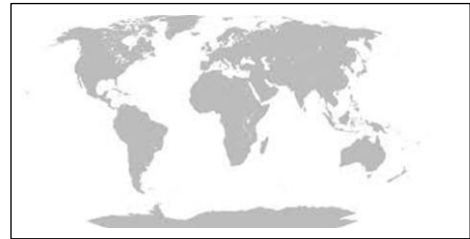


SHORT TERM MISSION TEAMS 2016

WHY WE DO WHAT WE DO

WHERE OCC GOES....

We work with partners around the world to reach out to the most vulnerable and the least reached.



WHAT WE DO....

We love people.

Sometimes we build houses or dig wells.

Other times we provide training for local leaders.

Often, there are programs that reach out to kids and family.

Always, we build relationships, learn and listen.

We help missionaries or local pastors in reaching their community.

We pray... and believe that our BIG God does incredible things when we are willing to step out in faith.

WHY YOU ARE NECESSARY...

YOU do matter. We have been invited by partners, pastors and community leaders to come.

Some ask for specific skills.

Most ask for willing people to come and serve the goals of the ministries.

We have 9 specific trips, needing 15-20 people to join. We need you for 2016, to be part of Unleashing Hope to the Most Vulnerable in the World.

Will you join us?

WHAT YOU SHOULD DO NEXT...

Prayerfully read through the trip options.

Ask God if He wants you out on one of these teams.

Contact the team leader listed or servetheworld@occ.org.

Come by the Serve the World Counter on a Sunday and chat with someone about what might be the best fit for you.



WHERE WILL YOU GO? 2016 Short Term Mission Teams

Unleashing Hope for the Most Vulnerable

NORTH AMERICA

June 19 - 24

SAN DIEGO - FULL

KidsTown Family Friendly Mission - San Diego

Refugees are struggling all over the world. They have experienced so much loss and pain and are desperate to adjust to a new country. We will get to show them LOVE. We will use art, games, stories and pray to connect with kids. We will connect family to family. We will hear their stories of how they traveled here and care about them. By offering friendship and care, we will shine the LIGHT of JESUS.

Contact: www.occ.org/Kidtown

ASIA

July 1-15

THAILAND REDLIGHT PATTAYA ANTI-TRAFFICKING OUTREACH - FULL

Human Trafficking is still one of the worst nightmares of our time. It is believed that there are more human slaves today than any other time in history! An unprecedented number of victims (some estimates are upwards of 30,000 or more) die each year from abuse, disease, torture and neglect. You may ask... but what can I do against such odds? Ask any one of the girls who have been saved from this horror. You will spend your time building relationships, listening to stories, and making connections with our partners on the ground. Contact: samib@occ.org

Early to mid Nov.

INDIA PRAYER WALK AND OUTREACH

Join this dynamic team for two weeks who will experience beautiful people, culture, cuisine, and ministry! This team will be working with two partners. One part of the trip will be visiting OCC sent missionaries looking for a team to pray strategically for work happening in their city. The second part will be working with a dynamic Indian leader developing leaders who are reaching India for Christ. Contact: lisafb@hotmail.com.

November 5-18

THAILAND REDLIGHT PATTAYA ANTI-TRAFFICKING OUTREACH

REDLIGHT is a program that takes you to Pattaya, Thailand for two weeks to help remove girls from the exploitation of human trafficking. You will not only learn more about the issue of sex slavery, but you will create relationships with girls and women trapped in the industry that will have a lasting, positive impact on their lives. You will help Not Abandoned introduce these young women to the practical programs and services available to provide hope and a way out of this detrimental industry. You will work alongside our Thai staff to make these vital connections to a new job and a new life. This is a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity to make a real difference and significantly impact a life that so desperately needs help. Contact: notabandoned.org

AFRICA

June 19- July 1 – FULL

KENYA ORPHAN CARE OUTREACH TEAM (Family Friendly for Kids 12+)

Our team will be spending time in Kitale and Kisumu working with street children, learning about the water and agricultural development projects that OCC supports, and visiting other partners who minister to the most vulnerable. This trip will be a life changer, a once in a lifetime opportunity. If you are interested in joining us, please let me know directly that you'd like to be invited to interest meetings going forward. For more information Contact: micheles@occ.org

Sep. 27 – Oct. 10

SOUTH AFRICA COMMUNITY OUTREACH PROJECT - FULL

Haven't you been looking for the opportunity to join a team heading to Africa? This is a full on mission engaging with our core partners in communities that are affected and infected by HIV/AIDS supporting medical efforts, youth outreach, touching the lives of those in the slums bringing hope and the love of Christ to those who can't believe there a God who loves them. Come...go with us and make a difference. Help change their world. Contact: aaront@occ.org

MIDDLE EAST

Jan. 31 – Feb. 7

THE HOLY LAND PEACE AND JUSTICE TRIP

"There are once in a lifetime moments that change you." Although this is a quote from an ad to come to the Holy Land... this trip is sure to make that statement true in your life. It offers various and diverse aspects that tells the story of the people who have lived in this land for thousands of years. We want to share our passionate hearts of being human bridges for peace and reconciliation to the generations of those torn by fear and prejudice. Join this team and help bind the hurts and wounds that surround this Holy land. Contact: joshm@occ.org