

MISSIONS CATALOG



Queen Street Baptist Church in Belize, PPM's first church partner in 2003.

Table of Contents

To see a **united
global Church**
reaching its
fullest potential
for the glory of
God.



Who is PPM?

Praying Pelican Missions (PPM) exists to build up, encourage, and assist the local Church in serving and reaching their communities for Christ. As an interdenominational ministry, we seek to recognize the diversity of the church while leveraging what binds us together as followers of Jesus Christ. There is no more powerful example of God's love to a community than when His people come together to serve and advance the Gospel, all in the name of Jesus.

For more than 20 years, PPM has witnessed the power of Christ-followers coming together to uplift and encourage one another. Our heart has always been to join in what God is already doing through local churches and believers, not to come in with our own agenda. Instead of building a new fire, we want to put logs on the one already burning. Everything PPM does — hosting teams on short-term mission trips, encouraging church partners through our year-round church sponsorship program, supporting communities recovering from a disaster event, and beyond — is guided by our Mission, Vision, and Values.

MISSION: To build up, encourage, and assist the local Church in serving and reaching their communities for Christ.

VISION: To see a united global Church reaching its fullest potential for the glory of God.

VALUES:

We operate internally on the guiding principles of:

Humility

- We are unifiers, building bridges through our commonalities as Jesus followers.
- We cultivate a culture of honor and dignity, putting others before ourselves and our partners first.
- We hire locally, investing in trained, year-round leaders who know their communities best.

Integrity

- We strive to do what's right, guided by biblical principles.
- We work diligently to be lifelong learners and good stewards of the calling before us.
- We lead with professionalism and experience in our field to do what we say we're going to do.

Prayer

- We are passionately rooted in Christ.
- We submit first in prayer, ensuring that our bold "yes" aligns with the Holy Spirit's leading.
- We move forward with confidence, trusting God as we make ourselves available to His calling.

We carry out our mission through the lens of:

Genuine Partnerships

- Our heart is to be wholly invested in the communities in which we serve, providing a connecting point for the global Church.

Long-Term Relationships

- We build lasting relationships with local churches and ministries, partnering alongside them 365 days a year.

Sustainable Ministry

- We are guided by the authority and direction of the local Church, ensuring that the ministry we do leads to a healthy and lasting impact for the Kingdom.



**CHURCH
SPONSORSHIP**



**MISSION
TRIPS**

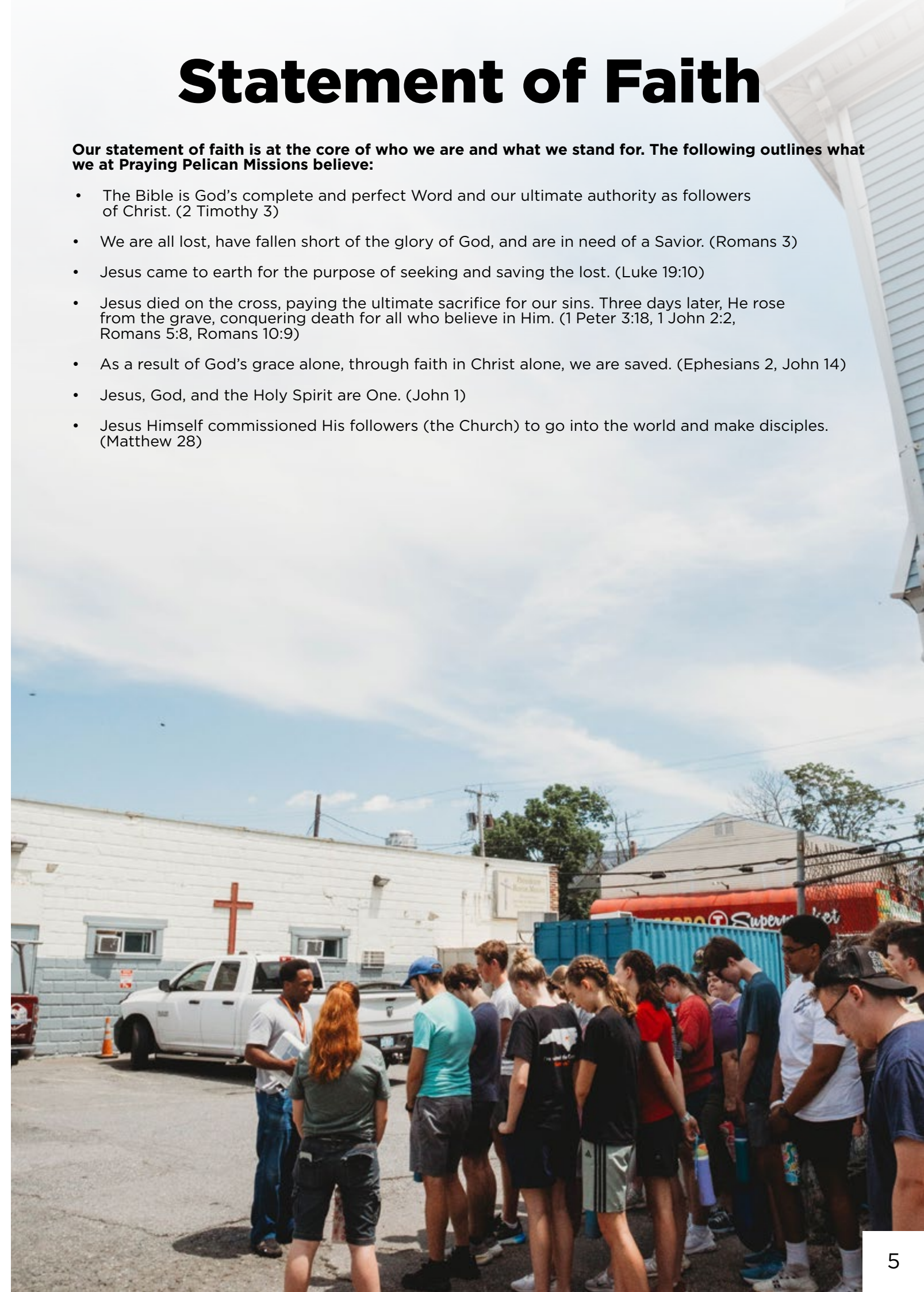


**DISASTER
RELIEF**

Statement of Faith

Our statement of faith is at the core of who we are and what we stand for. The following outlines what we at Praying Pelican Missions believe:

- The Bible is God's complete and perfect Word and our ultimate authority as followers of Christ. (2 Timothy 3)
- We are all lost, have fallen short of the glory of God, and are in need of a Savior. (Romans 3)
- Jesus came to earth for the purpose of seeking and saving the lost. (Luke 19:10)
- Jesus died on the cross, paying the ultimate sacrifice for our sins. Three days later, He rose from the grave, conquering death for all who believe in Him. (1 Peter 3:18, 1 John 2:2, Romans 5:8, Romans 10:9)
- As a result of God's grace alone, through faith in Christ alone, we are saved. (Ephesians 2, John 14)
- Jesus, God, and the Holy Spirit are One. (John 1)
- Jesus Himself commissioned His followers (the Church) to go into the world and make disciples. (Matthew 28)



How We Serve

Why the local Church?

At the heart of all we do is a firm belief that the local Church is an incredibly powerful catalyst for reaching the world for Christ. We see time and time again, all around the globe, that communities turn to the local Church to meet spiritual, emotional, and physical needs, and we want to be a source of encouragement, equipping, and empowerment to that work. Our vision is to see a united global Church reaching its fullest potential for the glory of God.

The key to this kind of partnership is humility. We will never know and understand a community the way its own leaders do, so we turn to our partners to guide and direct where and how our teams serve. We seek to join the Church’s ongoing work, bolstering their efforts and lifting their arms in how they love those around them.

How does PPM choose host church partners?

PPM is an interdenominational ministry that partners with a wide variety of churches across the United States and internationally. Our partner networks largely grow organically, either through referral from a current PPM partner, connections with PPM sending teams, referrals from staff members, or other similar circumstances. All PPM host church partners agree with our Statement of Faith.

Our heart is to facilitate genuine partnerships and long-term relationships between our host churches and those that come to serve them and/or support them through our sponsorship program. Over the years we have served in a location, we have developed a wide network of partner churches with unique characteristics and circumstances. Because we have many partners in an area that may be a good fit for a team, we often wait until a few months out from each trip to assign host churches to find the best balance of ministry goals, availability, and more to find the best possible fit for your team.

Does PPM only serve churches?

Yes and no. While our heart is laser-focused on building up, encouraging, and assisting the local Church, we also recognize that the Church often links arms with like-minded organizations in their area for maximum impact.

Most of our teams have a primary church partner for their trip that guides where their efforts go, whether that’s ministry directly with the church, or helping our staff identify areas outside their walls that act as an extension of their ministry and care to their neighborhoods. Just as we’re well connected with churches, our host churches care about their communities and not only have great networks of other ministries, but also get excited to leverage mission teams to build new relationships with organizations and nonprofits!

How does serving with a specific church partner impact the mission trip?

First and foremost, partnering alongside an existing local church where you’re serving ensures that your team’s ministry is needed, relevant, and feeds into ongoing ministry.

Secondly, organizing a one-to-one partnership takes more effort, but finding a great fit for our partners and our teams is worth it. Even though your team may not know the specific church community or hourly itinerary until a few months before your trip, your consultant is working on your behalf to craft a meaningful experience for you and your team. We know this can present some challenges, but we strongly believe in the efficacy of this model and ask for your trust and partnership in the process!

Sample Itinerary

Just as every host church and team have distinct giftings and goals, every trip itinerary is adapted and customized to the needs of the host partner and the goals of the sending team. You'll work with a PPM consultant throughout the trip planning process to determine ministries, activities, and unique scheduling related to your church partner and PPM location. However, this example below can give you a general idea of what a week serving with PPM could look like:

SAMPLE	MORNING	AFTERNOON	NIGHT
SATURDAY	FLY IN	SETTLE IN	TEAM MEETING
SUNDAY	CHURCH SERVICE	HOME VISITS	CHURCH SERVICE
MONDAY	VBS	SERVICE PROJECTS	YOUTH NIGHT
TUESDAY	VBS	SERVICE PROJECTS	BIBLE STUDY
WEDNESDAY	VBS	SERVICE PROJECTS	CHURCH SERVICE
THURSDAY	RECREATION	RECREATION	RECREATION
FRIDAY	AIRPORT	FLY HOME	CONTINUE THE MISSION

* Note that this reflects a 7-day/6-night trip. PPM offers 6-day and 10-day options in specific locations as well.

