## <u>Go FISH Outreach Young Adult Mission Trip July 26 – Aug 2, 2025 (Ages 18 – 40)</u> Links to Our <u>Welcome Video</u>, <u>Flyer</u> and the <u>Application Form</u>!

- 1. What is the organization we will be serving? <u>Mustard Seed Communities</u> MSC rescues abandoned orphans with disabilities and cares for them as FAMILY!
- 2. Where will we be going? Sophie's Place in Jamaica at Mustard Seed Communities
- 3. What do I need to do to go on the trip?
  - Apply! Fill out <u>Missionary Commitment and Application Form</u>
    - A leader from the team will call you for an interview within a week
  - After Accepted! Fill Out GFO Missionary Registration & Send in \$200 Deposit
    - Current passport & current tetanus shot are needed
    - Sign up @ Mustard Seed Communities for our team (Go FISH Outreach)
    - Fill out MSC's background check (Sterling link will be sent from MSC)
- 4. What will I be required to raise? All money and prayer partners are due June 26th
  - Friend Raising Goals: \$2,200 and 30 Prayer Partners
    - \$200 nonrefundable deposit to Go FISH Outreach to hold your spot this pays for our group to bring a priest, donated supplies, t shirt, journal, etc.
    - \$1250 Goes directly to MSC for all trans., meals, housing, security, supplies
    - \$750 Delta airfare -You can use miles for flt if same as ours to reduce \$
  - The trip begins for a missionary the day they ask someone to be a prayer partner or ask for a donation. This is one of the hardest and most beneficial parts of the pre-trip, so we will offer training for a <u>four-hour plan</u> to raise the prayers/funds. All cost can be totally fundraised!! Training provided!!!
  - Here is the <u>Go FISH Outreach</u> website for friends to donate. All checks should be made to Go FISH Outreach (5013c Nonprofit). Venmo is an option too. Companies with Matching gifts are a GREAT option! Ask your friends!
- 5. Scholarships available for airfare! Due to a generous donation of one of our prayer partners, missionaries on our Leadership Team will be awarded airfare <u>Apply here</u>. Some scholarships are available for certain responsibilities on our Task Force Team <u>email</u> for info.
- 6. Can I pay for the trip myself?
  - Missionaries can contribute \$1200 towards their own trip and raise the rest
- 7. Missionary Gatherings: Here is our Zoom Link for our meetings
  - Zoom Calls at 8pm: Feb. 9th April 13th May 18th June 8th
  - Mandatory In Person Friend Raising Mtg. Sun. March 23<sup>rd</sup> @ 12:30 3pm (Janice and Grace's home – 518 Little Way Dahlonega GA 30533)
  - Mandatory In-Person Packing Party: Sun. July 13th @ 3pm Place TBA
  - Mission Trip is July 26th thru Aug 2<sup>nd</sup> Jamaica!
  - In Person Reunion: Sun. Aug 10<sup>th</sup> @ 2 pm Place TBA
- 8. Will I have other responsibilities before the trip? YES. We ask each missionary to sign up for pre-trip task groups to spread the work around a bit! More info on Zoom calls.
- 9. What if I can't go but want to be on the mission team? Great!! Contact Janice.

## Resources:

- Our Mission Trip Website!
- Group email: <u>MustardSeedMissionaries@proton.Me</u>
- Group Business Card available or take picture and send as text, social media, etc.



- Here's the answer to your questions: FAQ
- <u>Another Missionary's thoughts</u>
- <u>Mission Volunteer Handbook</u>
- <u>A Day in the Life of a Mission Volunteer</u>
- Personal and Group Packing Lists
- <u>MSC's Guide to Interacting with Residents</u>