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A Word from Bobby

The Blessings of a Summer Mission Trip

As the summer sun rises high, many students, families, and churches are preparing for an exciting God experience—they are going on life changing mission trips locally, nationally and internationally. A summer Christian mission trip is more than just traveling and serving; it's an opportunity to experience God's call while serving others in His name and being transformed in the process.

Why Take a Summer Mission Trip?

1. Living the Great Commission

Jesus said in Matthew 28:19, "Go therefore and make disciples of all nations..." Summer opens the door for many to fulfill this call in practical, powerful ways. Whether it's helping build a clean water system in Kenya, running a VBS in Costa Rica, or sharing the gospel in Irwinton, GA where our lives were changed by the building of a house. Mission trips bring the Gospel alive.

2. Spiritual Growth

Mission trips stretch your faith. They take you out of your comfort zone and into deeper awareness and dependence on God. Prayer becomes more real. Worship becomes more passionate. You begin to see God at work in others who have less material items but they are spiritually happier. You will never know until you go!

3. Developing a Heart for Others

Serving others, especially those in great need, softens our hearts and sharpens vision. You see people not as statistics or strangers, but as beloved friends and children of God. This kind of compassion doesn't end when the trip is over—it shapes how we live every day.

4. Strengthening Community

Whether you go with your youth group, family, or a church team, shared service builds deep bonds. As you laugh, pray, serve, and even struggle together, God forges lifelong friendships and a stronger church family.

5. Leaving a Lasting Impact

The work done during a mission trip—whether it's digging a well, feeding a village, or simply sharing the love of Christ—can have ripple effects for generations. And not just for those served, but for those who serve.

A Word of Encouragement

If God is stirring your heart to go this summer, say yes. Whether it's across the world or across the street, God will use your willingness. And you'll return home not only with photos and souvenirs—but with a deeper faith, a broader heart, and a renewed purpose.

Let this summer be the season you step out in faith—and see what God will do through you.

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Our Vision

The vision for this ministry is to equip individuals & local churches to become more actively involved in Christian mission opportunities and service.

To our Friends and Partners

A big **thank you** to our partners in this ministry! God has used you to serve Him and those that have been overlooked or forgotten, the least. We would love to come and share our ministry with your church, Sunday School, circle, civic group, school or community event.

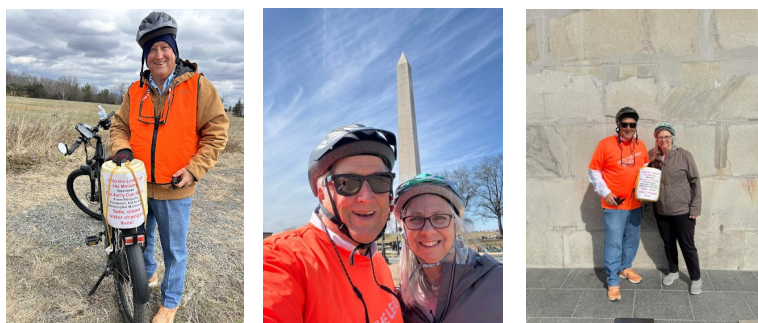
Please continue to pray for this ministry as we reach out to the least and the forgotten in our world!



Presley Harrison, a senior at Appling County High School and standout softball pitcher, is using her athletic talent to serve others through her initiative, Strike Out Hunger. For every strikeouts she records, sponsors donate funds that support global humanitarian efforts, including feeding programs, clean water wells in Kenya and India, and education for young girls.

This year, Presley raised over \$8,000, partnering with Rev. Bobby Gale of Unto The Least of His to bring hope and resources to underserved communities. Her mission empowers others by linking sports to global change, showing that youth and passion can make a real difference. As she heads to the University of Georgia, Presley is poised to continue changing lives—one pitch at a time.

Hallelujah! The Jerry Can Mission Ride has been completed from the John Wesley Monument on Cockspur Island, GA to the Washington, D.C. Monument and we are deeply grateful for all the prayers, encouragement, and love that helped carry the Jerry Can to the finish line! The clean water mission continues. We are already seeking the next Jerry Can campaign to glorify God and raise awareness for clean water around the world. What's next?



I'm gratefully to Rev. Dr. Josh Gale for facilitating a meaningful meeting with Global Methodist Bishop Kimba Evariste and myself. Josh's exceptional ability to connect people is evident and Bishop Kimba holds him in high esteem—like a son in the faith. For years, Josh, Bishop Kimba and I have partnered in ministry efforts, providing clean water, Bibles, clothes, bicycles, food, and other essentials to communities in Africa. The meeting affirmed the strength of our shared mission and our deep bonds of love for the least.



Rev. Mike Ricker and I prepared for a God-sized adventure to Central America. We were excited, expectant, and trusting that the Lord had already gone before us.

"The steps of a good man are ordered by the Lord, and He delights in his way." — Psalm 37:2



After an unsuccessful attempt of drilling for water, we tried again in another location in India to find water. We are so thankful for this new situation because it reminded us not to give up. A big shout out to our partners and to Safe and Save Water friends.



What a joy it was to bring a food basket to local pastors in Cañas, Costa Rica. It may have been a small offering, but the blessing we received was overwhelming!