Where will my team stay?

There are a few different lodging options for our mission teams. Not all lodging options are available in every location.

Community-sleeping: This option has your team staying in a secure church, school, or community center in your ministry location. Teams often bring air mattresses, sheets, and towels with them.

Bunk lodging: Some locations have the option for a bunk house, or more of a camp-type setting with bunk beds.

Hotel accommodations: This option would have your team staying at a simple local hotel. Pricing is most often based on four people to each room.



CONSULTING PROCESS

At Praying Pelican Missions, we're passionate about building up, encouraging, and assisting the local Church to reach their communities for Christ. To ensure your mission trip is impactful for your team and the community you serve, we've designed a comprehensive consultation process to support you every step of the way.

Welcome to your trip

The first step in getting started is to register for your mission trip. For more information on registering your team, see pg. 10. Shortly after registration, a PPM staff member will connect with you by phone. During this call, they'll walk you through your Pelican Account and outline your initial steps!

Your Personal PPM Trip Consultant:

After this welcome call, you'll be assigned a dedicated PPM Trip Consultant. They'll be your primary resource, offering guidance and support as you prepare your team for effective service. Your consultant will proactively connect with you through four "Capstone Calls" and will also be available to answer your questions at any time. Throughout this consulting process, your PPM consultant will be in close communication with your future church partner's leadership. This ensures we understand the community's current needs and identify the most impactful ministry opportunities for your team, aligning both your group's goals and the local church's vision.

HOME

Initial details

CAPSTONE CALL

During this first capstone call, your consultant will share more about Praying Pelican Missions and what to expect as you're serving with us. They'll also take time to get to know you and your team, including your goals for the trip, ministry interests, and your team's gifts and skills. This information helps us pair you with a church partner in confidence of an impactful partnership.

Itinerary details

CAPSTONE CALL

On this call, you and your consultant will review your trip's tentative itinerary. You'll discuss more detailed logistics for the week, any recreation options included in your trip, and how to best prepare for the various ministries your team will engage in throughout the week.

The trip

This is the culmination and reward for all of the months of planning and preparation we've been doing together! You will spend 6-10 days serving alongside ongoing ministry with your team. Our PPM staff will manage all the logistics, freeing you to be fully present, lead your group, and be a part of what God is doing through his people in the location you are serving in.

Partner details

CAPSTONE CALL

Approximately four months before your trip (this can vary based on timing of registration and ministry location), your consultant will share details about your assigned church partner. You'll learn about their ministry, specific lodging information, and potential ministry options. You'll also have the opportunity to discuss travel plans in more detail.

Final details

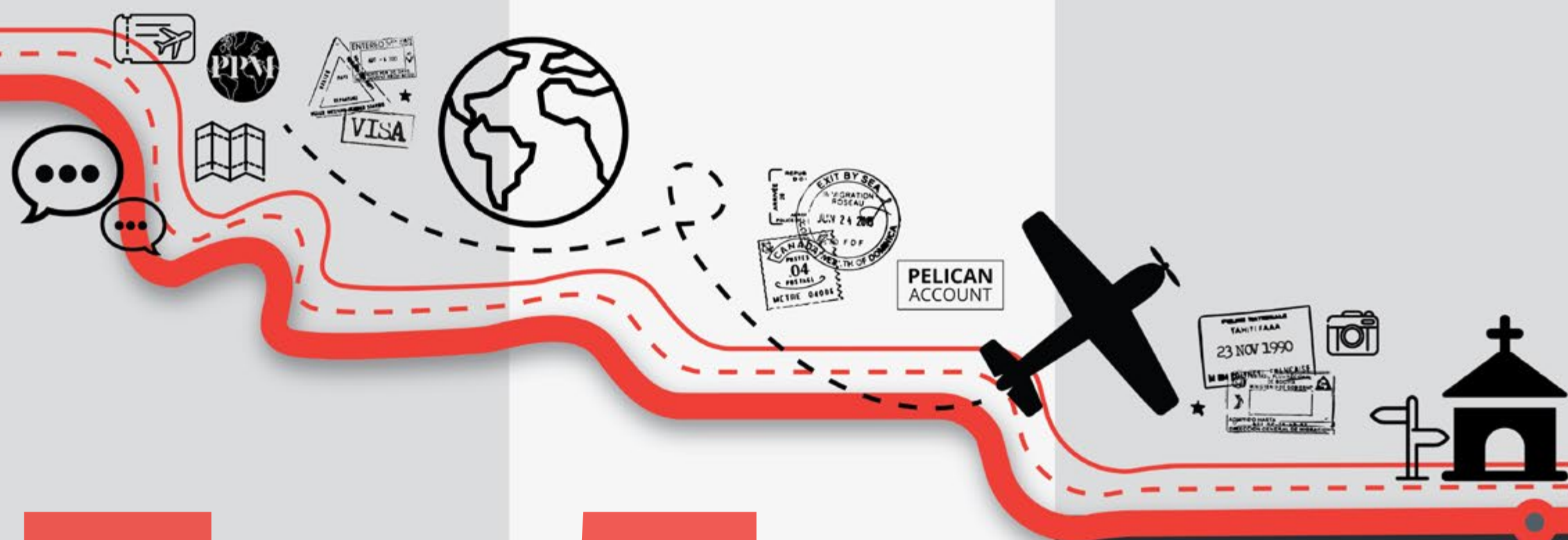
CAPSTONE CALL

As your departure date approaches, you'll connect with your consultant to learn about the PPM staff who will be with you during your trip, discuss any pertinent updates, and tie up any loose ends of the planning process. You'll spend some time together praying for your upcoming trip, ensuring everyone is on the same page and ready for a great week of impactful service.

TRIP FOLLOW-UP

Within a few weeks of your return home, we'll follow up to debrief your trip. We'll discuss what worked well, how we can improve for future trips, and explore ways you can continue to support the 365-day ministry of PPM worldwide!

Ready to make an impact? Let's get your mission trip started!



Getting Started On Your PPM trip

REGISTERING FOR YOUR TRIP:

You've looked through your options, considered timing, prayed about where God wants your team to serve, and you're ready to get started! Congratulations!

The next step is to register for your trip at ppm.org/mission-trip-dates. Find your preferred date and price point through our Mission Trip Search function or on each location page. You'll have the option to either pay the \$500 group registration fee at that time or choose to be invoiced for it. Keep in mind that your estimated group size does not need to be finalized until 30 days before your trip start date.

After filling out the registration form, you will gain access to your Pelican Account, where you'll find resources to help you plan your trip. Within a few weeks of registering, you should hear from a PPM staff member to welcome you to PPM and discuss the trip planning process.

We are so excited to serve with you!

RECRUITING YOUR MISSION TEAM:

One of the bigger jobs is assembling your mission team! Your PPM Trip Consultant is available to encourage you as you recruit your mission team. It is our joy and honor to support you during this trip planning process! Building your team is usually accomplished in three phases (Promotion, Interest, Commitment).

Phase 1: Promote

It's time to channel your excitement into a compelling message to promote the trip and build your team! It can feel like a lot of pressure, but we are confident that God will equip you to share effectively as He opens the hearts of those He will call to serve alongside you.

- Make sure you refine your message — what's your big "why" to take this trip? who should join you? why should they be excited? — before you start promoting the trip so it's easy to keep the details clear and uncluttered for your prospective team.
- Use the communication channels that work best for the people you're trying to recruit and use more than one! It takes consistency and multiple exposures for communication to reach the targeted audience.

Don't forget these important pieces of information when sharing about the trip!

- Key points: trip dates, location, price per person
- Interest meeting dates and participant registration deadline
- Contact information for the Group Leader

Phase 2: Interest

Collecting interest in the mission trip is the next step in building your mission team. This typically happens by hosting one or more interest meetings. We recommend hosting the interest meeting(s) about 7-8 months before the week of the mission trip, though this timeline can be flexible based on your group's needs. Ideally, this is the space where your prospective team can get enough of their questions answered and get a feel for the trip so they are comfortable enough to say yes (or informed enough to say no thanks if it's not the right fit for them this time!).

Phase 3: Commitment

Confirming commitment for the mission trip is the final step in building your mission team and is incredibly important for the unity of the team and investment in the ministry. Different churches or schools have different requirements for participants to show their commitment. We recommend that you consider an application and/or interview process for mission trip members. We also recommend that you collect signed letters of commitment and a financial deposit.

For more information and suggestions on building your team, contact your PPM consultant or refer to the Building Your Team resource packet accessible in your PPM account, where you can find further resources like design templates for advertising your trip, suggestions for social media posts, and sample outlines for interest meetings.



Resources For You

PPM STAFF

One of your best resources while planning your mission trip is your PPM trip consultant! Shortly after registration, your consultant will reach out to schedule a series of planning calls leading up to your trip. They will serve as your point person, including as the bridge between your team and your host partner. PPM has a robust staff of over 75 people, many of whom live locally to the area they serve and lead.

Your PPM consultant will be available via email or phone whenever you have questions. They are your guide, teammate, and advocate as you work together to ensure you're ready for a great week of ministry alongside our local church partners.

GROUP LEADER GUIDE

Our Group Leader Guide is a PDF resource outlining much of the information you'll want to know as you prepare your team to serve with PPM. The guide will be a great piece to reference to familiarize yourself with what to expect before your PPM trip, have a line of sight to what's going on behind the scenes, and ensure you stay on track to have your team ready to serve effectively. Inside, you'll find:

- General information about PPM, our history, and vision
- Tools for defining your mission trip goals
- Overview of the trip planning process
- General PPM policies
- Information regarding team recruitment, ministry areas, fundraising, booking travel, and more

PELICAN ACCOUNT

As part of the registration process, you'll set up your Pelican Account, which is accessible at myppm.org. The Pelican Account is an online portal that gives you, as the Group Leader, and trip participants access to information about your trip. It is also where your team will go to complete their required forms. From this account, you can access trip preparation resources, including tips for fundraising and booking group travel. This is where you'll build your team roster, see details regarding your partnership and trip itinerary, and access trip planning resources in one central hub. As you add people to your trip roster, they will set up their own participant Pelican Accounts to submit their forms and agreements.

