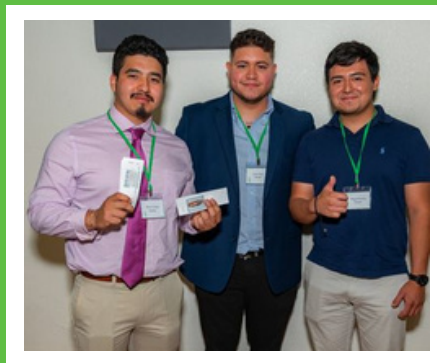




ISKALI

ANNUAL REPORT

2023





LEADERSHIP

Here in Iskali, we strive to care for the needs of the whole person through retreats to awaken faith, consistent community support, professional development, mentorship, and scholarships. Our hope is to provide a path for them to reach their full potential and flourish as a person.

I am also very excited to share with you that we would be embarking on a Capital Campaign, entitled Investing in Our Future, to inspire young people to actively participate in the life of the Church. Ultimately, this campaign is to raise the funds needed so that we can step boldly into the future as we continue to live out our mission. During the program we will be sharing more information with you and we hope that you join us to reach our goals.

Thank you for your generosity and for coming together with us as we build a better future by investing in young people. May God bless you and Our Lady of Guadalupe cover you with her mantle always.

Vicente Del Real A.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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ABOUT ISKALI

Iskali aims to form, empower, and equip young Latinos to become transformative leaders.

OUR VALUES

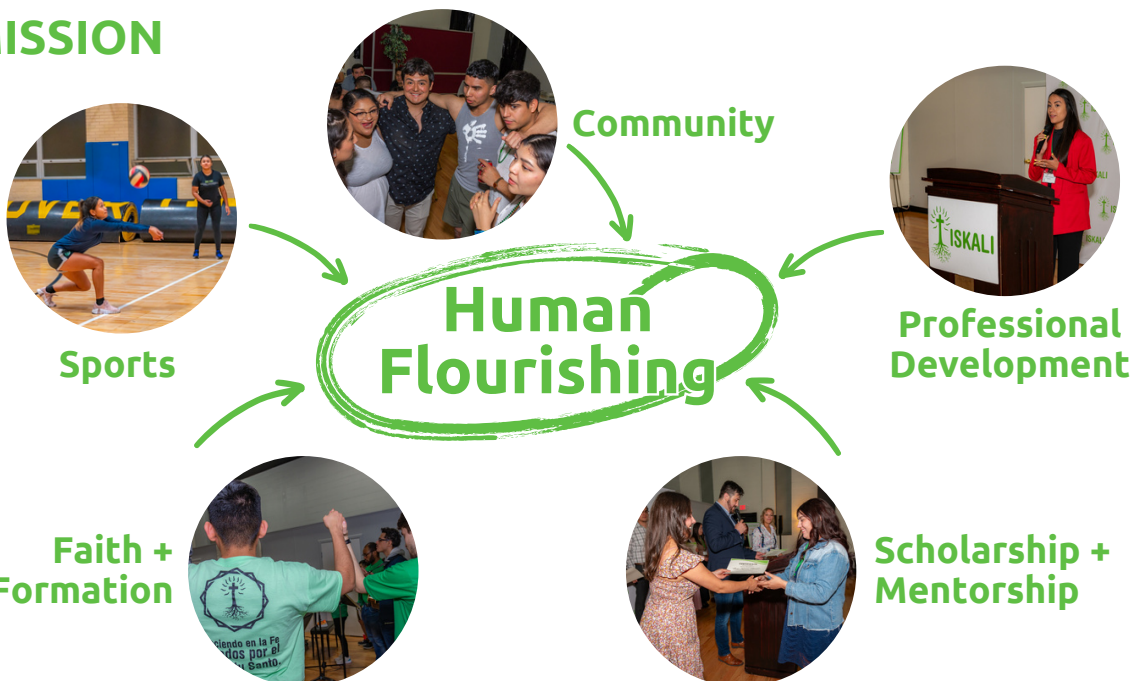
Belief. We believe in young people and in the power of faith and community to help them reach their full potential.

