

Uganda Mission Trip 2020 Application



James 1:27 *“Religion that God our Father accepts as pure and faultless is this: to look after orphans and widows in their distress.”*

Purpose:

Our Vineyard team will work with Pastor Stanley LoNathan and the children of the Dreamland Children's Home to meet their physical, spiritual and financial needs during their time as refugees in northern Uganda. Team members will focus on children's programs, medical and evangelistic outreaches. We have been in partnership with the Dreamland Children's Home since 2008. After war spread dangerously close to the home in South Sudan, Pastor Stanley and the children of the Dreamland fled to a refugee camp near Arua, Uganda. They are now making a new life for themselves while continuing to pour out Christ to their community.

**Team is limited to ten people*

When: Monday, August 31 – Wednesday, September 9, 2020

Trip Cost: \$2,300 - \$2,500 (*Final cost is dependent upon airline ticket prices*)

Due in 3 payments:

- \$300 due with application by Sunday, March 1, 2020
- \$700 due by Sunday, April 12
- Balance due by Sunday, August 9

Please note: We encourage you to raise financial and prayer support from your family & friends for this mission trip; **plan to attend our fundraising workshop on Sunday, February 16th.**

The Vineyard will accept donations on your behalf for the mission trip but only for the mission trip fee; not for additional costs listed below.

***Please wait until receiving confirmation that you are accepted before fundraising.*

Trip Leader: Kathy Smarrella

Requirements: Applicants will need to meet the following requirements:

- Regular attender at The Vineyard Church
- This trip is open to adults ages 18 and older
- Valid Passport or proof of application for passport due with this application (
- Good spiritual and physical health

Included in Trip Cost: Airfare and other transportation, Housing/Hotel, food while in Africa, Entry Visa's, Health & Emergency Evacuation Insurance

Additional personal expenses not included in the Trip Cost:

- Food while traveling in U.S. and Europe
- Cost for immunizations & medication (Required: Yellow Fever, Typhoid, DPT, Hepatitis A&B, anti-malaria)
- Passport costs (FYI: allow 6 weeks and approx. \$150 for your passport)
- Spending money for souvenirs or to give away

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Required Team Meeting: Sunday, March 29, 1–3pm, Jackson Road Campus

Living Arrangements for the team:

- The team will likely be staying in a hotel in or near Arua. Keep in mind that hotel accommodations in Uganda will not have the same luxuries as those in the United States. Expect a rustic living situation with few amenities.

If you have any questions about the trip, please contact:

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