FUNDRAISING SUPPORT

As you look forward to planning and preparing for a mission trip, we understand that fundraising can be stressful. To help you succeed, we offer dedicated support and consultation every step of the way. We provide a wealth of resources, including creative ideas for group and individual fundraisers. Your group's finances are easily managed and tracked through your online Pelican Account, and we offer guidance for using our integrated online platform for individual fundraising campaigns. To help you communicate effectively, we also provide templates for support letters and donor thank-you notes.

Your dedicated PPM consultant is a great resource throughout this process. They will work with you to determine the overall trip budget, help you with deciding your fundraising plan, and provide troubleshooting support if any challenges arise, ensuring you have the guidance you need to reach your goals.

Online Fundraising Platform

The Online Fundraising Platform is an online portal integrated with the Pelican Account that streamlines the fundraising process for mission trips. This platform can be used to raise funds that apply directly to the PPM trip cost and/or Ministry Money. It allows participants to set up individual fundraising pages, accept digital payments, and track their progress towards their fundraising goal. Group Leaders can also utilize a link to accept donations towards the team's overall fundraising goals. The platform aims to simplify fundraising, reduce administrative tasks, and accelerate the collection of funds.

Featured resource!

MISSION TRIP PAYMENT SCHEDULE

DUE DATE	AMOUNT DUE
Within one week of registration	\$500 group registration fee
6 months before trip date	40% of total balance
30 days before trip date	100% of remaining

TRAVEL SUPPORT

Your group travel needs will vary depending on the location you choose, from driving to a closer destination, flying to a U.S. destination and renting your own vehicles (excluding Alaska, Hawaii, and Puerto Rico, where PPM provides on-location transportation), or flying outside the U.S. where PPM coordinates transportation during the trip. Your PPM consultant will help you determine the best course of action for your team and will support you in ensuring that your travel plans are set up well and align with what you'll need during your trip.

Fly My Group (FMG)

Through Praying Pelican Missions and Fly My Group's partnership, you'll enjoy a range of benefits when it comes to securing your group's flights, including discounted carrier agreements, favorable contract terms, time and cost-saving technology tools, and FMG's dedicated, efficient, and friendly team ready to assist you at every stage of your journey. Their expertise extends to both domestic and international air travel, and many PPM teams have enjoyed working with them for group travel booking. As a bonus, you can communicate directly with your contacts at Fly My Group through your Pelican Account!

Featured resource!

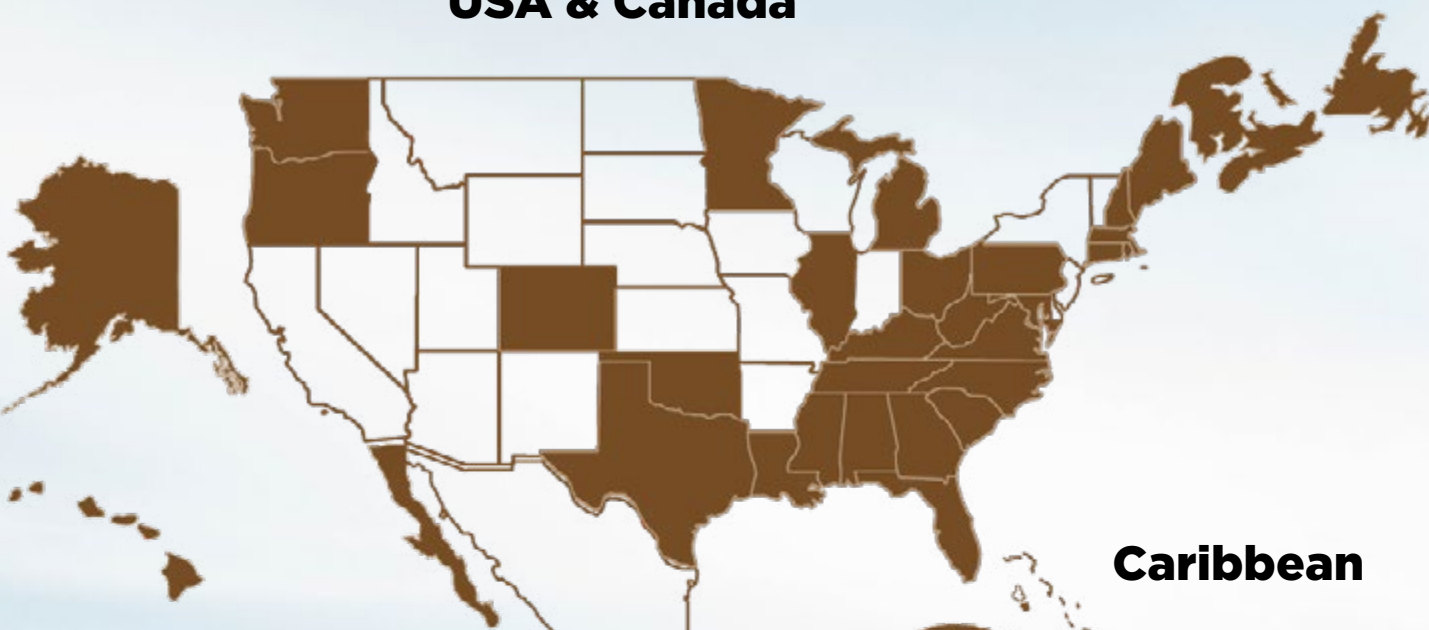
TEAM PREPARATION

Healthy mission trips don't happen by accident, and we desire for anyone going on a mission trip to have all the training and resources possible to help make their mission trip the best it can be. For you as the Group Leader, we have several resource packets related to planning processes like team recruitment, fundraising, booking travel, leading team meetings, and more. We have a robust video library, media templates, guides for group leaders and trip participants, and more to equip you as you and your team prepare to serve well on the mission field.



Where We Serve

USA & Canada



Caribbean

Central America

South America

Europe



Africa



HOME

Disaster Relief

When disaster strikes, the Church is often on the front lines of response and relief efforts, working with local authorities and organizing grassroots efforts to meet the pressing needs of their communities. We are committed to coming alongside these efforts and providing the necessary resources and support to advance the work of our local partners.

For many years, we have supported church partners through numerous natural disasters, including hurricanes, floods, and earthquakes. Through the generous donations of individuals and groups in our network, we've provided essential supplies like bottled water, food, tarps, sandbags, chainsaws, generators, and more. Throughout the recovery process, we've also provided support through volunteers who give countless hours of service towards debris cleanup, rebuilding, roof replacement, food distribution, prayer ministry, and numerous other relief efforts. Our goal is to be ready to respond in the event of a disaster so we can serve our partners efficiently and effectively.

Many organizations focus solely on immediate relief and large-scale efforts in disaster response. Following our mission model, PPM often stays engaged in serving an area long after most other organizations have left. Recovery from major disaster events is a years-long process, and our commitment to our partners is that we will not be quick to leave and will work alongside them to address their communities' needs over the long haul.

Given the unpredictable nature of disaster response, the locations in which we have ongoing disaster-related service opportunities shift annually. If you're interested in serving in a disaster response location, please speak with a PPM representative to learn more.

