



2023 Reach Mallorca

Outreach News

250 people took part in our Reach Mallorca Outreach 2023 and all the places were quickly filled, making it the largest outreach we've ever had. We didn't just have more people joining us this year, but also more outreach locations, which means that our outreach went to Ballermann and beyond! Some groups went to the British party zone in Magaluf to evangelise, others spent four days in Ibiza or Lloret de Mar. On one occasion, a woman gave us her party boat to take tourists for a ride. There was also an outreach in Cala Rajada and Palma, and of course, outreaches throughout the night with the Street Angels, and in the red light district.

After a day of preparation and training, we met every morning for workshops, and then in the late afternoon, we had our teaching and worship sessions, where we fervently prayed for all the outreaches. In the evenings, we held a total of 14 beach services, right in front of the biggest beer hall called „Mega-Park“ with seating for 7,000 people.

The things we experienced during the outreach are hard to put into words. Heaven was open and so were the hearts of the people we met. We thank God for the many personal encounters, healings, decisions and of course, the 17 baptisms. He did amazing things, and we are so, so grateful to him for everything. We were supported by more than 1,400 people in several WhatsApp prayer groups. Unfortunately, we can't tell you all the stories, but we don't want you to miss out on some of the highlights.

Atmosphere visibly changed

The atmosphere at the beach services became gradually more open, calmer and more reverent. Before our programme began, a man was already kneeling on the pavement praying by himself. After a THE FOUR sermon, more than 20 people came to stand in

front of the cross – among them was a whole group wearing shirts advertising pornography.

A muscular man with tattoos was standing alone at the beach service - sober, but still hardly able to speak. He kept stammering: „Wow, this love“, and had goose bumps and tears in his eyes. He found it hard to believe what he was experiencing there.

A group of girls sat crying at the beach service. I brought them a tissue and prayed for them. Then I asked someone in the group whether they had ever had anything to do with God. She said: „No, but now that I've experienced this, I think there must be something.“ We then swapped phone numbers.

«What
you are doing is exactly
what the world needs!»

Tourist

After a German family left the Megapark in shock, they came to our beach service and were very touched and open. They had never heard the gospel and everything that was said was completely new to them.

God even makes the blind to see

I had the opportunity to pray for an Italian man, who had a broken rib and God healed him.

One man, who was blind in one eye, sat on the miracle chair and I prayed for him to be healed. After my prayer, he could see better. And after I prayed for him a second time, his eyesight was completely restored! He couldn't hold back the tears and I was able to explain the gospel to him and give him a Bible.



Dying with Jesus, living with Jesus

A friend of a man who RMS students had been in contact with for months opened up to God when they talked to him about being a Christian. He confessed his sins and immediately got baptised in the sea at Magaluf! They were able to see him being born again.

A mother and her daughter, who were already interested in the beach services in 2019, came back and made a decision for Jesus. We were also able to put them in contact with a church. This year, they openly confirmed their decision to follow Jesus by getting baptised at Ballermann.

Open doors in the red light district

Our teams were allowed to visit three brothels in one day to bring God's love to the prostitutes through words, prayers and actions. We arranged to read the Bible with one woman and another woman told us she wanted to quit. Thanks to our partnership with a local Red Light Ministry, we'll be able to place her in a safe house!

«This has been the highlight of our entire year!»

Visitor to Beach service

One of our teams went to Magaluf to help women involved in prostitution. But they "only" found six women on the street there. At first, the team was a bit disappointed because there wasn't much to do. The leader of the team, who lives on the island as a missionary, suddenly realised that she had been praying since March that the women would no longer be able or willing to do this kind of work. The fact that they didn't meet many women on the streets was an unbelievable answer to prayer for the team.

Hundreds of visitors to our services

One man watched the entire service after taking his drunk friends back to the hotel. After talking to some team members, he also wanted to experience the freedom that Jesus gives, and so we went to the cross together and he asked God for forgiveness and let the Holy Spirit work on his heart! Now we are moving on together in a discipleship relationship.

«I'll never be the same again!»

Outreach participant

A girl was lying on a wall. She was sick to her stomach. I was able to hold her, help her and tell her how valuable and loved she is. She felt so ashamed and embarrassed and told me that heaven had sent me. Later, she came to the service and had tears in her eyes. She said to me: "God really sent you into my life!"

Before and after the service I spoke to a couple, told them my story and they asked me about the four symbols. I explained THE FOUR to them. The man started to cry and said he felt such an incredible love working in him. His girlfriend also said with tears in her eyes: „We've been together for ten years, but I've never seen you like this!" He said he felt a strong urge to go forward to the cross and give his life to Jesus but knew it would cost him his job. We prayed together in front of the cross - he said he would go away and carefully consider the cost of discipleship and come back the next day. Sure enough, he came back the next day and said he had thought it over. They both made an uncompromising decision to follow Jesus and are now in contact with an outreach participant and a church where they live. He said: „Many more people need to hear this message! Let's livestream it."





One man was dancing energetically during our warm-up programme. I was able to translate the service into his native language and he was moved to tears by what he heard. I prayed for him and was able to tell him that God loves him. He immediately felt an inner peace and he was certain that he had received God's forgiveness. He said that he didn't want to hurt others anymore and wanted to give his life to God.

