

Crossfire international

world-wide youth & young adult ministries



“Changing this Generation, one Nation at a Time”



My Family and I directing Crossfire International from Israel 2023!

As many of you know my family and I have spent most of this year living in Israel directing the global ministry of Crossfire International. From Israel we also traveled frequently into the West Bank and we led multiple mission trips from Israel into Cyprus, North Cyprus, Turkey, and to Bulgaria. Each week we were preaching in churches in both English and in Spanish, training pastors and leaders, and implementing Crossfire in new churches all across Israel, the West Bank, Turkey, Cyprus, and in Bulgaria.



Pastor Joe leading Jewish youth and young adults through the sinners prayer in Israel

Praise God we saw hundreds of Jews and Muslims accept Jesus during the salvation altar calls at the end of the sermons we preached in the churches as well as in the one

on one evangelism opportunities that God opened up in all of these countries.

We recently returned from Israel to America as my wife is now 7 months pregnant for our fifth child.. We literally barely missed this war; God's timing is always perfect.



A Crossfire Israel Cell Group in a Congregation in Israel July 2023

This past summer, however, there was another conflict between Israel and Gaza. Hamas terrorists fired over 1,200 rockets within a four day period into cities all across Israel. During this time there was one day when we were in the middle of a Crossfire training in a church in Ashdod when the city-wide bomb sirens began to go off. Everyone ran for the nearest bomb shelter and from inside the bomb shelter we finished the Crossfire training for that church.

Two days later, we were in our home in Israel when the bomb sirens again went off and my family and I went to the nearest bomb shelter until the rockets hit some

buildings two blocks from our home.



Pastor Joe preaching in a Messianic Jewish Congregation in Israel June of 2023

Praise God even in an environment with terrorism, rockets being shot off, and extremely tight restrictions against missionaries and evangelism, we saw God move in awesome ways. Every goal and objective that God put in our hearts was reached and we are now praying about how God would have us build on this work.

Please pray for Israel! What has happened is absolutely horrific. Some of the young adults we are working with are IDF soldiers and are now fighting in this war. Pray that many Jews and Muslims come to know Jesus as their Savior during this time.

להגיע לעולם!



A Crossfire Cuba cell group in a new church in Matanzas, Cuba!



Crossfire International 2023 "Reach the World" camps and crusades

This year the Crossfire International theme is "Reach the World". Praise God again this year we have seen the Holy Spirit move powerfully through the Crossfire International cell groups, camps, crusades, leadership training, and mission trips taking place in countries all over the world.

This spring we were able to again lead the annual Crossfire Philippines camp and leadership training in Mindanao Island which brought together pastors, leaders, youth and young adults from the Islands of Mindanao, Bohol, Visayas, and Camiguin.



Crossfire Philippines camp and leadership training on Mindanao Island June 2023

Also Crossfire camps, crusades, and implementations in new churches took place in Cambodia, Myanmar, and in Laos. This year was our third year to lead an underground camp and leadership training in an undisclosed secret location in the closed nation of Laos. Crossfire Thailand again led multiple regional Crossfire camps, crusades and leadership training took place across the country. Teams of Crossfire Thailand leaders also led mission trips from Thailand to Cambodia, Myanmar, and Laos.

Crossfire camps, crusades, implementations and leadership training

also took place in Nairobi, Kenya, as well as in Uganda, and Tanzania in June and in October.



Crossfire Thailand training and implementation in Chang Mai August of 2023

Crossfire El Salvador this year has again led 4 regional evangelistic crusades across the country, and many teams of pastors, Crossfire leaders and youth have gone into the streets to evangelize in gang controlled areas. The annual Crossfire El Salvador camp took place this year in August and teams of Crossfire El Salvador leaders have led multiple mission trips from El Salvador to Guatemala and Honduras. Crossfire El Salvador also launched "Crossfire music" and now has a talented team of young adult musicians who travel to lead worship at both Crossfire events as well as for other Christian gatherings.



Crossfire Nicaragua "Alcanzar el Mundo" camp and leadership training July 2023

Crossfire Nicaragua also had multiple regional crusades, regular evangelism on the streets, multiple pastors and leaders trainings, and led their first annual camp this year.

Praise God we have seen thousands come to know Jesus as their Savior, leaders trained for ministry, and many churches have been strengthened and equipped. Thank you for your prayers and support of us and the global ministry of Crossfire International!

Reach the World! (Mark 16:15)



Crossfire Kenya evangelistic crusade and leadership training October 2023

Our Prayer List:

1. Pray that many youth and young adults accept Jesus as their Savior through the Crossfire cell groups, camps, crusades, evangelism, and mission trips this year.
2. Pray for a powerful anointing and move of the Holy Spirit during all of the Crossfire "Reach the World" cell groups, camps, crusades, evangelism, and mission trips that will take place this year.
3. Crossfire International leadership training and implementation in new churches in countries around the world.
4. Crossfire in churches in persecuted and restricted nations.
5. For an increase of financial support as Crossfire International continues to grow and expand around the world.
6. Pastor Joe and his family as they travel and lead Crossfire International, pray for

- Protection
- Provision
- Favor
- Anointing
- Salvations

7. 2023 Crossfire Intl mission trips:

- Cambodia, Laos, and Burma (From Thailand)
- Guatemala, Honduras, and Nicaragua (From El Salvador)
- Bohol, and Camiguin islands in the Philippines (from Mindanao Island)

8. Mar-Aug 2023 Crossfire International Israel, Turkey, and Cyprus mission-



Crossfire El Salvador "Alcanzar el Mundo" camp salvation altar call - July 2023

Major events of 2023

Winter and Spring 2023

- **Dec 7-9** Crossfire El Salvador “Alcanzar el Mundo” camp and training
- **Jan 21** Crossfire Nicaragua training and implementation in the IDPAN churches
- **Feb 11** Crossfire El Salvador Alcanzar el Mundo” evangelistic crusade and evangelism in El Limon, Soyapango
- **March 7- Aug** Pastor Joe and family living in Israel for 6 months to direct the Crossfire Israel, Turkey, Cyprus mission
- **March 23-25** Crossfire Thailand “Reach the World” camp in Rayong
- **April 25-May 3** Crossfire mission from Israel to Cyprus
- **May 15-17** Crossfire Nicaragua “Alcanzar el Mundo” camp and training
- **April 21-23** Crossfire Philippines



“Reach the World” camp in Mindanao

- **May 16-24** Crossfire mission from Israel to Turkey
- **May 11-13** Crossfire Thailand “Reach the World” camp and implementations in Chang Mai
- **June 1-3** Crossfire Laos “Reach the World” camp and leadership training

Summer and Fall 2023

- **June 22-24** Crossfire Cambodia “Reach the World” camp, evangelism, and implementations in new churches

- **July 6-8** Crossfire Kenya, Uganda, and Tanzania “Reach the World” camps and leadership training
- **Aug 1-3** Crossfire El Salvador “Alcanzar el Mundo” camp and leadership training in Olocuilta.
- **Sept 7-9** Crossfire “Reach the World” camp in Thailand.
- **Oct 7** Crossfire Peru “Alcanzar el Mundo” crusade in Callao/Lima
- **Oct 14** Crossfire El Salvador “Alcanzar el Mundo” crusade in Zacatecaluca
- **Nov 9-11** Crossfire Burma “Reach the World” camp and leadership training
- **Nov 18** Crossfire Nicaragua “Alcanzar el Mundo” crusade in Leon.
- **Dec 16** Crossfire El Salvador “Alcanzar el Mundo” crusade in Monte Cinco



Invitation to partner with Crossfire International

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