

Update #202304 – JOURNEY TO 28



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CRISTIANA *Cambiando
Generaciones*
de Palacaguina



Palacaguina Christian Academy

Changing a Generation

"Where there is no vision, the people perish." – Proverbs 29:18 (KJV)

"Now to him who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine." – Ephesians 3:20 (NIV)

This month's update is all about one thing: Journey to 28 and the future of PCA.

THE ASK: ONE MILLION DOLLARS (\$1,000,000)

Asking for help is hard. Asking people for money and support has been and continues to be the most difficult thing we will ever do. It goes against our nature and it goes against our strong, human will to be self-sufficient and self-made. But the truth is, real Christianity is vulnerable. Real Christianity is not afraid to admit that we need others and more importantly that we need God's help to complete the work God has prepared for us to do. And we have learned it is wrong not to ask. Because not asking takes away the opportunity for others to receive the blessing of partnering with God in what He is doing. We are told in the Bible that if we ask, we will receive. James says the reason we do not have is because we do not ask God. We do not have \$1,000,000. Most of you reading this, do not have \$1,000,000. But God does. And we know that God's will is to complete this school. He has confirmed it, and He continues to make the way. He continues to use all of us, in spite of our weaknesses and shortcomings, to impact a generation of children and their families in Palacaguina for the Kingdom.

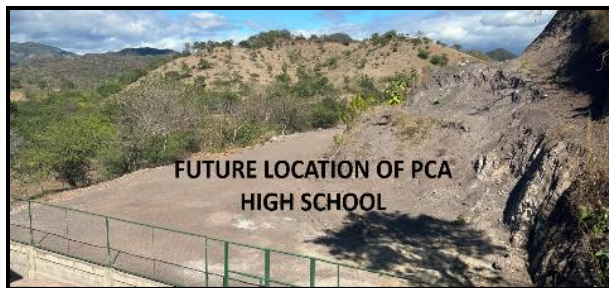
So...by faith, we are putting out **"the ask"**. We believe God will do more than we can ever ask or imagine. And we believe that it will only happen when we decide to be obedient and ask. This is our ask of you:

Join us in being obedient and ask. Ask those in your circle to join this effort to finish PCA and build the High School. I know, and I believe, that through our asking, God will move hearts and it will be done in Jesus' name.

And God will do it because of our obedience and because we ask. AMEN? AMEN!

"Ask and it will be given to you." – Matthew 7:7 (NIV)

"You do not have because you do not ask God." – James 4:2 (NIV)



... because they are worth it!!!

