



John Richardson

TRAILHEAD CHURCH (WELLINGTON)

About the Family

After planting a church in California and another in Mississippi, we thought we were moving out of our church planting years. However, after pastoring the church plant in Mississippi for seven years, God surprised us with a new adventure.

We took a vision tour to Colorado in March 2015, and God made it clear that He wanted us to relocate to the small, growing community of Wellington. So, we immediately listed our home for sale and within a month were looking at new homes in Wellington. God graciously cared for our family as we said goodbye to friends and moved. Our three young girls (ages 11, 10 and 7) struggled with the idea of moving, but adjusted beautifully to Colorado.

Today J.D. (John's wife) is establishing relationships all over town, and their girls are thriving. Presley, the youngest, was baptized in June 2016 at the Richardson's home, and about 40 mostly unchurched neighbors and friends came for the celebration.

About the Church Plant

Trailhead Church is on target to begin public services in early 2017. The church was blessed with the opportunity to lease a building in the heart of Wellington, which will serve as its initial home.

A "trailhead" is the gathering spot and beginning of a hiking trail. The vision of Trailhead is one of journeying together to demonstrate the love of God to every new resident of Wellington—which is growing exponentially—and to immerse every member in the Jesus way of life.

As Wellington continues to grow rapidly, we hope to see it grow from 10 percent churched to an entire town that largely seeks God's kingdom.

Find out how you can

Pray.

Participate.

Provide.

PRAY.

- Since everything rises and falls on prayer, we need prayer warriors!
- Pray with us for leaders and funding. We need long-term partners.
- Pray we would find the right mix of leaders and potential missionaries from those we are discipling.

PARTICIPATE.

Contact us and we can start praying together about how you could participate: by sending missions teams to help with block parties, prayerwalking and children's events.

PROVIDE.

There are numerous ways to help a church plant. Please visit sendnetwork.com/planterfunding for NAMB's policy on providing for church plants.

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