

# SUMMER 2017 EAST ASIA SHORT TERM MISSIONS

## **DATES OF TRIP:**

July 10 to July 24, 2017

## **PURPOSE OF THE TRIP:**

**East Asia** To reach out to East Asia community through a conversational English Camp, where the campers will learn role plays strategically written to generate conversations over lunch; To introduce Denton Bible Church congregants to the work in East Asia; and to help expand the understanding of all believers of our call to participate in God's global work

**DBC** To glorify God, to share the gospel, to grow the love for God in ourselves and internationals, to grow unity among our team through friendships of care, to expose as many people from DBC as possible to short-term missions, and to experience growth toward Christian maturity by developing new ministry skills.

## **TYPE OF TRIP:**

Assist our SERVE team in East Asia with a conversational English camp, either in a large urban setting or in a rural setting. In addition, we will serve the SERVE Team in whatever manner they need us to.

## **WHO CAN GO ON THIS TRIP:**

This trip is open to everyone.

## **EXPENSES:**

The total expenses for the trip are \$2,800 per person. This includes airfare, lodging, meals, supplies, ground transportation, insurance, and ministry supplies. We will raise the money for this trip through support letters.

## **ACCOMMODATIONS:**

To be determined once the location of the camp is selected.

## **MEALS:**

Breakfast, lunch and dinner will be provided. You will be fed!

## **TRANSPORTATION:**

**Air:** We have 15 seats reserved on AA, direct from DFW to East Asia.

**Ground:** The SERVE team will arrange ground transportation

## **COMPONENTS TO THE TRIP**

1. Before you go--Team Meetings (training and planning of the trip)
2. Travel to the field, DFW to Vienna, Austria, you are always "on"
3. While in the field - Body of the trip/fulfill purpose of the trip
4. Travel from the field – Vienna, Austria to DFW, you are always "on"
5. Back home--start evaluating trip/think through experience
6. Debriefing- time to talk about what you learned, work through feelings and culture shock.

## **COMMITMENT:**

- To pray
- To be a servant team member
- To raise support
- To participate in all 6 mandatory parts to a trip



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## WHAT NEXT?

- a) Each person on the trip must complete all paperwork
  - i) First Time in 2017? Application
    - (1) Application
    - (2) Testimony
    - (3) Short Term Support Raising Signature Form
    - (4) Waiver
    - (5) References
    - (6) Denton Bible Church Volunteer Screening Form (if not already completed)
    - (7) Denton Bible Church Children & Student Protection Policy (if not already completed)
  - ii) Subsequent trip in 2017?
    - (1) Short Form Application
    - (2) Waiver
    - (3) Short Term Support Raising Signature Form
- b) Return to Missions office as soon as prayerfully possible, but no later than **Monday, March 20 at 5pm**. You can also drop in the offering box in an envelope with Joe Calfee's name on it, or give it to me on a Tuesday or a Sunday.
- c) Write your support letter and send a Word copy of it to Joe Calfee for review by **Friday, March 31**. Once approved, you will need to have it in the mail by **Monday, April 3**. Account number is 8700-39 - East Asia.
- d) Attend weekly meetings set by the team leader.
- e) Meet the following financial deadlines:
  - i) \$100 due – **Thursday, April 10**
  - ii) Airfare Balance due – **Wednesday, June 7**
  - iii) Support Balance due – **Wednesday, June 27**
- f) Participate in Support Celebration in September.

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