**Be the helpers
the world is
looking for.**



Pray



Give



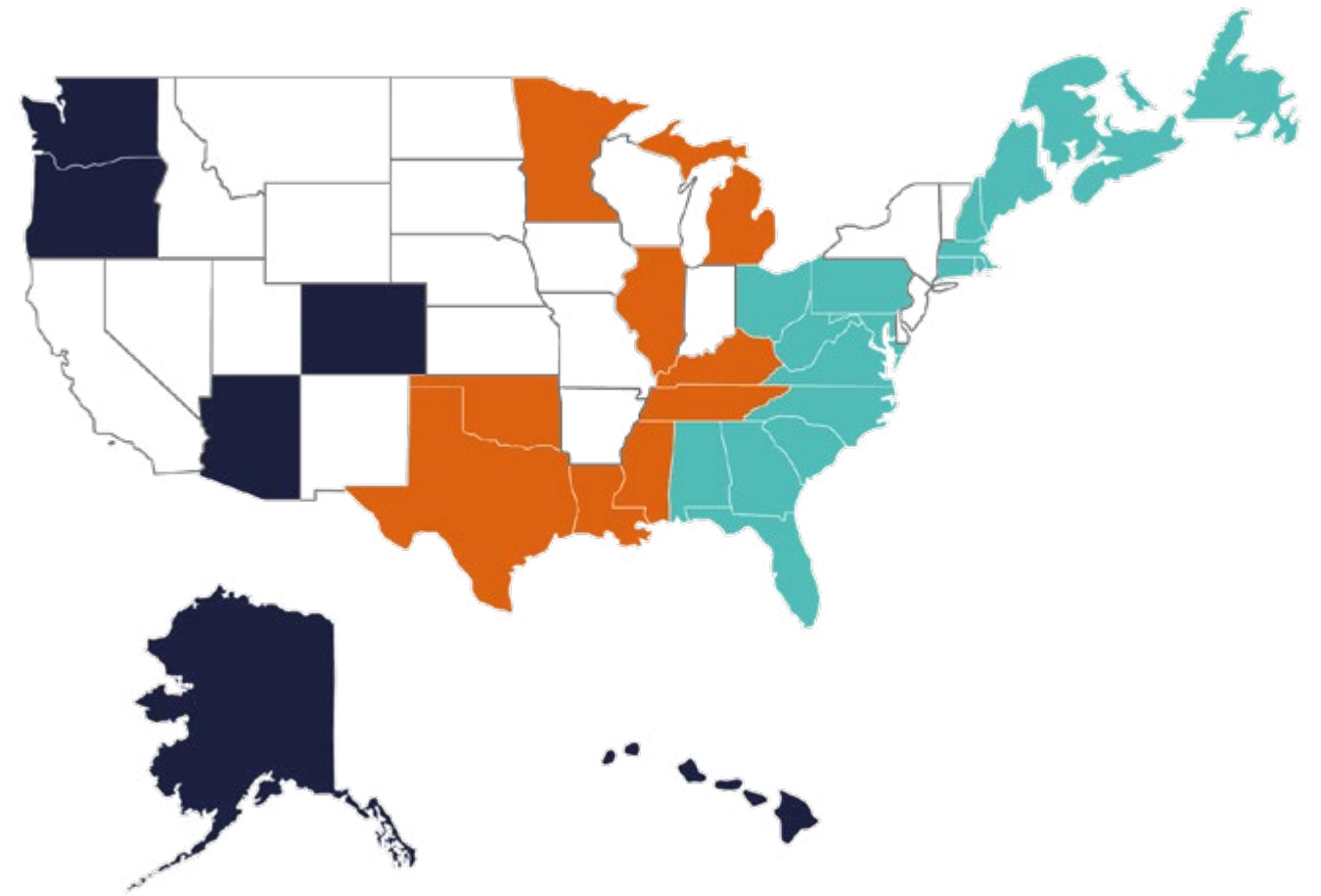
Go



USA & CANADA



HOME



WESTERN REGION | CENTRAL REGION |
EASTERN REGION & ATLANTIC CANADA



ALASKA

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

MERCY

- Food pantries
- Soup kitchens
- Thrift stores
- Pregnancy centers

SERVICE

- Church repairs
- Painting
- Landscaping
- Skilled labor

KIDS

- Park outreach
- VBS
- Camp counseling

OUTREACH

- Prayer ministry
- Community events

YOUTH

- After school youth center
- Youth group

Known as the last frontier, Alaska boasts breathtaking landscapes, diverse people groups, and a mission field like no other. Your team will love the mixture of adventure and the opportunity to encourage ministry leaders who are serving in some of the most remote places in the U.S. Partnership opportunities are as diverse as the landscape itself, including local churches, colleges, nonprofits and Christian camps. Deep, quality partnerships coupled with unmatched adventure make Alaska an incredible place to serve.

RECREATION

- Hiking
- Glacier
- Kayaking (\$)
- Dog sledding (\$)

LANGUAGE

- English
- Alaska Native

POPULATION



740,000

6-day community sleeping:
\$799/ person

7-day community sleeping:
\$849/person

NOTES:



COLORADO



MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

PRAYER
- Prayer walking

SERVICE
- Painting
- Cleaning
- Yard work

KIDS
- VBS/Kids club

MERCY
- Food pantries
- Soup kitchens

HOMELESS
- Serving meals
- Sorting donations

PPM has partners ready to host your team along the eastern edge of the Rockies - from Denver proper to Fort Collins, to Colorado Springs, and over to Estes Park. Your mission team will have the opportunity to serve alongside a local church as they minister in their community. Wherever God leads you to partner, your mission team will have some incredible opportunities to serve alongside churches with ready and willing hearts to serve.

RECREATION

- Hiking
- Fishing (\$)

LANGUAGE

- English

POPULATION



5.9 million

6-day community sleeping:
\$499/ person

7-day community sleeping:
\$549/ person

NOTES:





HAWAII

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

DISASTER RELIEF

- Debris cleanup
- Reforestation
- Distribution center

SERVICE

- Painting
- Church repairs
- Skilled labor
- Landscaping

KIDS

- Park outreach
- VBS

MERCY

- Food pantries
- Soup kitchens
- Thrift stores
- Foster care support

OUTREACH

- Prayer ministry
- Beach outreach

Are you ready to experience the real Hawai'i? There are sandy beaches and lush mountains, but beyond that is a unique and diverse group of people yearning to see Jesus move. Among Hawai'i's incredible beauty is a set of challenges, from the cost of living driving up homelessness to the need to create sustainable solutions for the island state. Showing Jesus to the Hawai'ian people can look like everything from serving the homeless communities to disaster relief to farming taro! Come serve alongside our amazing pastors who are spreading God's light across the islands!

RECREATION

- Hiking
- Beach
- Whale Watching (\$)
- Luau (\$)

LANGUAGE

- English
- Hawaiian

POPULATION



1.4 million

6-day community sleeping:
\$799/ person

7-day community sleeping:
\$849/ person

NOTES:





PACIFIC NORTHWEST

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

- MERCY**
- Trainings
 - Encouragement

- SERVICE**
- Prayer ministry
 - Park ministry
 - Shelters

- KIDS**
- VBS/Kids club
 - Sports ministry

- OUTREACH**
- Street ministry
 - Prayer walking
 - Block parties

- YOUTH**
- Bible studies
 - Youth events

- ADULT**
- Men’s ministry
 - Women’s ministry

The Pacific Northwest is known for its white-capped mountains, lush green forests, and pristine coastline. The people are generally friendly and love being outdoors. The Pacific Northwest is one of the most unchurched regions in the US. Come serve alongside active local churches to further the Gospel and love these communities. Help us minister to the local homeless populations that need to see the body of Christ and not just hear about it.

RECREATION

- State parks
- Beach
- Waterfalls
- Boat tours (\$)

LANGUAGE

- English

POPULATION:



15 million

6-day community sleeping:
\$499/ person

7-day community sleeping:
\$549/ person

NOTES:



TUCSON, AZ



MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

SCHOOL

- Tutoring
- School repairs
- School cleaning
- School events

SERVICE

- Home repair
- Fence replacement
- Church projects

KIDS

- VBS/Kids club
- Sports ministry

MERCY

- Food pantries
- Soup kitchens
- Thrift stores
- Foster care support

OUTREACH

- Prayer walking
- Block parties
- Special Events
- Street Canvassing

Tucson, located in the heart of the Sonoran Desert in Arizona, is a vibrant city known for its rich cultural heritage and stunning natural beauty. Tucson also boasts a strong connection to Native American and Hispanic traditions. Your team can serve alongside our partners as they work to reach their communities for Christ by engaging and activating alongside the local church through school ministry, evangelism and outreach, service projects, and more.

RECREATION

- Hiking Gates Pass
- Swim Sabino Canyon
- Visit Tombstone
- Hiking Madera Canyon

LANGUAGE

- English
- Spanish

POPULATION



540.000

6-day community sleeping:
\$499/ person

7-day community sleeping:
\$549/ person

NOTES:





CHICAGO, IL

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

MERCY

- Food pantries
- Soup kichen
- Refugee ministry

SERVICE

- Painting/Cleaning
- Yardwork
- Light construction

KIDS

- VBS/Kids club
- Sports ministry

PRAYER

- Prayer walks
- Prayer training

COMMUNITY EVENTS

- Block parties
- Community meals
- Youth events

HOMELESS

- Serving meals
- Street outreach
- Sorting donations

The third largest city in the USA is nestled along the shores of Lake Michigan, and although much has changed over the years, the strategic influence of ministry in Chicago has only grown stronger. Your team will come alongside local leaders who are fighting every day to show God’s love to their community. Opportunities to serve include prayer walking, service projects, mercy ministry, kids clubs and more! Your team will be challenged to go deeper in their spiritual life while serving alongside our amazing partners.

RECREATION	LANGUAGE	POPULATION
- Millennium Park/Bean - Navy Pier - Sears Tower (\$) - Dragon Boat (\$)	- English - Spanish	  2.7 million

6-day community sleeping: \$499/ person	7-day community sleeping: \$549/ person
--	--

NOTES:





DETROIT, MI

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

- MERCY**
- Food distribution
 - Home visits
 - Homeless ministry

- SERVICE**
- Ramp construction
 - Church projects
 - Lawn work

- KIDS**
- VBS/Kids club
 - Summer programs
 - Bus ministry

- OUTREACH**
- Grill walks
 - Prayer walking
 - Block parties

- YOUTH**
- Bible studies
 - Youth nights
 - Other events

An area known for its culture and industry, Detroit has been a hub for individuals in the manufacturing and automotive industry. After some significant economic and social challenges in the past 15-20 years, homelessness, drug use, and localized violence were prevalent issues that residents worked hard to address. In recent years, we have seen a revitalization of the city and its community members. More and more, people are coming to Detroit to experience its rich culture and heritage. Your presence and willingness to serve will go a long way to lift up the local Church and infuse fresh hope into the community.

RECREATION	LANGUAGE	POPULATION
- Downtown Detroit - Baseball game (\$) - Henry Ford Museum & Village (\$) - Kayaking (\$)	- English - Spanish	 639.111

6-day community sleeping: \$499/ person	7-day community sleeping: \$549/ person
--	--

NOTES:





GULF COAST

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

MERCY

- Food distribution
- Meal delivery
- Donation sorting

SERVICE

- Painting/Cleaning
- Yard work
- Skill-based projects

OUTREACH

- Prayer walks
- Apartment complex outreach
- Park ministry

ADULT

- Men's ministry
- Women's ministry

The Gulf Coast, known for its stunning beaches and warm waters, stretches along the southeastern United States. This region boasts a rich cultural heritage, influenced by Native American, Spanish, and French traditions. Being so near to the Gulf of Mexico, this area has weathered frequent natural disasters in recent years, such as hurricanes and flooding. Your team can support PPM's local church partners around the Lake Charles and southern Louisiana areas via mercy ministry, service projects, community outreach, and disaster response work.

RECREATION

- Crabbing
- Beach
- State park (\$)
- Swamp boat tours (\$)

LANGUAGE

- English

POPULATION



78.000

6-day community sleeping:
\$499/ person

7-day community sleeping:
\$549/ person

NOTES:





HOUSTON, TX

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

MERCY

- Meal deliveries
- Food bank
- Outreach events

SERVICE

- Skill-based projects
- Church projects
- Yard work

SHELTERS

- Soup kitchens
- Hygiene kits

As one of the largest urban area in the southern U.S., Houston has a variety of ministry opportunities that teams can engage in alongside the local Church. From food distribution to assisting those in need to working alongside local nonprofit organizations as they reach the homeless, your team can be the hands and feet of Jesus in an area in dire need of His love. The Lord’s harvest is plentiful but few are those who are going out to share the Good News of the Gospel.

