button above.

Also can y'all be praying for rest, discernment in preparations, and for God-provided connections in this season?

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The banner features the InterVarsity logo on the left, the text 'MINISTRY UPDATE FROM THE JUNG'S' in the center, and a circular photo of a family on the right. The main title 'LONGING FOR REVIVAL' is prominently displayed in large white letters, with the subtitle 'Redding, Siskiyous, and Southern Oregon' below it.

### Catalina was Awesome!

- A challenging adjustment for family the first day, but God provided through awesome teammates.
- 16 students were a part of our track, many of them experienced God very personally through scripture and prayer.
- 3 students made commitments to follow Jesus as adults!
- Jesus planted new seeds of prayer and power in our fellowships.



One testimony is about Eric (name changed, front with long hair). He was going to abandon his faith, but decided to join us. As we prayed for Eric, Jesus took his heart of stone, and gave him the Holy Spirit. We worshiped, praising God for his freedom and healing!





16 staff and students deeply encountering Jesus through the Gospel of Mark.

One of our students, Jake (name changed), shared, "I'm used to the story of the paralytic and friends, but I felt really impacted by it when we studied it at Catalina. I want to share how awesome and fun scripture is!"



Chelsea led the daughter of a camp worker into the Kingdom, and she was baptized in the ocean!

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## April: Stewarding Seedlings

Pray for us as we finish the semester well. We have several weeks left to go, and our goal is to see our staff and students across our chapters motivated for following Jesus in the Summer and holding vision for next Fall's outreach.



This Spring we've had the opportunity to have several worship nights where students are formed to praise God and pray for each other. These nights have been so fun and filled with the Spirit's

presence!



Our students volunteering on a farm that serves the houseless community. This Spring we desire to serve as Jesus in Philippians 2.

## Prayer Requests

- Pray for students to experience excitement and motivation for reaching out on campus. We want students to feel courageous and inspired to share their experiences with Jesus.
- Pray for new leaders as we rebuild our chapters
- Pray for peacemaking; we've had a lot of conflict resolution conversations in the last couple of weeks
- Pray for OIT that is potentially going to officially affiliate with IV
- **Pray for our funding as we head towards June. We need %30 of our 94k goal still to reach.**

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