

# Jungle Church on Mission

ACCOMPLISHING THE GREAT COMMISSION IN THE AMAZON



## The Need

**The Amazon remains one of the largest mission fields in the world, with 80% of the state of Amazonas still lacking any Gospel presence.** The vastness of the jungle and the remoteness of its communities present significant challenges, but the need for the Gospel is urgent.

**Through our Jungle Pastor Conferences, we currently train and equip over 200 pastors and their wives each year, building a growing network of churches and leaders.** Many of these pastors have expressed a deep desire to lead their congregations on mission trips to unreached areas of the Amazon. These local churches are uniquely positioned to bring the Good News to their neighbors, but they often lack the resources to make these trips possible.

**To meet this need, we have committed to funding four jungle church mission trips each year.** By providing access to The Discovery, our ministry boat, along with fuel and a crew, we enable local churches to take on this vital work. The churches contribute the people, cooks, and food for the trips, but they need our support to overcome the logistical and financial barriers of reaching these remote areas.



## The Impact

**The jungle church mission trips empower local river churches to bring the Gospel to the most remote areas of the Amazon, transforming lives and entire communities.** Pastors we have trained, like Esdras and Rildo, have already led trips to unreached regions, introducing people to the Good News for the first time. Through their efforts, new believers are connected to the broader network of pastors and our Jungle Pastor Conferences, ensuring they continue to grow in faith and discipleship.

**These trips extend the reach of the Gospel to places beyond our direct access, advancing our call as Christ-followers to spread the Good News far and wide.** By mobilizing local churches, we also strengthen the faith and leadership of their pastors and congregations. The impact is profound—changing lives, building community, and ensuring even the most isolated people encounter God's love.

Scan the QR code to read about Pastor Rildo's trip.



## The Cost

**For the next 5 years we are committed to send out 4 indigenous mission teams each year. The cost for the trips plus maintenance for the Discovery boat is \$30,000 each year.**

**A total of \$150,000 for 5 years.**



## About JMI

Justice and Mercy International is a faith-based organization that primarily works in Moldova in Eastern Europe and in the Amazon region of Brazil. Since 2008, we have created Gospel-centered life change for the poor, the vulnerable, and the forgotten. Our work is locally implemented through indigenous staff on the ground. In Moldova, we prioritize caring for children living in poverty and teens at risk of human trafficking. Through training and equipping jungle pastors in the Amazon, we help Gospel transformation happen in one of the world's most remote and untouched places.

## An Organization You Can Trust

83%  
PROGRAM

7%  
GENERAL  
ADMINISTRATIVE

10%  
FUNDRAISING



### WHY JMI IS A WISE INVESTMENT

Recognizing God as the source of all we have, we remain committed to stewarding the resources entrusted to us. JMI is accredited by the Evangelical Council for Financial Accountability and has received Guidestar's platinum rating again for 2024.

In 2024 83% of JMI's total operating expenses were used for programs that benefit children, families, and communities in need.



## What JMI Accomplished

IN 2024

256

JUNGLE PASTORS  
TRAINED

1,164

CHILDREN + TEENS  
SPONSORED

1,141

BIBLES  
DISTRIBUTED

24,955

FOOD BAGS  
DISTRIBUTED

3,411

HYGIENE SUPPLIES  
DISTRIBUTED

285

VILLAGES  
SERVED

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