

Please join us to hear an inspiring journey!

“Jesus made me do it!”

Presenter - Elizabeth Wellendorf, RN

Missionary serving at Hogar Nino Dios Home in Bethlehem.

Where: Our Lady of Lourdes Church, 2110 S 32nd Ave.

When: January 2, 2025 at 7pm

Elizabeth cares for special needs children at the home.



Elizabeth Wellendorf was born and raised Catholic in Omaha, Nebraska. She attended Christ the King school and then Duchesne Academy of the Sacred Heart. Elizabeth graduated from Spring Hill College in 2018 with a Bachelors in Nursing and started working as an Critical Care Nurse. When the COVID pandemic hit, she saw the needs of nursing willing to travel and be on the frontlines in the hard hit areas. At the end of the pandemic, she once again packed her bags but this time went across the world to be a volunteer in Bethlehem. God called her in the summer of 2022 on her pilgrimage in the Holy Lands, to a home for special needs children, called Hogar Nino Dios. There she has served the past year and a half and will continue to do so this upcoming year.

“Why would a young woman leave a high paying nursing job in Hawaii to go to volunteer in a home for special needs in Bethlehem? Why would I give up everything to live a life of poverty across the world? Why would I continue to work in a war zone, where I could come back to the US and do the same thing? Well, Jesus made me do it. I give what I have and God has multiplied it 10 fold. I am a nobody, but God sees me as a somebody that he wants to use to help change the world.”