

# MISSION 2016

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*Where there's a need...there is Hope*



2015 Mountain of Hope Mission Team · San Pedro Sula, Honduras



"For I was hungry and you gave me something to eat...

I was sick and you looked after me...

whatever you did for these brothers of mine, you did for me."

- Matthew 25:35 - 36



## St. Peter's / Mountain of Hope Honduras Mission 2016

### **OVERVIEW OF ANTICIPATED MISSION PROJECTS**

“The purpose of this trip and of every mission trip is to glorify God and express His love to those we see, to expand His kingdom, and to make new disciples for Him. As you go about your busy days in the clinic, the church, the village, or wherever your assignment takes you, please remember that your one real purpose is to show Jesus’ love and compassion to all you meet (including each other).”

*The Rev. Jerry Steidl, Deacon, Episcopal Church of the Holy Spirit, Apopka, FL*

#### 1. SPIRITUAL LEADERSHIP/TEACHING

Our goal is to share the love of God and the knowledge of His Son Jesus Christ. This is accomplished through Bible School for the children, home visitations to village families, and our example of helping those in need. We work in partnership with the community of Iglesia San Pedro in developing the areas of Worship, Fellowship, Discipleship, Ministry and Mission.

#### 2. BIBLE SCHOOL

Perhaps the most exciting AND most rewarding component of our work is offering Mission Bible School to all village children. This year’s attendance is projected to be 180+ elementary aged students. Each afternoon, music, Bible teaching, and of course crafts and snacks provide the Joy of the Lord to our Honduran niños.

#### 3. HEALING PRAYER

Team members teach the children, clinic patients, and Quince community about their inheritance from God and how they can pray for others for healing. The most important thing we can do in addition to preaching the good news is to show the children that Jesus heals today. Jesus spent more time in His ministry healing people than anything else.

#### 4. CLINICA MONTAÑA DE ESPERANZA – MEDICAL & DENTAL

- ❖ Assist Honduran clinic staff with patient care and daily operations
- ❖ Continuing education for local Midwives & health education for the community
- ❖ Auxiliary clinics to nearby villages

#### 5. CLINIC COMPOUND MAINTENCE PROJECTS

- ❖ Maintenance in clinic and apartment
- ❖ Service generator, incinerator, solar and air conditioning units
- ❖ Support well drilling and water projects
- ❖ Bodega (warehouse)
  - a. Continue organizing and triaging donated equipment and supplies
  - b. Rebuild/refurbish storage areas for tools and mission team supplies

## OVERVIEW OF LOGISTICS AND EXPENSES

**MISSION DATES:** SATURDAY, JUNE 11 – SUNDAY, JUNE 19, 2016  
ADVANCE TEAM DEPARTURE - WEDNESDAY, JUNE 8

**DIRECTOR:** John Millonig 407-701-1042 (cell)

**COORDINATORS:** Susan Millonig 407-444-5673 407-421-0446 (cell)  
[susie@splm.org](mailto:susie@splm.org) (St. Peter's)

Arlene Boardman 407-687-4679 (cell)

Central Florida mission team members are requested to attend 2 team meetings:  
Sunday, April 3 @ 2:00 pm at St. Peter's  
Sunday, May 15 @ 2:00 pm at St. Peter's  
 and are encouraged to attend Send-off Sunday at St. Peter's: June 5 @ 11:00 am worship

<p><b><i>Estimated Cost:</i></b>  <span style="color: red;">(per person)</span></p> <p style="color: blue;">Team Members are responsible for all expenses</p>	<table style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td>Round Trip Air Fare . . . . .</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$ 450-700</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Hotel \$110/night – 8 nights . . . . .</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$ 450 (per person, double occupancy)</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Meals - \$15 +/- per day . . . . .</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$ 150</td> </tr> <tr> <td><span style="color: red;">Mission Fee:</span> (includes lunches, transportation, project materials, team banquet, projects, and foreign travel insurance)</td> <td style="text-align: right; color: red;">\$ 400 *</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;"><b>TOTAL</b></td> <td style="text-align: right; border-top: 1px solid black;"><b>\$1500 +/-</b></td> </tr> </table>	Round Trip Air Fare . . . . .	\$ 450-700	Hotel \$110/night – 8 nights . . . . .	\$ 450 (per person, double occupancy)	Meals - \$15 +/- per day . . . . .	\$ 150	<span style="color: red;">Mission Fee:</span> (includes lunches, transportation, project materials, team banquet, projects, and foreign travel insurance)	\$ 400 *	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$1500 +/-</b>
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**REGISTRATION DEADLINE:** April 25, 2016

