



THE GAP COLLECTIVE

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Network Night

The Network Night that was hosted at El Paso's very own office spot, One:One was a stepping stone for The Gap Collective. We connected and created fellowship, as well as, the collaborated ideas for three future projects. Again, we want to thank One:One for the use of their amazing facility, as well as the food that was generously donated by Berenice Velasquez, a local caterer known by Bere's Kitchen. We are honored and blessed with our members, volunteers, and our community supporters. As we see in Psalm 55:14 "We who had sweet fellowship together Walked in the house of God in the throng".

*A collective of creatives
and leaders who partner
together to lead our
communities in the love of
God.*

Welcome to the very third newsletter from the Gap Collective! In these newsletters, you can stay up-to-date on all the happenings that are going on with the Collective. One of the beauties that I have come to appreciate is that not everyone gets to experience what I experience as the Executive Assistant, nor any of our staff. People only see what we market, push, and what people participate in. Through these newsletters on this blog page, you can hear and see some of the inner workings that we come to appreciate.

"To I'm so very grateful to be part of TGC, I know God is going to use us all in big ways and I'm excited to see where he takes each and every one of us.

- Brittany Navarro

Arise Night

We are excited to say we have almost completed the planning process of our next Arise Night. As our approach, we have had the pleasure of working with gifted musicians and supportive business partners. As the winter season approaches the worship team envisions a night of acoustic and passionate worship in a welcoming, soothing and engaging setting. Arise Night is a special time where there are no constraints or timely schedule of a typical service but rather where the Holy Spirit leads us. We typically don't have a sermon or teaching time, they tend to be more expressive, the music tends to be fuller, and the prayer and fellowship seems to increase dramatically. We are extremely excited to see what the Holy Spirit will do for the unchurched and church community of El Paso.

Creative Night

Artist, Jeremiah Navarro, will be hosting our first Creative Member Night. We are implementing these internal groups to better our fellowship with one another and collaborate our creative minds. We also have a couple exciting community opportunities to share.



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"The one thing I love about this ministry is we're like one big family and we get to be ourselves for the Lord and with one another. There is no judgment!

- Maya Gomez

Member Forum

We Newest member, Michelle Barragan hosted Sacred Garden on Sunday at Paseo Church. This is what she had to say:

"Sacred Garden came from a vision I had from The Holy Spirit... God showed me different facets of the heart of man and how the heart of man is like a garden and I saw some people's hearts full of weeds... some hearts abandon...gardens were frozen and somewhere burnt up.

Then I saw people that had beautiful and voluminous hearts... and then God showed me what heart I have and he showed me what it looks like as a garden and I made that presentation in an art show and I made 20 pieces that represent the garden of my heart."

UTEP Celebrates: El Paso Made

We are excited to say The Gap Collective will be making its first known appearance at UTEP's College of Business. The Gap Collective is made up of many community leaders and UTEP alumni so this opportunity is special to us as we call El Paso home. The Founder of The Gap Collective, Daniel will be discussing the inspiration and vision he received for this organization and how he managed to pursue this initiative while managing a full-time student schedule, healthy marriage, volunteer work at Del Sol Youth, and work at FedEx Express. Internship and job opportunities will be available on sight.

Tattoo Outreach

One of the members, James Buster, along with community support will be hosting another Tattoo Outreach. It will be a community event where artists come together to offer free selected tattoos during the Christmas season as well as prayer and outreach. It will be hosted on December 22nd at Ink Society of El Paso.

El Elyon's Conference

Three Gap Members, Jacob Kinsey, Maya Gómez, and Fernie Elguea were invited to lead the worship for the event that featured representation from multiple churches throughout the El Paso area. The event featured local guest speaker Kristin Velazquez as well as other community church leaders. Worship was led by The Gap Collective and culminated into a message that rocks the very core of the women in attendance, multiple people were prayed for, many accepted Jesus Christ as their Lord and savior for the first time as Velazquez brought the word that evening. After speaking with an attendee after the event she mentioned that although her Spanish was personally limited she had no doubt that God was present in the time of worship, prayer and rededication!