Empowerment. Through formation, education, and experience we are equipping young people as transformative leaders.

Welcome. Young Latinos have a relevant place and role in the church in the United States and deserve to be included and invested in.

Celebrate Culture. We recognize, value, respect, and celebrate the unique culture that Latinos hold and offer.

OUR MISSION



FORMING, EMPOWERING, AND EQUIPPING YOUNG LATINOS



COMMUNITY

Small communities: 13
Chicago: 10
Milwaukee: 2
Indianapolis: 1



FAITH + FORMATION

Young adult leaders who took formation classes: 40
Iskali retreat participants: 200
Leaders served the retreats: 88

SPORTS INITIATIVE

Young adults engaged in the sports programs: 200
Young players engaged in sports leagues: 100



Currently, 11% of low-income college students will graduate, only 22% of Latinos will obtain an associate's degree or higher and only 17% will obtain a bachelor's degree.

SCHOLARSHIP

Scholarships recipients: 39



LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT

Volunteered hours: 17,800
Young adults in leadership: 115



MENTORSHIP PROGRAM

Every college student who applies for the mentorship program, gets matched with a professional leader.



CASA ISKALI

Casa Iskali strives to be, “a space where everyone can feel welcomed, loved, forgiven, and encouraged” (Evangelli Gaudium, 114).



Casa Iskali, Our Lady of Guadalupe campus is a space for retreats, prayer, spiritual renewal, formation, and community.

