



World Relief Minnesota is Now



**Arrive
Ministries**

Serving Refugee & Immigrant Neighbors Together

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World Relief Minnesota has become **Arrive Ministries** to more accurately reflect who we are as we serve the many refugees, immigrants and asylees who arrive and now call Minnesota home. Our name has changed, our organization has not.

Arrive Ministries will continue our long partnership with World Relief Corporation (Baltimore, MD) in its worldwide community development efforts. As our partnership with World Relief Corporate continues in the arena of refugee resettlement, we also remain a Christian organization that addresses the unique needs of refugees and immigrants in the Twin Cities and throughout Minnesota.

We renew our dedication to carry out God's command to welcome and bring lifelong transformation to refugees and immigrants in Minnesota as we collaborate with churches and community members providing compassionate support to uprooted refugees, asylees and immigrants.

Today there are more refugees in Minnesota per capita than in any other state in the U.S. Every year, from more than 20 countries, 4,000 new refugees arrive and resettle to Minnesota because of its economic opportunities, public and private support and its generally welcoming environment.

Arrive Ministries provides a guiding compass on the journey our refugee families face as they navigate their new home by providing holistic support through our church volunteer teams. Together, we restore lives, help with housing, employment services, English language classes, immigrant legal services, citizenship classes, church refugee gardens and so much more.

Arrive Ministries is called to see these refugees and immigrants transformed economically, socially and spiritually. By partnering with the local church and our dedicated volunteers, we help uprooted people find community, new opportunities, purpose and belonging in Minnesota.

Arrive Ministries has resettled over 700 refugees in Minnesota in the past two years. This past year we resettled our 9,000th refugee. Moreover, each year we place more than 100 refugees in jobs, help several hundred with refugee cash assistance and provide immigration and legal services to another 1,000 individuals. In addition, we partner with over 50 Twin Cities churches and hundreds of volunteers to provide tutoring, English language training, resettlement support and friendship to refugees across the metro area and beyond.

– Bob Oehrig, Executive Director
Arrive Ministries

ABOUT THE NEW ARRIVE MINISTRIES BRANDMARK:

The Star: to navigate (find the way home), used by wisemen to find Jesus

The Circle: A symbol of wholeness and our holistic approach

The Compass: Arrive Ministries is a “guiding compass” on the refugee’s journey

Minnesota: The star of the north (yellow) where our new neighbors find peace, stability and friendship.

Arrive Ministries is an affiliate of Transform Minnesota, an evangelical network of churches from across the state.

For information about Arrive Ministries and the important work we do in Minnesota, visit arriveministries.org or contact us: info@arriveministries.org, 612.798.4332.