RECREATION

- City exploration
- Galveston
- San Jacinto Monument
- Baseball game (\$)
- NASA Space Center (\$)
- Kemah Boardwalk (\$)

LANGUAGE

- English

POPULATION



2.3 million

6-day community sleeping:
\$499/ person

7-day community sleeping:
\$549/ person

NOTES:





JACKSON, MS

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

- KIDS**
- VBS/Kids club
 - After school ministry

SPORTS

- Basketball
- Soccer

HOMELESS

- Soup kitchens
- Relationship building

YOUTH

- Youth events
- Game nights
- Tutoring

OUTREACH

- Prayer walking
- Food distribution

SERVICE

- Painting
- Cleaning
- Yard work

Though most commonly known for its painful history of racial discrimination and socioeconomic divide, more recently Jacksonians have been able to witness and take part in a movement towards the reconciliation and revitalization of Mississippi's capital city. Come and partner alongside local ministry leaders who have been planting seeds, putting down roots, and actively engaging with the local community in the name of Jesus for a long time. We're in revival - come and be a part of God's plan for Jackson and go home a changed person!

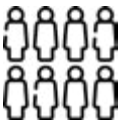
RECREATION

- Civil Rights Museum
- Parks/Hiking
- Kayaking (\$)
- Drive-thru Safari (\$)

LANGUAGE

- English

POPULATION



165.000

6-day community sleeping:
\$499/ person

7-day community sleeping:
\$549/ person

NOTES:





KENTUCKY

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

- KIDS**
- VBS/Kids club
 - Sunday school
 - Youth groups

- SPORTS**
- Sports camps
 - Sports clinics

- MERCY**
- Food and supply Distribution
 - Homeless ministry

- PRAYER**
- Prayer walks
 - Drive thru prayer

- SERVICE**
- Disaster relief clean up
 - Landscaping
 - Home repairs

Kentucky is shaped by its kind, industrious, and creative people by as much as by its beautiful landscape. Shaped by a rich agricultural tradition, Western Kentucky is increasingly becoming home to many manufacturing, tourism, education, and service industries. Though most Kentuckians tend to be self-reliant, they are also very generous and quick to help a neighbor in need. Ministry opportunities range from clean-up, light construction, demolition, food ministries, relational ministries, distribution of supplies, and helping our partner pastors re-engage their communities with the love of Christ.

RECREATION

- Caves
- State Parks
- Land Between the Lakes
- Nashville

LANGUAGE

- English

POPULATION



4.5 million

6-day community sleeping:
\$499/ person

7-day community sleeping:
\$549/ person

NOTES:





MEMPHIS, TN

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

KIDS

- VBS/Kids club
- Sports ministry
- Tutoring
- School ministry

MERCY

- Homeless shelters
- Food missions
- Nursing homes

PRAYER

- Street evangelism
- Prayer walking

SERVICE

- Painting/Cleaning
- Church projects
- Garden ministry

Memphis is known for its music, food, culture, and history, but it is also ranked as one of the most generous cities in the U.S. Through strategic ministry partnerships, your team’s work will support efforts to address the social issues facing the city, including a growing poverty rate. The Church in Memphis continues to be at the forefront of change and hope as they meet tangible needs and strive for progress in social justice. By the time you head home, you’ll be overflowing with ways to inject some fresh vision into your own community.

RECREATION

- Bass Pro Pyramid
- Shelby Parks Farm
- National Civil Rights Museum (\$)
- Graceland (\$)

LANGUAGE

- English

POPULATION



650.000

6-day community sleeping:
\$499/ person

7-day community sleeping:
\$549/ person

NOTES:





MINNEAPOLIS, MN

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

KIDS

- VBS/Kids club
- Sports ministry
- Tutoring

MERCY

- Food packing
- Refugee support
- Nursing homes

PRAYER

- Light rail prayer
- Visit PPM office
- Prayer walking

SERVICE

- Painting/Cleaning
- Church projects
- Garden ministry

HOMELESS

- Serving meals
- Sorting donations
- Other events

Come to the Twin Cities to serve alongside and encourage pastors who care deeply about their communities and the gospel. It is estimated that over half of the population of Minnesota lives in the metropolitan area, which is made up of urban, suburban, and rural communities with many immigrants and refugees. Join PPM in our mission to be the bridge between cultures in this spiritually, ethnically, and culturally diverse area. As a result, your mission team will learn about the strengths and difficulties of urban ministry, and, ultimately, serve Jesus by learning to love every neighbor at all times.

RECREATION

- Mall of America
- Minnehaha Falls
- Midtown Global Market
- Baseball games (\$)

LANGUAGE

- English

POPULATION



650.000

6-day community sleeping:
\$499/ person

7-day community sleeping:
\$549/ person

NOTES:



NEW ORLEANS, LA

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

MERCY

- Food distribution
- Meal delivery
- Donation sorting

SERVICE

- Painting/Cleaning
- Yard work
- Skill-based projects

OUTREACH

- Prayer walks
- Apartment complex outreach
- Park ministry

ADULT

- Men's ministry
- Women's ministry

From the wetlands of the Mississippi delta to the bustling French Quarter, the New Orleans area is a fascinating cultural melting pot, ready for partnership with your mission team. Local churches throughout the area are active in responding to ongoing needs in their communities and are looking forward to partnering closely with PPM teams to do so. From challenges related to ongoing economic and environmental stressors to long-term effects from recent hurricanes, your team can make a real, tangible difference by coming alongside PPM partners in this area by sharing the love of Jesus with this incredible city.

RECREATION

- City exploration
- Beach
- State Park (\$)
- Swamp boat tours (\$)

LANGUAGE

- English

POPULATION



1.2 million.

6-day community sleeping:
\$499/ person

7-day community sleeping:
\$549/ person

NOTES:





TULSA, OK

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

- YOUTH**
- Tutoring
 - Youth events

- SERVICE**
- Painting
 - Church projects
 - Landscaping

- KIDS**
- Church day camps
 - After school ministry

- MERCY**
- Grocery giveaway
 - Food distribution
 - Relationship building

- OUTREACH**
- Prayer ministry
 - Grill walks

- SPORTS**
- Soccer
 - Basketball

Once called the “Oil Capital of the World,” Tulsa is transforming from a growing oil town to a thriving city with much to offer. While Tulsa’s history as an oil boomtown is well-known, many are less aware that it was also home to one of the most vibrant black communities in the U.S. known as Black Wall Street. The Tulsa Race Massacre devastated the Greenwood District in 1921 and the effects of that devastation and destruction is still felt socially today. We invite you to be part of a renewed effort to heal deep wounds, come together as a community, and build up the local Church in Tulsa to reach across social, economic, racial, and spiritual divides.

RECREATION	LANGUAGE	POPULATION
- Gathering Place - Hiking - Zoo (\$) - Greenwood Rising Museum (\$)	- English	 403.000

6-day community sleeping: \$499/ person	7-day community sleeping: \$549/ person
--	--

NOTES:





APPALACHIA

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES KIDS - VBS/Kids club - Summer reading programs MERCY - Deliver food packages - Home visits - Pregnancy centers YOUTH - Bible studies - Youth nights - Bonfires/Events SERVICE - Flood relief - Concrete work - Painting OUTREACH - Prayer walking - Block parties ADULT - Men's/Women's ministry - Elderly home visits	Appalachia is an area rich in resources and beautiful landscapes, and Appalachians are proud of their heritage and their lifestyle. Floods and economic hardships due to the decline of various industries have scarred the region and led to a rise in homelessness, drug use, and more. It has fractured the hearts of many residents and increased hopelessness in the region. Your presence will go a long way to uplift the local Church and our local pastor partners and infuse fresh hope into the community.		
	RECREATION - Hiking - Museums - Kayaking (\$) - White Water rafting (\$)	LANGUAGE - English	POPULATION  25 million
6-day community sleeping: \$499/ person		7-day community sleeping: \$549/ person	

NOTES:





FLORIDA

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

- KIDS**
- VBS/Kids club
 - After school programs

- MERCY**
- Deliver food packages
 - Prayer walking
 - Beach ministry

- YOUTH**
- Bible studies
 - Youth nights
 - Other events

- SERVICE**
- Home repair
 - Church projects
 - Yard work
 - Disaster relief

- HOMELESS**
- Prepare/Serve meals
 - Organize donations

While serving in Florida, your team may actually feel like they are stepping into another country! We have church partners all across the state in Ft. Myers/Sarasota-Venice areas, Casselberry/Winter Park/Lakeland areas, or Miami/Ft. Lauderdale areas. The needs and ministries of the area are unique and real. While serving, you may find yourself working in a soup kitchen, programming summer camps for parents who can't afford childcare, ministering to the elderly, helping people through disaster recovery, or helping to beautify the community with service projects. One thing is certain, there is no place like it!

RECREATION

- Beach
- Boardwalk
- Boat tour (\$)
- Wynwood walls (\$)

LANGUAGE

- English
- Spanish
- Haitian Creole

POPULATION



9.34 million

6-day community sleeping:
\$499/ person

7-day community sleeping:
\$549/ person

NOTES:





NEW ENGLAND

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

KIDS

- VBS/Kids club
- Summer camp
- Sunday school

CHURCH

- Youth events
- Bible studies
- Parents night out

OUTREACH

- Prayer ministry
- Door to door evangelism
- Park/Street ministry

SERVICE

- Yard work/Cleaning
- Home repairs
- Local work projects

New England, located in the northeastern United States, is renowned for its picturesque landscapes and history. This region is characterized by charming coastal towns, vibrant fall foliage, and historic sites such as Plymouth Rock and the Freedom Trail in Boston. The local Church is alive and actively engaging in their communities, but need your team to serve as an encouragement and support. There are many needs that your team can help assist with alongside PPM's partners, such as ministry to unhoused populations, service projects, children's ministry, and outreach

RECREATION

- City exploration
- Rockport
- Beach
- Baseball game (\$)

LANGUAGE

- English

POPULATION



15 million

6-day community sleeping:
\$499/ person

7-day community sleeping:
\$549/ person

NOTES:



PITTSBURGH, PA

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

OUTREACH

- Revival/Carnival
- Prayer walking

FEEDING PROGRAM

- Make/Serve food
- Relationship building

REFUGEE

- Sports
- Feeding program
- Encouragement

SERVICE

- Painting
- Church projects
- Yardwork

HOMELESS

- Soup kitchens
- Sorting donations

SPORTS

- Basketball
- Soccer

The “City of Bridges” rests in the center of a vibrant art, food, and music culture. As you serve among the hills of an urban city you’ll work alongside local churches and a refugee community largely of East African ethnicity. Dive into ministries like kids’ clubs, outreach, homeless shelter ministry, feeding program support, and prayer walking through the city. Partnering with many different people groups will give you a taste of an international experience while edifying, serving, and investing in the local Church.

