



New City Kids

loving kids for change

You can't miss it. It's in our name; and it's in the mission – "Loving kids for change." From the beginning it's been all about kids.

And not just kids in the abstract – but the incredible individuals who are here 240 days a year to learn, lead, worship, and grow. Teens and children, known by name, becoming part of a community where they are not passive recipients but builders, participants, and change agents. I'd like to introduce you to a few of them so that they can share about their experience at New City Kids:



MEET THE KIDS OF PATERSON



JULY 2013

Began initial conversations about plant.

JAN 2014

Started meeting with potential partner organizations and community stakeholders.

SEPT 2015

New City Kids opens its first Paterson After School Center!

MARCH 2016

Longing for Home benefit at Cornerstone Church.

JULY 2016

Ran first Summer Camp. Started building new classrooms and performance space.

SEPT 2016

Year 2! Added spots to After School Center and hired more Paterson teens, serving 80 youth a day.



JANAE, 10
INTERMEDIATE DRUMS
 "MY CLASS INSPIRES ME. I'VE NEVER SEEN A GIRL DRUM TEACHER BEFORE – IT'S USUALLY BOYS. IT'S CRAZY! I WANT TO WORK AT NEW CITY KIDS ONE DAY AND BE AN ASSISTANT TEAM LEADER LIKE KAYLA."

I know you love kids too. Because of your heart for youth, you've invested in their lives through this ministry. We could never have launched without your prayers, volunteer support, and financial partnership. We have touched the lives of the kids above – and the 100+ more we've reached since launching last September – and we could not have done it without you.

The average gift to New City Kids last year was \$480. Whether you faithfully gave \$5 a month or you sponsored a Teen Life Internship for \$5,500, your gift mattered. Your gift enabled us to walk alongside children. Thanks to your generosity, we were able to serve 55 youth every day.

This year, we are serving an additional 25 youth - over 40% more than last year. Would you partner with us and consider growing your support of New City Kids as we have grown to serve almost 80 youth a day? Whatever you are able to contribute, would you partner with us and enable us to continue touching the lives of children like Darlyn, Nadirah, and Ashaunti?

Thank you, and Merry Christmas!

Jeremy Jerschina
 Executive Director, Paterson
 New City Kids

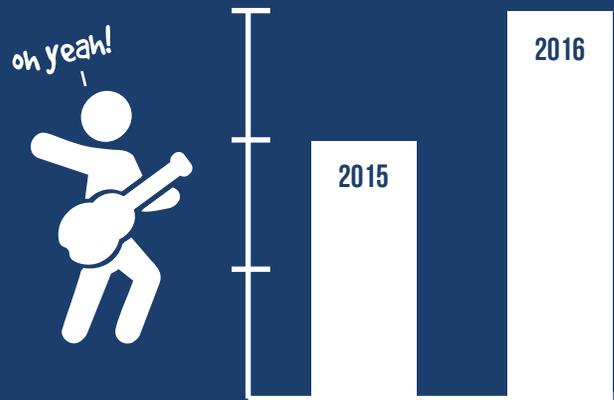
SAVE THE DATE

For New City Kids' 2017 Spring Production on April 1st, 2017.

You don't want to miss the incredibly talented kids and teens of New City Kids performing live music, skits, dance, and more.

PATERSON AT A GLANCE

SERVING 40% MORE YOUTH SINCE LAST YEAR!



13 OF 23 TEENS HAVE BEEN SPONSORED - ONLY 10 TO GO!



34 OF 57 KIDS IN AFTER SCHOOL CENTER STILL NEED SPONSORSHIP.

MAKE A DIFFERENCE

- \$35/mo - Support an After School Center scholarship.
- \$650 - Invest in a child's New City Kids experience.
- \$2,500 - Sponsor an After School Center child for the whole year.
- Donate appreciated assets. Email jeremy@newcitykids.org for more info.

DOUBLE YOUR IMPACT



Want your gift to go further? See if your employer will match your gift, up to 2x by visiting www.newcitykids.org/matching.