



2023 Guatemala Mission Team

We will be serving in central Guatemala. More than half of Guatemalans are descendants of indigenous Mayan peoples. Westernized Mayans and mestizos (mixed European and indigenous ancestry) are known as Ladinos. Most of Guatemala's population is rural, though urbanization is accelerating. According to the US State Department, about 51% of the population lives on less than \$2 a day and 15% on less than \$1 a day. Guatemala's social development indicators, such as infant mortality, chronic child malnutrition, and illiteracy, are among the worst in the hemisphere.

What Will We Do in Guatemala?

Our ministry will include serving families in and around Antigua. We will work with children in the community through a VBS or sports-type ministry. We hope to also do some home repair, install water filters, and wood burning stoves. We will also enjoy a day off to explore the beauty of Guatemala.

Who Will We Work With?

We will serve with CPC missionaries, Todd and Maureen Erickson. The Erickson family serves in Guatemala with Iglesia Del Camino. IDC is a church in Antigua with a huge heart for missions. They use appropriate technologies and education to open doors to explain the good news of Christ Jesus, the gospel, in developing countries.

Where Will We Stay?

Our team will stay in a small hotel in Antigua.

What are the dates of the 2022 Guatemala Project?

July 15 – July 22

What is the Cost?

Estimate \$1,700 (includes airfare, on-site transportation, housing, meals, training resources, and construction materials)

What's Due When?

Register early. Only 15 slots available. Complete registration form and \$200 non-refundable deposit.

Other Questions? We will begin our Team training meetings in the Spring. Contact Centreville Presbyterian's Missions Director Sharon Hoover (sharon@centrevillepres.com or 703-830-0098). More info is also online at cpceco.org



Centreville Presbyterian Church Mission Project Registration

Name _____ Birth Date _____

Street Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Passport Number _____ Passport Expiration Date _____

If you are an adult participant, skip to "Church Background"

Current Grade: _____ Current Age: _____ School: _____

Parents' names _____

Parents' emails _____

Parents' cell phones _____

Church Background

Are you a member of Centreville Presbyterian Church? Yes No

If no, what church do you attend? _____

Please list different church ministries or community outreaches in which you have been involved (*Vacation Bible School, nursery helper, soup kitchens, community service hours, etc.*).

Have you ever been on a mission project before? _____ If so, where? _____

Give a brief statement on the back of application (or a separate page) concerning your relationship to Jesus Christ. Include a statement of: (1) when and (2) how you accepted Christ, and (3) what Jesus means in your daily life.

Agreement

- I will participate in the Team's training.
- I will not complain and will do my best to have a servant's attitude.
- I will obey the leadership of the project.
- I will not use bad language, alcohol, weapons, drugs or tobacco on the project.
- I will adhere to the dress code of the project.
- I will follow all safety precautions during the project.
- I understand that if I break the terms of this agreement, my leaders may choose to send me home at my own expense.

Applicant's signature _____ Date _____

____ I give permission for (my / my child's) photos to be used for CPC website, Facebook or Instagram account for promotion of CPC. (*please initial*)

For participants under 18 years old:

I support my son/daughter's mission project participation and agreement to the above guidelines.

Parent's signature _____ Date _____
