

Boone UMC Missions

Application for Short-Term Missions Support

Name:

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Boone United Methodist Church seeks to partner with individuals and organizations that are committed to spreading the good news of Jesus Christ around the world. We recognize that modern missions may look different to various people groups and in other parts of the world. As a result, we seek to thoughtfully engage and support specific efforts that tell people about Jesus Christ, build up the local church, and do both in a culturally relevant and engaging way. Specifically, our church is committed to uniting with others who feel God calling them into missions with our prayers and financial support. To help our church gain a better understanding of your mission, we have developed this application which we feel asks important questions about your calling and how you think we can help. Further, we feel this application process provides clarity and accountability for both you and us as we try to be faithful stewards of God's calling and resources.

This application should be used for those who wish to engage in mission projects and activities that are one month or shorter. We ask all leaders of missions activities from BUMC to fill out this application whether or not they or their team need financial support. We will use these applications as reminders to pray for those engaging in missions efforts from our church, as well as a tool to communicate to the church at large what God is doing through your team and around the world. Finally, if financial support is needed, we will use this application as a starting point for the BUMC Missions Committee to consider how we can best support your efforts. Please limit your responses to the following questions to one page. Please return your responses to our Pastor of Community Engagement, Rev. Laura Byrch by the first of the month so that the Missions Committee can consider any financial request and pray for you at our monthly meeting.

Please tell us about your mission's efforts.

- What are you doing?
- When are you going?
- Who is the contact person for this missions effort?
- Do you have an affiliation with another organization or church?
- How many people are joining you on this mission? How many BUMC members?
- Do you need financial support? If so, how much?
- How do you plan on letting our church at large know about what you are doing?
- What other pieces of information do you think are important to know?
- What can the BUMC Mission Committee do that would be helpful to you and your team?