

FAQS

Church of the Holy Apostles

a Biblically faithful community that connects people to Christ through love in action.



WHERE AND WHEN ARE WE GOING?

San Salvador, El Salvador

July 27, 2024 - August 3, 2024

WHAT IS THE NAME OF THE MINISTRY PARTNER?

Sus Hijos / His Children. This is our first trip to San Salvador; however, another local church (St. Martin's) has been on several trips to El Salvador.

WHAT WILL WE BE DOING?

Possible activities are building and furnishing a house, visiting an orphanage for special needs adults, visiting orphanages where we will play with the kids and share Bible stories, share a beach day with kids from an orphanage, and feeding the homeless and community.

HOW MUCH DOES THE MISSION TRIP COST?

Cost for the trip including airfare, food, all expenses is \$2000.00. The cost of building and furnishing the home will be paid by COTHA Missions Team.

HOW DO WE GET THERE?

We will all travel on the same flight with United Airlines. It is a direct flight out of Houston Intercontinental Airport and approximately 3 hour flight.

DO WE HAVE TO KNOW HOW TO SPEAK SPANISH?

No, translators will be provided. There are also other COTHA members travelling who speak Spanish.

WHERE WILL WE BE STAYING?

We will be staying at the Mission House of Sus Hijos. There is one bunkroom for the boys and one bunkroom for the girls. There is a bathroom for each of the bunkrooms that includes 2 sinks, 2 toilets, and 2 showers. The Mission House is air-conditioned with WiFi. Filtered cold water is available at the Mission House.

WHAT DO I NEED TO BRING?

A packing list will be provided before the trip. You may have 2 carry-ons and 1 checked bag. You may have a second checked bag full of donations. This will be coordinated as a group.

WHAT IS THE WEATHER LIKE?

The usual high in San Salvador in late July early August is around 85 degrees. The low can range from 67-72 degrees. There are chances for rain during our trip; however, the rain usually does not last for any significant time.

DO I NEED TO BRING MONEY?

Meals, lodging, and transportation are included in the cost of your trip. You may want to bring some cash (the US dollar is the official currency of El Salvador) for any of the following:

- We will be going to an outdoor market on the last day, so bring money if you want to buy souvenirs.
- We will be stopping at gas stations on our way to some of the activities. You may want money for snacks / drinks.
- Sometimes the kids at the orphanages make bracelets. You do not have to buy them, but you can. They usually cost a few dollars.

MORE QUESTIONS?

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