

# **JAMAICA MISSION INFO 2024**

## **WHO:**

Individuals serving on the Jamaica Mission Team should be:

- adults or children – age 12 & up with participating parent(s)
- a member of Hernando Baptist Church committed to the mission of the church “To lead all people to be transformed by Jesus Christ” faithfully attending worship & Life Groups
- attending team meetings in preparation for the mission and actively fulfill duties pertaining to the mission.
- faithfully giving to the church in tithes and offerings
- in possession of a valid passport for international travel (validity must extend beyond 6 months from the date of travel)

*Any variation from these criteria should be discussed with the ministerial staff.*

## **WHAT:**

Sharing the Gospel of Jesus Christ through personal witness and discipleship, encouraging believers, and meeting physical needs of housing and food. Recommended resource: Preach and Heal: A Biblical Model for Missions by Charles Fielding.

## **WHEN:**

Travel dates are July 13-20, 2024 – Initial deposit of \$100 is due by November 30, 2023 pre-trip meetings will tentatively be scheduled in February 11, May 19, & July 10, 2024.

## **WHERE:**

Staying at Old Fort Bay, St. Ann, Jamaica (near Ocho Rios) and ministering nearby.

## **WHY:**

To share the Gospel with the world through evangelism and missions (specifically in Jamaica in partnership with IsleGo Missions) – to lead all people to be transformed by Jesus Christ.

## **HOW MUCH:**

Your participant cost will be approximately \$1,000. A non-refundable deposit of \$100 per person will be due by Nov. 30, 2023 along with completed Commitment and Disclaimer Forms. Subsequent payments of \$450 each will be due by February 11<sup>th</sup> and April 30<sup>th</sup>. Additional contributions may be made to go toward the construction of Little Blue House(s) and food for Jamaican families. Some food and tool supplies will need to be purchased or provided by participants as well. Hernando Baptist will provide approximately \$1,000 per person from the HBC Mission Fund. Note this is an estimate and these amounts may vary if airfares rise or fall significantly.

# My Commitment

(Read before signing...)

I understand that the purpose of this journey is to broaden my understanding of who God is through a first-hand experience in the field of missions. This missionary journey is about serving God in a foreign land, building relationships with the Body of Christ abroad, learning about other cultures, and growing in the Lord.

As an ambassador of Christ, my country, and my church, I will adhere to the guidelines established by the local authorities in the country in which I serve as well as those of IsleGO Missions. If I fail to follow IsleGO Mission's guidelines I understand that I can be sent home, at my own expense, before the end of the trip for failure to follow these guidelines. I understand that I am subject to disqualification from the team for failure to follow these guidelines.

I commit to actively participate in all pre-trip meetings and training in preparation for this project.

I realize that our project itinerary will require long hours, hard work, active participation, and tremendous fun. When the going gets tough and personal strength lags, I commit to keep a positive attitude and remain focused on our goal as a team. I understand that failure to do so can result in my immediate return to the U.S. at my own expense.

I realize my church and/or IsleGO Missions is not responsible for sickness, accident, death, terrorist acts, or any expenses incurred beyond normal involvement. IsleGO Missions commits to do all within its power to guarantee safety in all we do as a team. Each member of the team is insured by IsleGO Missions for the length of the journey.

I hereby give IsleGO Missions the right to use my photographs, voice and/or testimony in any type of promotional or advertising materials. My signature affixed below (and signature of a parent or legal guardian if I am under the age of 18 years) signifies my approval and commitment to all listed above.

Name (please print legibly) \_\_\_\_\_

Sign \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
(if under 18 years of age)

# IsleGO Mission's Missionary Journey Disclaimer

(NOTE: this form should be signed and returned by each team member to the  
IsleGO Missions office (550 Cidermill Place, Lake Mary, FL 32746))

Please pray and keep in mind that when you decided to go on your missionary journey you made a decision to serve God by serving others in another culture. You also made a commitment to God and IsleGO Missions to be an instrument of the good news of Christ, to carry His love and message to a particular group of Gods people who are eagerly waiting to host you as brothers and sisters in Christ.

Please consider the time and expenses that have gone into preparation for your trip. Both you and IsleGO Missions have a lot invested in your journey financially. IsleGO Missions has also invested both time and finances into building relationships with our host churches and pastors. It is very difficult to explain to our partners that we will be unable to fulfill our commitment to them and the members of his church. This is especially hard for those whose kids are excitedly waiting for Vacation Bible School or the people who were counting on the project your team was to complete while there.

*By I.R.S. definition, funds (donations or contributions) cannot be refunded. In addition, funds for each missions team are sent to our overseas partners in advance of team arrival so that all necessary materials are in place for your week there. Thus, if, for any reason, personal or providential (weather, sickness of team member or family member, death in the family, airline cancellation, etc.), an individual or group is unable to fulfill their commitment to the project for IsleGO Missions and its partners, the funds raised, **less incurred expenses and administrative costs**, will remain credited to the individual or church group for one year from the date of the mission's trip. If that individual or group does not use the credited amount within that 12-month period then all funds will be used for that initial intended project or host ministry. However, if a person cancels 30 days or less before the trip date no funds will be credited as 30 days before the trip is when we pay bills on behalf of the team.*

My signature below certifies that I have read and understand the above disclaimer on travel with IsleGO Missions.

Name (please print legibly) \_\_\_\_\_

Sign \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
(if under 18 years of age)