

### AREA MINISTRIES

The scripture that guides Area Ministry offices at Joni and Friends comes from Luke 14:22. It is Christ speaking when he says, “Go out quickly into the streets and alleys of the town and bring in the poor, the crippled, the blind and the lame.” He goes on to say, “Go out into the roads and country lanes and compel them to come in, so that my house will be full.” Joni and Friends Area Ministry offices are on an exciting adventure and invite all to join “so that God’s house will indeed be full!”

Area Ministry offices provide exciting opportunities for disability ministry to be carried out through the body of Christ internationally, nationally, regionally and in local communities. Irresistible Church training, provided by these offices, offers resources and ongoing support to churches beginning or expanding disability ministries. In addition, Joni and Friends offices host workshops, conferences and a variety of equipping opportunities for like-minded organizations and neighboring communities.

Kinetic programs such as *Family Retreat*, *Wheels for the World* and local ministry outreaches offer volunteers the opportunity to serve individuals and families affected by disability providing the practical help and sharing the love and hope of Christ.

Joni and Friends has Area Ministry offices throughout the country. Please visit <http://www.joniandfriends.org/area-ministries/> for the most recent listing of offices. For information on how you or your church can be involved in the Irresistible Church movement, please visit <http://irresistiblechurch.org/>.