## College Church SHORT-TERM MISSIONS



#### SHORT-TERM TRIP GOALS

- **SERVE our partners.** Each team's primary objective is to serve our missionaries and ministry partners to propel their ministry forward through our assistance.
- **LEARN about the world.** Every team member on a missions trip will learn about the culture and language of their host country, the state of the national church and the nature of cross-cultural work. Ministry trips will expose and challenge team members to consider the poor and disenfranchised in the United States. These trips also foster closer relationships between members of College Church and our colleagues worldwide.
- **GROW in Christ.** Team members are challenged to grow in their faith in Christ, their confidence in sharing the Gospel, and their awareness of how God is establishing and strengthening his church worldwide.
- **CONTINUE in missions/ministry.** Serving on a missions/ministry team is another step in a lifetime of outreach and missions involvement. After a trip, we encourage participants to continue exploring ways that they can be involved in outreach that maximizes their gifts, skills and interests.

# SHORT-TERM TRIPS 2023

### STAMP (SHORT-TERM ADULT MISSIONS PROJECT)

#### • STAMP Wales

- o June 10-19
- Street evangelism, one-on-one evangelism
- For singles, couples or families (children must be no younger than high school age)
- Missionaries: Jonathan and Amy Harris

#### STAMP Chad

- o June 8-16
- o Serving missionary families through MK activities at the AIM annual conference
- o Missionaries: John and Pam Propst

## • STAMP Czech Republic

- o November 3-12
- Evangelism, discipleship conversational English in the context of Czech junior high and high school classes
- o Missionaries: Nathan and Vera Beck

#### WORLD IMPACT (HIGH SCHOOL)

## • World Impact Czech Republic

- o March 24-April 1 (spring break trip)
- Evangelism, discipleship conversational English in the context of Czech junior high and high school classes
- o Missionaries: Nathan and Vera Beck

## World Impact Dominican Republic

- o June 27-July 4
- Work alongside and serve with Dominican leaders for the week in camps and service projects
- o Missionaries: Kyle and Dariana Bradley, Libbie (Casey) Liriano

### World Impact Spain

- o July 1-10
- Evangelistic campaign working alongside Spanish nationals, conversational
  English opportunities through a "Country Festival" and coffee time
- o Missionaries: José Pablo and Jane Sanchez

## **QUESTIONS**

What do I do if I'm interested? Complete an application.

What comes after that? Interview with the STAMP or World Impact Committee.

*How are trip expenses covered?* A letter will be sent to the congregation requesting support for the teams. Additionally, each candidate is expected to contact personal friends and family inviting potential partners to support this ministry opportunity.

Can I just pay my way and not contact friends and family? Yes, and no. Yes, you may pay your own way. However, you are still expected to send letters to invite your contacts to come alongside your team as ministry partners. Team funds are pooled, so this is very much a team effort.

What if I have more questions? Contact the Missions Office at (630) 668-0878, ext. 191.