\* **MISSION FEE:** of \$400, payable to **ST. PETER'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH** is due **with your registration**. These funds are used to provide transportation while in Honduras (large vans & buses with drivers), daily lunches/snacks/beverages in Quince de Enero, a team banquet at the Hotel Copantl, and foreign travel insurance. Mission polo shirts are available for an additional \$25 and can be ordered on your registration form (those who participated in previous years already have one). Team members are asked to wear mission shirts on flights to Honduras to help identify our group.

Mission team members travel as a group from Orlando (or other departure cities) to Honduras. Team members stay at the Hotel Copantl in San Pedro Sula and eat breakfast and evening meals in the hotel. Daily travel to Quince by van (approx. 40 minutes) with lunches, beverages and snacks provided.

**AIRLINE RESERVATIONS:** American Airline Orlando-San Pedro Sula round trip flights (with one stop in Miami) range from \$480-\$800. If you wish, you may make flight arrangements through Claudia at LC Travel (407-862-6500), who has assisted our group with flight reservations for the past several years. If you do not book through Claudia, you **MUST** provide a copy of your itinerary to Susie Millonig ([susie@splm.org](mailto:susie@splm.org) or fax: 407-333-9342) so we can arrange to meet your arrival in Honduras.

HOTEL RESERVATIONS: will be made for you at the Copantl in San Pedro Sula. This is a large hotel with several in-house dining options, an Olympic size pool, wireless Internet service, and a very accommodating staff. Currently the double occupancy room rate is approx. \$110 per night, and includes a large breakfast buffet each morning. (NOTE: if two people share a room, the cost per person is \$55/night).

ENTRY/EXIT REQUIREMENTS: **A U.S. passport valid for at least six months from the date of expected departure (cannot expire before December 31, 2016) is required to enter and depart Honduras** – a visa is not required. A new passport takes about 2 months to process, and should be applied for immediately.

For info on obtaining, replacing or renewing a passport, go to US government website: [travel.state.gov/passport/passport\\_1738.html](http://travel.state.gov/passport/passport_1738.html). U.S. citizens are encouraged to carry a copy of their passports with them at all times during the mission, so that if questioned by local officials, proof of identity and U.S. citizenship are readily available. Team members should also leave a photocopy of passport at home.

**EXIT TAX of approximately \$40 is included in your American Airlines airfare.**

According to the US Center for Disease Control, there are no required immunizations for travel in Honduras. **All team members should have a current tetanus**, and are encouraged to check with your local health care provider or county health department for the latest information and optional preventative measures. **Team members are encouraged to consider inoculation for Hepatitis A.**

MEDICAL PERSONNEL: must provide a copy of diploma and current professional license to team coordinator, Arlene Boardman, for Honduran Ministry of Health.

CONTAINER SHIPMENT: is unlikely this year. Therefore, we will need to transport all mission supplies in the checked luggage of team members. We request team members check only one piece of luggage and allocate the 2<sup>nd</sup> checked piece for team supplies. Mission team fees will provide payment for the 2<sup>nd</sup> piece of checked “team bags”.

PROJECT FUNDING: is needed to purchase supplies (lumber, wire, doors) necessary to accomplish this year’s building & maintenance projects. Please let us know if you have any resources for project materials.

POST-MISSION RECREATION: Several interesting travel opportunities are available locally, including a day trip to the Mayan ruins of Copan, possible canopy zip line tour, a hike in a cloud forest, or native arts & crafts shopping.

Many team members enjoy extending their visit to Honduras by staying on and traveling to the bay island of Roatan or to Belize for excellent snorkeling and scuba diving. Costa Rica is another popular destination. Travel arrangements will need to be made independently before departing the U.S.

