

PASTOR TIM CRUZ WAS BORN IN THE PHILIPPINES IN 1975. IN 1977, THE FAMILY MOVED TO SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA. TIM BECAME AN AUSTRALIAN CITIZEN AND GREW UP IN AUSTRALIA 'TIL THE AGE OF 13. IN 1989 THE FAMILY MOVED TO SIMI VALLEY CALIFORNIA. PASTOR TIM SURRENDERED HIS LIFE TO THE LORD DURING HIS SENIOR YEAR OF HIGH SCHOOL AT ALPINE CAMP & CONFERENCE CENTER, FEBRUARY 2ND 1992. SIMI COVENANT CHURCH WAS INSTRUMENTAL TO HIS GROWTH IN JESUS. HE GRADUATED FROM POINT LOMA NAZARENE UNIVERSITY WITH A BIBLICAL STUDIES/THEOLOGY DEGREE IN 1997. AFTER GRADUATING HE SERVED AS YOUTH PASTOR AT COMMUNITY BAPTIST CHURCH FOR 4 YEARS IN LAKE ARROWHEAD CALIFORNIA. PASTOR TIM MARRIED SKYE (PADGETT) IN 2000. FROM THERE GOD CALLED THEM TO THOUSAND OAKS CALIFORNIA AS A YOUTH PASTOR/WORSHIP LEADER FOR 4 YEARS. DURING HIS TIME ON THE LOS ANGELES NAZ DISTRICT HE SERVED AS CAMP DIRECTOR FOR THE TEEN CAMPS.

IN 2003 THEY SERVED IN KANEOHE OAHU FOR 6 YEARS. PASTOR TIM SERVED AS YOUTH PASTOR/WORSHIP LEADER AND SCHOOL CHAPLAIN TO THE CHRISTIAN SCHOOL AT WINDWARD NAZARENE CHURCH/SCHOOL . THEY HAVE TWO CHILDREN, KAMRI AND KADEN CRUZ. IN 2009, THE LORD LED PASTOR TIM AND HIS FAMILY TO BE THE SENIOR PASTOR AT KAHULUI CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE ON THE ISLAND OF MAUI FOR 11 YEARS. DURING HIS TIME ON THE HAWAII PACIFIC NAZ DISTRICT HE SERVED AS NYI PRESIDENT FOR 6 YEARS. HE ALSO SERVED AS SDMI CHAIR FOR 3 YEARS. PASTOR TIM AND FAMILY MOVED TO VALLEJO CALIFORNIA AUGUST OF 2020. HE IS CURRENTLY THE SENIOR PASTOR AT VALLEJO NEW LIFE CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE AND ALSO NOR CAL NYI PRESIDENT.

PASTOR TIM STRIVES TO CENTERS HIS LIFE ON THE THREE C'S: ENJOYING AND GROWING IN YOUR RELATIONSHIP WITH OUR CHRIST, SERVING WITHIN THE CHURCH BODY, AND LIVING A LIFE OF OUTREACH WITHIN THE COMMUNITY. ON HIS FREE TIME HE ENJOYS TENNIS, STAND UP PADDLING, RUGBY, KAYAKING, HIKING, MOUNTAIN BIKING, BODYBOARDING, SKATEBOARDING, GUITAR PLAYING, SINGING, AND FAMILY TIME.

Not of this World Teen Camp 2026 Speaker Bio: Pastor Tim Cruz