RECREATION

- Downtown
- State Parks
- Zoo (\$)
- Baseball games (\$)

LANGUAGE

- English

POPULATION



300,000

6-day community sleeping:
\$499/ person

7-day community sleeping:
\$549/ person

NOTES:



THE CAROLINAS

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

- MERCY**
- Home visits
 - Evangelism/Prayer walk

- CHURCH**
- Elderly ministry
 - Bible studies
 - Youth events

- KIDS**
- VBS/Kids club
 - Park outreach
 - After school

- SERVICE**
- Yardwork
 - Church projects
 - Building ramps

- HOMELESS**
- Community gardens
 - Hygiene kits
 - Feeding programs

- DONATION SORTING**
- Diaper banks
 - Clothing banks

Many areas in the Carolinas are combatting the effects of multiple major hurricanes, chronic homelessness, addiction, and more. Local churches are focused on helping people recover both physically and emotionally. The need to see and feel God’s love is great. The areas where our teams serve are full of natural beauty, incredible hospitality, and a passionate Church that seeks to meet their communities’ physical and social needs. Your team’s task will be to join the local church and their communities as they work towards recovery.

RECREATION

- City exploration
- Beaches
- Water Parks (\$)
- Aquarium (\$)

LANGUAGE

- English

POPULATION



15 million

6-day community sleeping:
\$499/ person

7-day community sleeping:
\$549/ person

NOTES:





WASHINGTON, D.C.

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

- SERVICE**
- Yard work & gardening
 - Home repairs
 - Painting & cleaning
- KIDS**
- VBS/Kids club
 - Sports camp
- OUTREACH**
- Prayer walking
 - Evangelism
 - Worship teams

- MERCY**
- Pregnancy center
 - Food distribution

Washington, D.C. is our nation’s capitol and is a city steeped in history and significance. Not only does this beautiful city and its surrounding communities serve as the epicenter of American politics, but it also boasts a rich cultural scene with historic museums and iconic landmarks. Diverse communities across the D.C. region offer a blend of historic charm and modern vibrancy, making it a destination that attracts visitors from around the globe. And our pastors are hard at work to spread the love of Jesus amidst it all. Your team can serve as an encouragement and help meet real needs as you assist with service projects, kid’s ministry, outreach, and more.

RECREATION

- Zoo
- National mall
- Historical monuments
- Smithsonian Museums
- Other Museums (\$)

LANGUAGE

- English

POPULATION



700,000

6-day community sleeping:
\$499/ person

7-day community sleeping:
\$549/ person

NOTES:





ATLANTIC CANADA

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

SERVICE

- Painting
- Home repairs
- Local work projects

MERCY

- Outreach centers
- Pregnancy center
- Nursing homes

KIDS

- Vacation Bible School
- Summer camp
- Sunday school

OUTREACH

- Street evangelism
- Prayer walks
- Community meals

YOUTH

- Youth nights
- Youth bible studies

CHURCH

- Worship events
- Outdoor services
- Home visits

Atlantic Canada, comprising the provinces of New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island, and Newfoundland and Labrador, is a region that offers a highly relational, intimate setting for your next group mission trip. Set on the eastern shores, Atlantic Canada has many churches eagerly waiting to partner with teams on a mission trip. Aside from the obvious beauty of the location, there have been significant challenges to the Church in recent years. Engagement in local churches has been declining and pastors have vocalized a need for teams to come assist in relational ministry, seniors outreach, homeless outreach, service projects, camps, and more

RECREATION

- Anne of Green Gables House
- Lighthouse/Beach
- Golf (Canada's #1 course) (\$)
- Boat tour (\$)

LANGUAGE

- English

POPULATION



700,000

6-day community sleeping:
\$799/ person

7-day community sleeping:
\$849/ person

NOTES:



CENTRAL AMERICA



HOME



BAJA CALIFORNIA | BELIZE | COSTA RICA | EL SALVADOR |
GUATEMALA | HONDURAS | PANAMA



BAJA CALIFORNIA

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

- MERCY**
- Food distribution
 - Home visits
 - Rehab centers

- SERVICE**
- Painting
 - Church projects
 - Skilled construction

- KIDS**
- VBS/Kids club
 - Sunday school
 - Sports ministry

- OUTREACH**
- Prayer ministry
 - Bible studies
 - Community outreach

- CHURCH**
- Worship services
 - Youth services
 - Conferences

Baja California, Mexico, is known for its delicious fish tacos, wonderful weather, and amazing hospitality. Our network of church partners are passionate about sharing the Good News of Jesus within their communities. Most teams will serve with a church partner roughly three hours south of San Diego, CA. Teams have the option of either coordinating their own transportation or partnering with our staff to provide transportation and support crossing the border. Relationships will be the main focus as we partner with the local church for home visits, kids ministry, sports, evangelism, projects, and more. If you are looking for an international mission trip that is still close to home, safe, and relational, Baja California is ready for you!

RECREATION

- Beach
- Tourist zone
- La Bufadora
- Ziplining (\$)

LANGUAGE

- Spanish

POPULATION



3.8 million

7-day community sleeping (no transportation included): \$549/ person

7-day hotel lodging (no transportation included): \$799/ person

7-day community sleeping (on-location transportation included): \$749 / person

7-day lodging (on-location transportation included): \$999/ person

NOTES:



BELIZE

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

YOUTH

- Bible studies
- Youth nights
- Other events

SERVICE

- Church projects
- Specialized projects

KIDS

- VBS/Kids club
- Sports ministry

OUTREACH

- Prayer walks
- Home visits

PASTORAL CARE

- Trainings
- Encouragement

YOUTH

- Bible studies
- Youth nights
- Other events

The birthplace of PPM, Belize is a gold mine for inventive new ministries and powerful Christian influence. While in Belize, your team will experience a culture that descends from the Mayans and serve in communities steeped in tradition. Be ready to go deeper as you serve alongside one of our 75 local partnership churches to participate in various ministries. Belize offers an English-speaking experience perfect for teams looking to engage for the first time or take ministry to a deeper level.

RECREATION

- Caye Caulker
- Mayan Ruins
- Cave Tubing (\$)
- Snorkeling (\$)

LANGUAGE

- English
- Creole
- Spanish
- Mayan

POPULATION



412,387

7-day community sleeping: \$799/ person

7-day bunk lodging: \$899/ person

7-day hotel lodging: \$999/ person

NOTES:



COSTA RICA

**MINISTRY
OPORTUNITIES**

MERCY

- Food distribution
- Elderly ministry
- Homeless ministry
- Medical clinics

SERVICE

- Painting
- Church projects
- Specialized projets

KIDS

- VBS/Kids club
- School ministry (not Dec-Feb)

OUTREACH

- Prayer
- Community outreach

CHURCH

- Women's/Men's ministry
- Youth services
- Preaching
- Worship services

SPORTS

- Soccer
- Basketball
- Volleyball

In Costa Rica, not only will you get to experience the natural beauty, from sandy beaches to rugged mountains that attract tourists, but you will also get to build genuine relationships as you serve alongside the local Church. Your team can support and encourage a Costa Rican church through service projects, food distribution, children's ministry, discipleship, and more as you connect personally with the community. Across the country, pastors need encouragement as they look to the future of their ministry.

RECREATION

- Beach
- Volcanoes (\$)
- Ziplining (\$)
- Animal sanctuary (\$)

LANGUAGE

- Spanish

POPULATION



5.2 million

7-day community sleeping:
\$749/ person

7-day hotel lodging:
\$999/ person

NOTES:





EL SALVADOR

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

- MERCY**
- Food distribution
 - Elderly ministry
 - Home visits

- SERVICE**
- Painting
 - Church projects

- KIDS**
- VBS/Kids club
 - School ministry
 - Sports ministry

- OUTREACH**
- Bible studies
 - Prayer ministry

- CHURCH**
- Adult ministry
 - Youth services
 - Worship services

El Salvador is a country small in size but big in heart! Despite the country’s tumultuous past, the people in El Salvador are optimistic about the future and the local Church is active in sharing the Gospel. You will fall in love with the hospitable people, beautiful volcanoes and delicious pupusas as you serve alongside a Church partner who is helping to transform the reputation of El Salvador. Your team will encourage the local church as they work to impact their country for Christ!

RECREATION

- Beach
- Volcano hiking (\$)
- Explore San Salvador

LANGUAGE

- Spanish

POPULATION



6.3 million

7-day community sleeping:
\$749/ person

7-day hotel lodging:
\$999/ person

NOTES:



GUATEMALA

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

MERCY

- Food distribution
- Refugee ministry
- Home visits

SERVICE

- Church projects
- Home repairs
- Skilled construction

KIDS

- VBS/Kids club
- School ministry
- Special education school

OUTREACH

- Prayer ministry
- Community outreach events

CHURCH

- Women's ministry
- Youth services
- Preaching
- Leadership workshops

Guatemala is a beautiful, hospitable, and diverse country with churches eager to partner in ministry. The primary language is Spanish, although Mayan languages are still spoken in rural areas. The local churches and pastors are passionate about outreach, community development, and loving their neighbors well. As you serve alongside Guatemalans, you'll support and encourage churches and communities to live out the Gospel. Your team can serve lots of kids in VBS, visit families in their homes, train future leaders through meaningful projects, and much more.