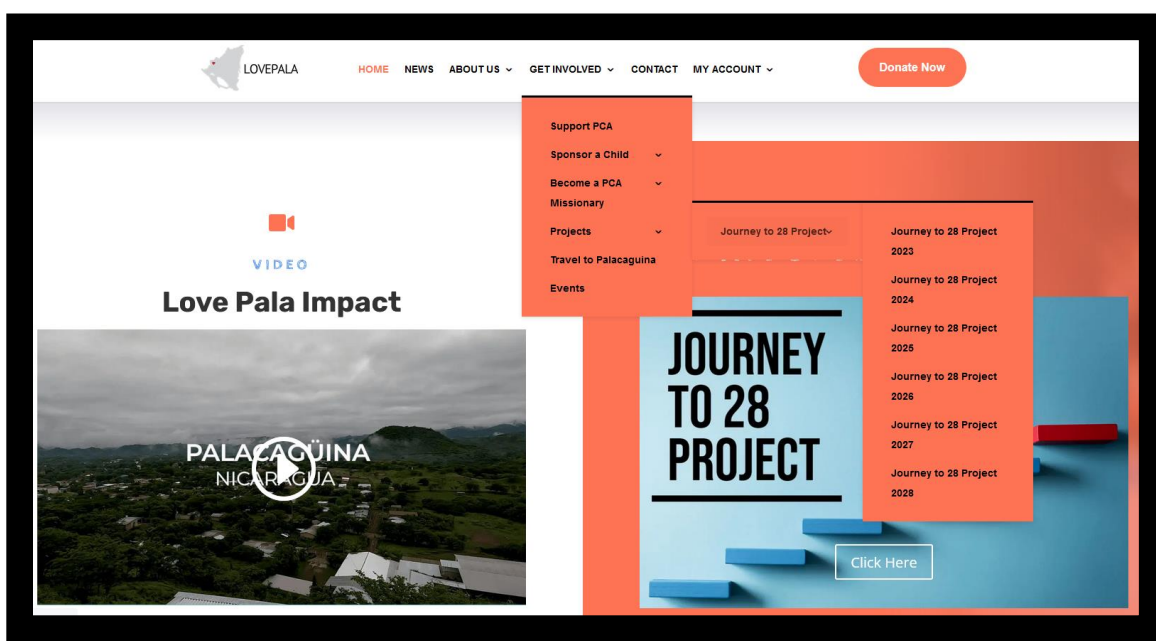


WHAT CAN YOU DO

- 1) **FIRST AND FOREMOST**, you can **PRAY**. Pray for God to open hearts and doors.
- 2) **SHARE** with your tribe. And keep sharing. Persistence and diligence is key.
- 3) **HOST** a gathering. Invite others to hear the ask and become involved.
- 4) Initiate a **CROWD SOURCING** campaign in your social networks.
- 5) **CONNECT** me with your church or organization.
- 6) **COMMIT** personally to Journey to 28.

SHARABLE, UPDATED WEBSITE

Easily share the website and Journey to 28: <https://lorepala.com/journey-to-28-project/>



THE REALITY

I am going to be straight with you, this is a very serious and pivotal moment for PCA. And we ask you for your prayers to reflect the very real reality that if the funds are not raised, then it absolutely will not happen. And without a PCA High School, our students will have nowhere to go to continue their journey. Please pray and please share. We believe God has great things in store, but it is going to take us all doing our part. Amen!



2023 PROJECTS AND GOALS IN DETAIL

- Operational Deficit - \$34,000
 - Finish PCA – ULTIMATE GOAL of \$1,000,000 (\$130,000 needed in 2023)
 - Step 1: \$5,000 to complete dirt work (**MET**)
 - Step 2: \$6,000 to install first foundational wall
 - Step 3: \$30,000 – Administration building part A
 - Step 4: \$25,000 – Infrastructure A (Bathrooms, Water System, etc)
 - Step 5: \$36,000 – Complete initially required classrooms
 - Step 6: \$28,000 – Initial hiring of minimal staff
- <This is minimally what needs to be completed in 23’>

JOURNEY TO 28 PROJECT YEARLY BREAKDOWN

2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028
\$130K	\$154K	\$193K	\$182K	\$174K	\$166K
Ground Work	7 th Grade	8 th Grade	9 th Grade	10 th Grade	11 th Grade

Matthew 19:26 says “*With man this is impossible, but **with God all things are possible.***”

PRAYER REQUESTS

- ❖ Please pray for our staff to grow as a team and build a strong culture at PCA.
- ❖ Please pray for the families and students of PCA that they will feel God’s love through us.
- ❖ Please pray for the future of PCA, and our next big steps in this journey.
- ❖ Please pray for our 5 new teachers and new chaplain; Pray for success and favor.
- ❖ Please pray that God will provide to meet our deficit (\$34K) and critical projects.
- ❖ Please pray that God will provide the \$130,000 we need for the High School in 2023.



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PCA At-a-glance

Number of total Students: 211

2023 Grades: P-K3, P-K4, Kinder, 1st- 6th Grade

Full-Time Jobs: School (25)

Current Project: Deficit, High School Yr 1

Current Project Needs: \$34K + \$130K

Children Needing Sponsors: 104

Construction/Uniform Jobs: 3

Total Meals Fed (2023): 8,328

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