

Dear Applicant:

We are pleased that you are planning to participate in a missions project. Please complete the following application form and return to the Missions Team. We will review your application as soon as possible. You will be notified following our next meeting whether or not your project has been approved for financial support.

POLICY ON SUPPORT FOR SHORT-TERM MISSIONS PROJECTS

PURPOSE

The purpose of the policy for short-term missions projects is to:

1. Help the Missions Team identify those projects that best align with the vision and goals of Christ Community Church.
2. Inform the applicant of the rules under which support can be given.
3. Identify the steps required to apply for financial support from the church.

POLICIES

1. Only current or former members or regular attenders will be considered for support.
2. The attached application must be completed and returned to the Missions Team. The applicant will be informed of the committee decision concerning the application.
3. Applicants who receive funds from the Missions Team may not solicit additional funds from individuals in the church unless they are personal friends.
4. An applicant who receives funds is expected to submit a written or verbal report to the Missions Team within one month of completion of the project or give some form of church presentation within three months. This should describe, in your own words, what you did on the project and how you saw God work in your life and in the lives of others. If the project is longer than six months, regular updates/newsletters should be sent to the Missions Team at the church address.
5. Send the application and written report to:
Short-Term Missions Coordinator
Christ Community Church
5501 George Washington Carver Rd.
Ames, IA 50010
6. Letters of recommendation should also be returned to the Short-Term Missions Coordinator.

Submit to: **Short-Term Missions Coordinator**
Christ Community Church
5501 George Washington Carver Rd.
Ames, IA 50010
OR email Marcia Korneisel: mlkorn@yahoo.com

APPLICATION FOR FINANCIAL SUPPORT: SHORT-TERM MISSIONS PROJECT

Date of Application: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

Permanent Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

What is the best way to contact you? phone text e-mail mail

Are you a current member of Christ Community Church? Yes No OR

Are you a past member of Christ Community Church? Yes No

Are you now or have you ever been a regular attender of Christ Community Church? Yes No

If not currently attending Christ Community Church, where do you attend?

I attend _____

If the answer to all the above questions is no, we will not be able to consider your application.

Please briefly describe how you came into a relationship with Jesus Christ.

In what area(s) have you been involved at Christ Community, or in your current church?

Please describe other Christian service involvement (*outside of church*) in the past year.

Have you completed any missions coursework (*Perspectives, other*) or attended Urbana or a similar missions conference? Yes No If yes, please briefly describe.

Are you seriously considering vocational (longer-term) missions involvement in the future?

Location of Project: _____

Starting Date of Project: _____

Ending Date of Project: _____

Sponsoring Organization: _____

Please describe your missions project and what you hope to accomplish.

How much support are you requesting from the church? *(The amount granted will depend on trip duration, location and financial need.)* _____

Total funds required *(Please list cost of major budgeted items.)*

Current amount still needed: _____ Funds needed by *(date)*: _____

Make check payable to *(organization)*: _____
If you have an account number, please include that here as well.

Send check to *(address)*: _____

Please list at least one *(preferably two)* reference(s) from someone actively involved in the ministry of Christ Community Church, and include a letter of recommendation from each of them.

Reference #1 _____

Reference #2 _____

Other comments:

I agree to fulfill Policy #4 requiring a verbal or written report to the Missions Team following my project or sending regular updates if my project is over six months. Yes No

Send hard copy reports to:

Short-Term Missions Coordinator
Christ Community Church
5501 George Washington Carver Rd.
Ames, IA 50010

OR e-mail reports to: **mlkorn@yahoo.com** and a copy to **lteske@ccames.org**