«I don't want to carry on drinking. I'd rather go to my hotel, read the Bible, and get to know God better.»

Tourist

One family came to our beach services several times. The father was moved by what he heard, and I was able to explain the entire gospel to him. He wanted to know Jesus and so we prayed together. He immediately ordered a Bible on Amazon, and we swapped telephone numbers, so I could accompany him on his journey with Jesus.

Media coverage went "viral"

This year's outreach received huge media coverage and over 100 media outlets reported on Reach Mallorca. Even the German Press Agency (dpa) published an article. And Germany's Bild tabloid even devoted a whole page to the Reach Mallorca Outreach in its print edition with a circulation of 2 million newspapers. Also, it's still a mystery to us how the news got as far as America, Poland, Brazil and Taiwan.

The BILD newspaper article inspired a man who lives on the island to come to the service. He watched the first beach service and we had a good chat. He then wanted to leave but ended up staying for the second service. He decided to go to the cross and give his life to Jesus.

A group of young women came because they found out over the radio that we were going to hold a beach service. After that, they wanted to come every single evening.

Reach outreach at multiple locations

I got into a conversation with a German man who was actually attending a free church. But here in Lloret de Mar he started taking drugs because of peer pressure. After we talked and prayed together, he was so encouraged that he wanted to live for Jesus again in a completely new and uncompromising way.

On the other side of the island, we helped to organise a reconciliation service between five churches that had fallen out with each other. A man who couldn't speak any Spanish was able to understand the entire service as if it was his native language - without an interpreter!

«Malleluja! Baptism instead of Booze.»

BILD headline

People want to follow Jesus

After the sermon, I went to the cross with a man and he gave his life to Jesus. We prayed for freedom from addiction. He then wrote to his girlfriend in Germany: „You won't believe what just happened here, I met God!" Now I'm going to help him find a church.

I was on the prayer team one evening and a woman caught my eye, so I began to pray that she would run into the Father's arms. When the altar call came at the end of the sermon, she actually went to the cross at the front. It was just unbelievable!

After the sketch, but still during the service, a woman went straight to the cross, knelt down and prayed.



After four months of prayer and many conversations between our RMS students and the head promoter from Magaluf, someone had the impression that he would make a decision that evening. At their first meeting, he laughed at them and said that his life couldn't be better! But that same day, he actually invited Jesus into his life with a sincere heart! He started to read the Bible and prayed: "Jesus, I want to love you more - fulfil your plan for my life!"

«A guy two heads taller than me broke down sobbing in my arms while I prayed for him.»

RMS leader

Jesus really sets people free

At dawn, we met a woman in the park. She wasn't feeling well and just wanted to fly home because she'd had a fight with her boyfriend. So, we accompanied her to her hotel room to collect her things. I had a serious talk with her boyfriend. I told him that violence was an absolute no-go and that men should protect women. Surprisingly, the two made up and they wanted to meet up with us for a breakfast drink. We were able to explain the gospel to them and they invited Jesus into their lives and relationship. Together, we agreed that violence should end there and then - with God's help.

Some people taking part in the outreach went to a café in Magaluf. Suddenly, the Holy Spirit started to move, and everyone was praying like there was no tomorrow. This led to one participant being healed of coeliac disease and then eating bread and celebrating all night!



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While setting up for the beach service, a man came up to me and asked a question about faith. When I explained, he burst into tears and told me his life story. I read Romans 6 to him, and he confessed his sins, threw away his beer and turned his back on alcohol. He already knew Jesus but went to the cross with me and laid everything down at Jesus' feet again. I prayed for his back pain and Jesus healed him after he had repented! I talked to him for a long time afterwards.

A young man was encouraged at home by his sister to believe in Jesus. The encounter he had here with God completely confirmed his decision and he invited Jesus into his heart.

A man was standing there all alone, as if drawn by a heavenly atmosphere. I asked him if he believed in God. He replied that he didn't know if he could believe because he was going through difficulties. Then he came to the first beach service and was almost overwhelmed with amazement and excitement. And when I asked him if he wanted to live with and for Jesus, he replied: „Yes of course! You're going to see me at the rest of the services here!"

We had two impressions for a woman that we then shared with her. She was amazed and said that they really spoke into her life! She told us that she was hearing demonic voices accusing her in her head. We offered to pray for her and asked her if she wanted to follow Jesus. She said yes! While we prayed for her, her head shook and turned until the evil spirits left her. We met up the next day and she told us she was now completely free.

«Please pray for me to find meaning in my life»

Crying tourist

Praise the Lord and thank you!

We want to praise God for everything he has done! All the glory belongs to him! And thank you so much for the interest you've shown, your prayers, financial support and maybe we'll see you next year?

1.

Come and be a part of Reach Mallorca next year between 31st July and 11th August 2024

2.

Encourage someone to take part in our five-month Reach Mallorca Bible School (RMS)

3.

Be a part of the answers to our prayers by giving generously, so that we can buy the RMS centre at the end of the year

4.

Dedicate your life to God and pray for courage and opportunities to share the gospel in your everyday life

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