**Missions Committee**

**Mission Trip Scholarship Application**

Christ Redeemer Church believes and teaches that Jesus calls us to go into all the world and proclaim the gospel. Mark 16:15. To that end, CRC supports students and adults participating in short-term mission trips with prayer and supplemental financial assistance who seek to accomplish this goal.

The Missions Committee at CRC is responsible to evaluate and encourage members and friends of CRC to explore their calling toward this objective.

This application should be submitted to the Missions Committee a minimum of two months before the applicant is scheduled to participate in the proposed mission trip. As part of the process, applicants will be encouraged to meet with members of the Missions Committee to answer questions about their proposal.

It should be noted that it is CRC’s policy not to permit individuals or organizations to solicit funds during a worship service.

After sponsored applicants return from their mission trips, they will be asked to describe what they learned and their most impactful experience, how they grew in their relationship with the Lord or with other ministry partners, how the trip changed their personal sense of vision or calling, etc. They may also be asked to share some of their experiences and personal lessons with the congregation during a worship service.

Upon finishing this application, please email it to missions@christredeemerchurch.org.

Date:

**Applicant Information**

Name(s):

Address:

Email(s):

Phone Number(s):

**Proposal**

Please describe your connection with CRC including how long you’ve attended or participation in events or ministries.

Please provide the name of the sponsoring agency, its website address, and contact information you have for persons involved with the sponsor.

Please provide a description of your planned mission trip, e.g., dates, location, total cost of your trip and what expenses the total cost covers, amount of funding you seek from CRC, what you will be doing, what you hope to learn.

Please share your personal testimony about your relationship with Jesus Christ and why you want to go on the mission trip.

Please describe how you got to know the mission trip sponsor agency.

Please describe your logistical needs for the trip and any actions you have taken so far to address those needs (passport, visas, immunizations, health insurance, etc.)

Please feel free to share any additional information that may help the Missions Committee pray for and support your trip.

**Post Missions Trip Questions**

1. What did you do on your trip and what was accomplished? How did you see God at work during your trip?

2. Did you face any unexpected challenges? What were they, and how did you overcome or handle them?

3. How did your trip affect or influence your spiritual walk with the Lord? Were there any specific Bible verses that took on special meaning for you during your trip?

4. What was the most impactful, or most significant or rewarding, experience you had?

5. What needs did you see during your trip that we as a church could pray for?