RECREATION

- Antigua
- Hiking an active volcano (\$)
- Beach (\$)
- Panajachel (\$)

LANGUAGE

- Spanish
- Mayan

POPULATION



18 million

7-day community sleeping: \$749/ person

7-day bunk lodging: \$899/ person

7-day hotel lodging: \$999/ person

NOTES:





HONDURAS

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

- MERCY**
- Food distribution
 - Feeding programs
 - Medical clinics

- SERVICE**
- Painting
 - Church projects

- KIDS**
- VBS/Kids club
 - Sports ministry

- OUTREACH**
- Bible studies
 - Prayer ministry

- CHURCH**
- Adult ministry
 - Youth services
 - Worship services

Honduras is the second largest country in Central America, and the local churches across the country are working to meet the physical and spiritual needs of their communities. On your mission trip, you will experience the beauty of this mountainous country as well as the kindness of the Honduran people. Ministry is relational as you build deep connections with the local Church and support them in sharing the Gospel. From the Caribbean to the mountains to the lowlands, there are pastors excited to partner in ministry!

RECREATION

- Beach (\$)
- National Park (\$)
- Historical Tour (\$)

LANGUAGE

- Spanish

POPULATION



11 million

7-day community sleeping:
\$749/ person

7-day hotel lodging:
\$999/ person

NOTES:





PANAMA

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

- MERCY**
- Food distribution
 - Medical clinics
 - Home visits

- SERVICE**
- Painting
 - Church projects

- KIDS**
- VBS/Kids club

- OUTREACH**
- Prayer ministry
 - Community events
 - Crusades

- CHURCH**
- Adult ministry
 - Youth services
 - Worship services

- SPORTS**
- Baseball
 - Soccer
 - Basketball

Panama is a diverse country that values its cultural history and modern industries. Our local church partners are serving the indigenous communities in Panama and are passionate about the Gospel! Many people in Panama are tri-lingual, and your staff will help you communicate with Panamanians to build relationships, learn about the culture, and come alongside the local church through ministry. There are opportunities for kids ministry, projects, home visits, evangelism, and more, and your team will be an encouragement for pastors who do ministry year-round.

RECREATION

- Beach
- Panama Canal (\$)
- National Park (\$)
- Rainforest Tour (\$)

LANGUAGE

- Spanish
- English
- Indigenous languages

POPULATION


4.6 million

7-day community sleeping:
\$749/ person

7-day hotel lodging:
\$999/ person

NOTES:





NICARAGUA

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

OUTREACH

- Food distribution
- Ministry to the homeless
- Hospital visits
- Medical clinics

SERVICE

- Home repairs
- Church projects

KIDS

- VBS/Kids club
- School ministry

FOOD DISTRIBUTION

- Food delivery
- Prayer ministry
- Share testimonies

CHURCH

- Adult ministry
- Youth services
- Worship services
- Preaching

SPORTS

- Soccer
- Baseball
- Sports camps
- Tournaments

The beauty of Nicaragua is unmatched, with majestic mountains, beautiful volcanoes, cooperative farms, wetlands, and sensational beaches. You will be welcomed like family, and the local community's faith will inspire you. Despite some challenging years, the local Church in Nicaragua is active and vibrant, reaching their communities through sports camps, in-school devotions, kids clubs, medical clinics, and much more. Your team can support their outreach efforts while encouraging the local pastor and church members in their faith. We can't wait to welcome you to Nicaragua!

RECREATION	LANGUAGE	POPULATION
- Volcano hiking (\$) - Volcano boarding (\$) - Explore Granada - Beaches	- Spanish	 6.3 million

7-day community sleeping: \$749/ person	7-day bunk lodging: \$899/ person
7-day hotel lodging: \$999/ person	

NOTES:



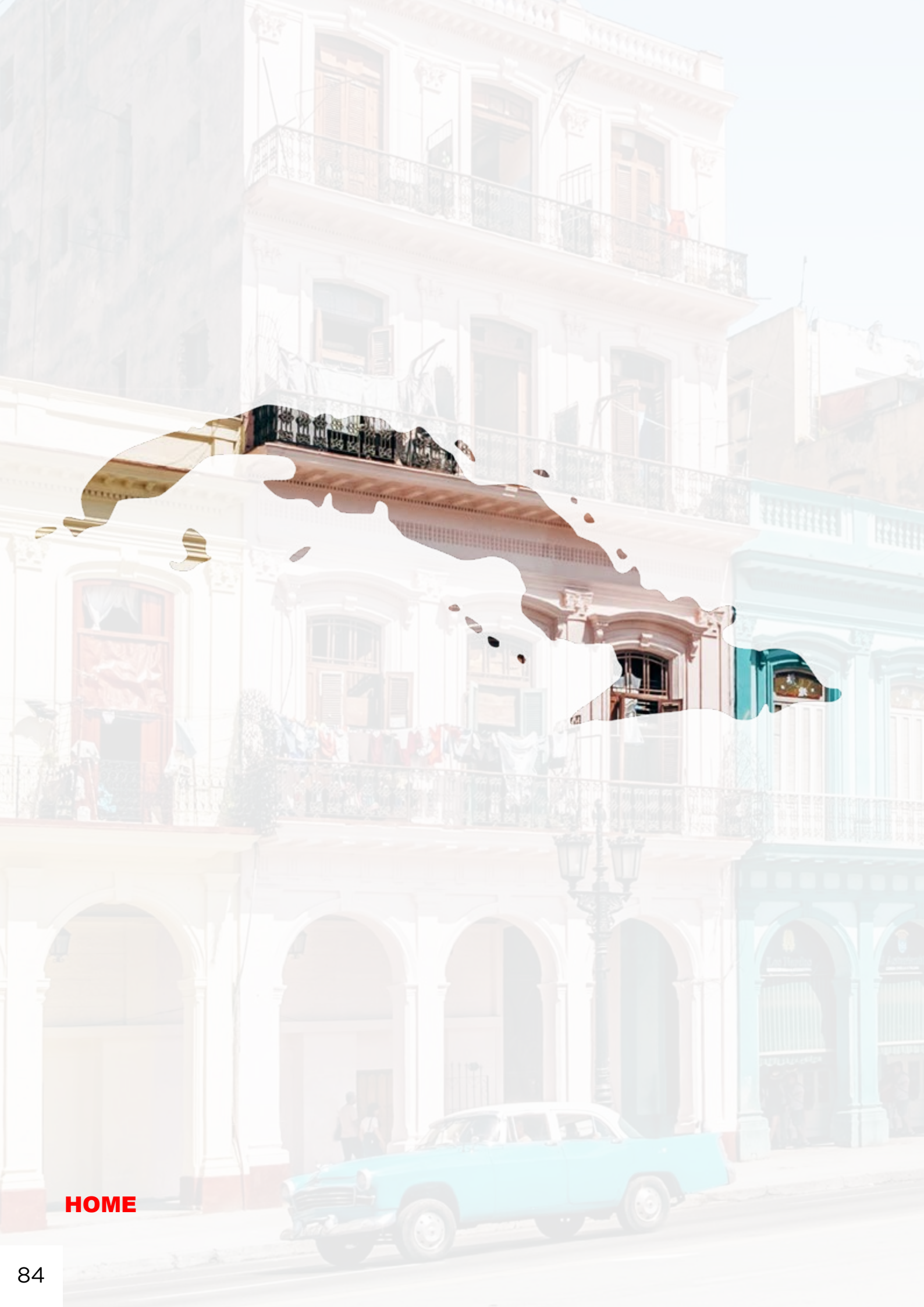
CARIBBEAN



HOME



CUBA | DOMINICAN REPUBLIC | JAMAICA | PUERTO RICO



CUBA

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

MERCY

- Meals in homes
- Home visits

SERVICE

- Church projects
- Painting
- Bicycle repair/ Skateboard ministry

KIDS

- VBS/Kids club
- Sunday school

PRAYER

- Prayer walks
- Testimonies

SPORTS

- Soccer
- Baseball

YOUTH

- Youth nights
- Worship services

Cuba, a formerly closed country, will inspire you as you serve alongside the local Church that has endured so much because of their faith. As you experience the culture and history of Cuba, you will also encourage the local Church and pastor through highly relational ministry. Your team can share the hope of Jesus through home visits, church small groups, kids ministry, sports, and more. As you build deep connections with the church in Cuba, you will remind them that they are not alone!

RECREATION

- Varadero Beach

LANGUAGE

- Spanish

POPULATION



11 million

7-day hotel or guest house lodging: \$999/ person

NOTES:





DOMINICAN REPUBLIC

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

MERCY

- Food distribution
- Children’s home
- Home visits

SERVICE

- Home projects
- Church projects

KIDS

- VBS/Kids club
- School ministry

OUTREACH

- Prayer ministry

MEDICAL*

- Eye clinics
- Dental clinics
- General health clinics

*6-month planning time

SPORTS CAMPS

- Baseball
- Basketball
- Volleyball

The Dominican Republic is known for its vibrant, multi-ethnic culture. As you go deeper, beyond the glitz of tourism, your team will find pastors who desire deep connection and real, sustainable aid for their communities. You can serve in urban and rural church communities, both of which are in need of encouragement. Activate your team in construction, kids ministries, and much more. The people of the Dominican Republic have a passion for relationships that will open the door for lasting, life-changing, partnership with your team!

RECREATION

- Beach
- Souvenir Shopping

LANGUAGE

- Spanish

POPULATION



10.7 million

7-day community sleeping:
\$749/ person

7-day hotel lodging:
\$999/ person

NOTES:





JAMAICA

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

OUTREACH

- Food distribution
- Block parties
- Prayer walks
- Street concerts

SERVICE

- Home projects
- Church projects

KIDS

- VBS/Kids club
- School ministry

EVANGELISM

- Prayer ministry

MEDICAL*

- Eye clinics
 - Dental clinics
 - General health clinics
- *6-month planning time

SPORTS CAMPS

- Baseball
- Basketball
- Volleyball

Jamaica's culture is unique and inviting with the locals always ready to share in a fun and exciting conversation. As an English-speaking country, Jamaica is great for both first-time mission teams and mission trip veterans. Moving beyond the tourist appeal, you will find the local church working to meet the specific needs of their communities. Assist the local church in reaching their communities and sharing the Good News while encouraging our local pastors to continue being the hands and feet of Jesus.