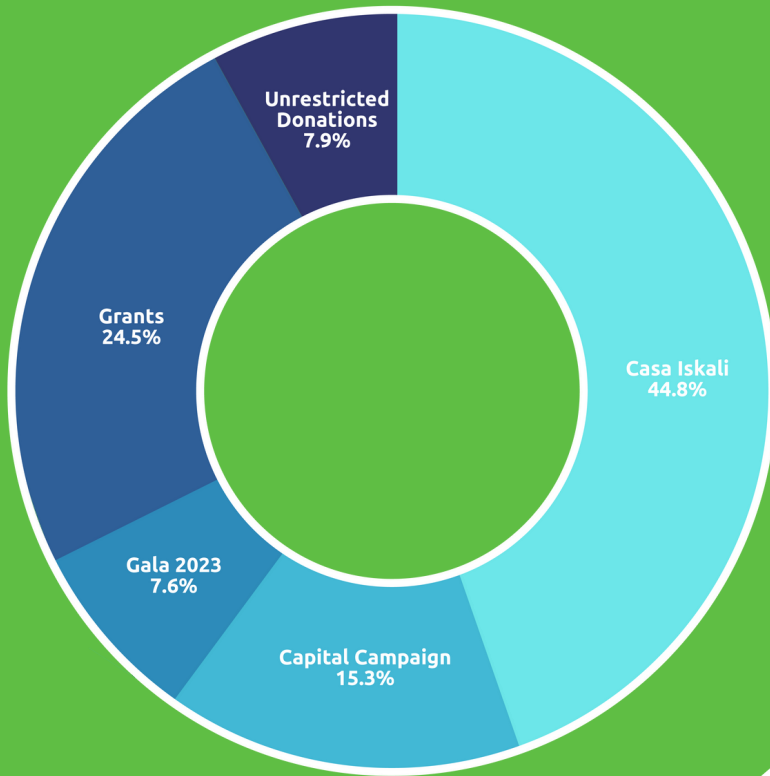


2023 IMPACT

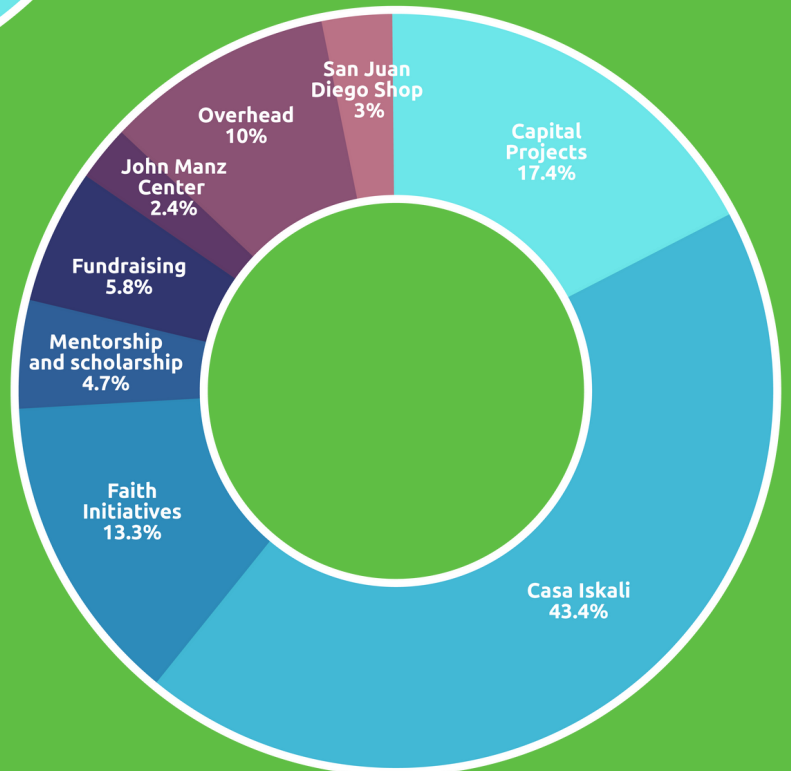
- 14,736 Plates served
- 3,336 Guests
- 83 Events
- 11 Iskali Events including retreats
- 33 Parishes and High School retreats

2023 FINANCIALS

REVENUE 1,307,050.99



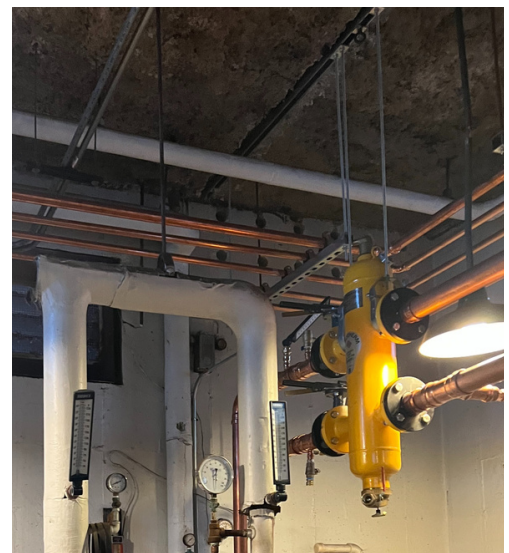
EXPENSES 1,488,618.13



CAPITAL PROJECTS

Heating System Replacement for Casa Iskali

This year we made a significant investment in Casa Iskali Our lady of Guadalupe Campus by replacing the complete heating system. The total investment of this project was \$271,000.00. Our new heating system has efficiency features that will help us save energy.



ISKALI THANKS YOU!



Thank you to all the individuals, families, businesses, and foundations who joined our mission through contribution and support throughout the year to continue reaching more young Latinos.





INVESTING IN OUR FUTURE

We have relied heavily on a strong volunteer base to run the organization and its programs. As Iskali grows, it has become necessary to:

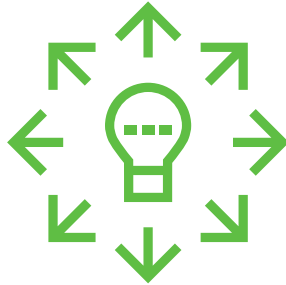
**Build
Capacity**



**Renovate Retreat
Center, Casa Iskali**



**Expand
Programing**





CASA ISKALI IMPROVEMENTS

- Enhanced Amenities
- Multi-purpose Spaces
- Aesthetics and Ambiance
- Chapel
- Meeting Spaces and Fireside Room
- Overnight Accommodations
- Heated Indoor Pool



EXPANDING PROGRAMS, BUILDING CAPACITY, AND STAFFING SUPPORT

- Evangelization and Retreats
- Discipleship Communities
- Mentorship Program
- Scholarship Fund
- Sports Program
- Formation and Service