RECREATION

- 876 Beach
- Ocho Rios Beach
- Dunn's River Falls (\$)
- Snorkeling (\$)

LANGUAGE

- English
- Patois

POPULATION



2.8 million

7-day community sleeping: \$749/ person

7-day bunk lodging: \$899/ person

7-day hotel lodging: \$999/ person

NOTES:





PUERTO RICO

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

OUTREACH

- Outdoor Service
- Prayer Walks
- Street Evangelism

SERVICE

- Painting
- Home repairs
- Concrete/Building

KIDS

- VBS/Kids club
- School ministry
- Sunday school

DISASTER RELIEF

- Roof Building
- Construction
- Shelter Building

CHURCH

- Youth event
- Women/Men's ministry
- Pastors onferences
-

MERCY

- Soup kitchens
- Grocery distribution
- Nursing homes
- Animal shelter

Put away those passports; Puerto Rico is a USA territory! Just a short flight from Miami, your team will experience first hand the humble and loving attitudes of the local people. They are passionate about their country, sports, families, and cooking. Teams will be able to serve in urban ministry, work with youth, and jump in to help in rural communities doing service projects, children's ministry, food distribution, etc. They will serve alongside the local church as it reaches out to its community to show the love of Christ.

RECREATION	LANGUAGE	POPULATION
- Bioluminescent Bay (\$) - Snorkeling (\$) - Old San Juan - Beach	- Spanish	 3.2 million

7-day community sleeping: \$749/ person	7-day bunk lodging: \$899/ person
---	-----------------------------------

7-day hotel lodging: \$999/ person

NOTES:



EUROPE



HOME



GREECE | POLAND



GREECE

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

FOOD DISTRIBUTION

- Deliver food packages
- Prayer ministry
- Soup kitchen

FAMILY

- Kids ministry
- English ministry

SERVICE

- Camp service projects
- Church projects

PASTORAL CARE

- Trainings
- Encouragement

OUTREACH

- Coffee house
- Evangelism
- Refugee ministry
- Sailboat ministry

Greece is known for its rich history and is a beautiful country with amazing beaches, magnificent mountainsides, hospitable people, and great food. Greece is a country where churches are working hard to bring the light of the Gospel into spiritually dark places. The nation's devastating economic crisis persists in bringing a spirit of suffering and many across the country are looking for the hope that comes from a relationship with Jesus. Greece has served as a passage, due to its location, for millions of refugees fleeing their homelands in the hope of new opportunities and freedoms. Come encourage the local Church as they seek to reach their community for Christ.

RECREATION

- Beaches
- Mars Hill
- Ancient Corinth (\$)
- Acropolis (\$)

LANGUAGE

- Greek

POPULATION



10.4 million

7-day hotel lodging (partner service trip):
\$1549/ person

10-day hotel lodging (partner service trip):
\$1699/ person

10-day hotel lodging (Biblical sites trip):
\$2399/ person

NOTES:





POLAND

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES OUTREACH - Food distribution - Homeless shelter - Refugee ministry SERVICE - Church projects KIDS - VBS/Kids club - School ministry - Sports PASTORAL CARE - Trainings - Prayer/encouragment YOUTH - Youth events - Relationship building		Poland, a nation with a rich Christian history, is where the Church plays a vital role in shaping lives, building communities, welcoming refugees, and spreading the message of hope. However, many churches in Poland are small. You will have the unique opportunity to step into this dynamic environment and contribute your skills, passion, and love to uplift and empower a local church. Whether you have a heart for children, a desire to teach, or a passion for community outreach, there is a place for you to make a difference. Engage in meaningful interactions with Polish believers and witness the transformative power of unity and service.		
		RECREATION - Salt mine (\$) - Auschwitz (\$) - Castles (\$) - Krakow City (\$)	LANGUAGE - Polish	POPULATION  36.6 million
7-day community sleeping: \$1099/ person		7-day hotel lodging: \$1399/ person		
10-day community sleeping: \$1399/ person		10-day hotel lodging: \$1699/ person		

NOTES:



AFRICA



HOME



KENYA



KENYA

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

MERCY
- Food distribution

SERVICE
- Home projects
- Church projects

KIDS
- VBS/Kids club
- School ministry
- Sunday school

OUTREACH
- Prayer ministry
- Door to door
- Open-air outreaches

ADULTS
- Men's/Women's ministry
- Bible studies
- Education classes

SPORTS
- Sport camps
- Soccer

More than a safari destination, Kenya is a country of immense beauty and resilience. From the bustling city to more rural landscapes, you will have the privilege to meet and interact with some of the more than 45 tribal cultures sprinkled throughout the East African country. A proud bilingual population offers the unique opportunity to converse in English, all while learning some Swahili as you minister in this incredible and diverse country. Come serve alongside our local churches who are eager for partnership!

RECREATION	LANGUAGE	POPULATION
- Safari (\$)	- Swahili	 57 million

10-day hotel lodging: \$1649/ person

NOTES:



SOUTH AMERICA



HOME



PERU



PERU

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

MERCY

- Food distribution
- Home visits

SERVICE

- Home projects
- Church projects

KIDS

- VBS/Kids club
- School ministry
- Sunday school

OUTREACH

- Prayer ministry
- Home visits

CHURCH

- Men's/Women's ministry
- Youth nights
- Preaching

SPORTS CAMPS

- Baseball

Our partnerships in Peru are centered on the local Church and its leaders. Whether it's through a kids' ministry, prayer walks, community outreach, or light construction, you will be an active participant in God's incredible work. We currently serve in two distinct areas:

Lima Mission Trips:

Your team can join our partners alongside the ministry in and around Lima, answering real needs alongside our incredible partners.

Amazon Mission Trips:

Is your team up for an adventure? Our mission trips along the Amazon are remote and stretching, both physically and spiritually. Prepare for the experience of a lifetime as you travel by plane to Iquitos and boat to support an isolated church as they reach their community for Christ through a variety of ministry opportunities.

RECREATION

- Explore the city (Lima or Iquitos)
- Amazon River tours (\$)

LANGUAGE

- Spanish

POPULATION



35 million

Lima - community sleeping: \$749/ person

Lima - hotel lodging: \$999/ person

Amazon - jungle lodge: \$1299/ person

NOTES:



PPM Church Sponsorship

Our sponsorship program is a continuous 365-day effort to support pastors and their churches as they serve their communities. By strengthening pastors through local and regional support, equipping churches with vital resources, and helping entire communities thrive, we believe we're investing in lasting change. When pastors and churches receive the care and support they need, they're empowered to transform lives, lead with excellence, and create vibrant, united congregations at the heart of every community they serve.

Our **CARE** framework outlines four essential components to directly support and empower pastors and congregations to carry out their mission:

- **Consistent Care and Connection:** A PPM staff member is assigned as a Pastor's Advocate whose primary role is to administer the program and build strong, lasting relationships with each pastor. The Pastor's Advocate ensures that sponsored pastors receive the full benefits of the program, including annual medical funds, vacation support, and quarterly check-ins to ensure pastors are cared for physically, mentally, and spiritually. Through the one-on-one care sponsored pastors receive from the Pastor's Advocate, each pastor receives care and timely support tailored to their unique challenges.
- **Aid in Emergencies:** Our emergency fund is available to pastors and churches facing natural disasters or unexpected crises, allowing them to respond quickly and effectively.
- **Relational Network and Training:** Through an annual conference, regional gatherings, and continuous training, pastors gain critical support, skills, and encouragement to lead effectively.
- **Empowerment to Go on Mission:** With a dedicated mission fund, pastors can lead outreach initiatives that bring Christ's love to their communities.

These commitments make sure sponsored pastors are equipped to lead healthy, thriving congregations.

Team Pelican

Team Pelican is the passionate group of monthly givers that fuels the PPM Church Sponsorship Program. At every level of support, members of Team Pelican are dedicated to seeing local churches empowered and equipped to serve their communities effectively and sustainably.

By joining Team Pelican as a monthly sponsor, you help support pastors and churches year-round, ensuring they receive the care they need to transform lives in Christ's name. Choose a sponsorship level and watch how your contribution makes a lasting impact:

1. **Team Pelican Member - \$7/month:** Supports the overall program, providing essential resources for pastors and churches in need.
2. **Church Encourager - \$35/month:** Partially sponsor a specific church to help it grow and serve its community.
3. **Church Champion - \$200/month:** Covers the full sponsorship of a church, providing support for a pastor and congregation.

Each level includes quarterly updates, so you can see the tangible impact of your support. Monthly support of \$35 or more includes tailored updates related to a specific sponsored church. Join us today in this transformative mission!



Future Vision

Our vision is to see a united global Church reaching its fullest potential for the glory of God.

At PPM, we envision a future where the global Church is truly united. We've pursued this vision for over two decades by mobilizing tens of thousands of short-term missionaries to serve in over 30 locations, primarily across the Western Hemisphere.

As we look ahead, we're not just dreaming: we're actively deepening our connection to the global Church to reach our world for Christ. Our big vision for the next two decades and beyond is centered on strengthening the Church and inspiring unity. God does incredible things when the Church comes together to love and serve its communities.

Through mobilizing mission teams, sponsoring churches, responding to disasters, and empowering local congregations in both ordinary and innovative ways, we remain steadfast in our vision: a united global Church reaching its fullest potential for God's glory.

We believe the local Church is the catalyst for change in communities throughout the world. We are stepping out in faith to fully lean into what we believe God is calling us to.

When you lead a team on a mission trip near or far, you can join us in this incredible calling. We can't wait to serve with you!



PPM today:



Where we're headed:



*Note: the above map is intended as a visual representation of PPM's future vision.



**To build up,
encourage,
and assist the
local Church
in serving and
reaching their
communities
for Christ.**



**PRAYING
PELICAN
MISSIONS**

ppm.org

HOME