



**"DECLARE HIS GLORY
AMONG THE NATIONS,
HIS MARVELOUS DEEDS
AMONG ALL PEOPLES"
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HOW TO REGISTER

Simply fill out the registration/medical form and send it along with a \$400 deposit to La Crescenta Presbyterian Church: 2902 Montrose Avenue, La Crescenta, CA 91214. Note: the form for high schoolers requires a parent's signature.

TRIP COST

\$1490. Fees cover airfare and ground transportation, room and board, taxes, and misc. expenses. High Schoolers can contact Josh Horton for subsidy opportunities.

PREPARATION, DATES AND DEADLINES

- **TUESDAY, DECEMBER 4:** Informational Interest Meeting | 7-8pm in Fireside Room at LCPC.
- **FRIDAY, JANUARY 25:** Registration and \$400 deposit due. This payment guarantees your place.
- **MONDAY, MAY 20.** Final Balance Due!
- All team members need a current passport which must be valid for at least six months beyond the trip's end-date

FOR MORE INFO

*For fundraising ideas, history of the trip, registration forms and more, visit www.lcpc.net OR contact
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PROJECT DOMINICANA

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La Crescenta Presbyterian Church

ABOUT THE D.R.

The people of the D.R. are gracious and friendly. The country is poor, but the government is stable. Our hosts are Haitian-Dominican people who have migrated to the D.R. from neighboring Haiti. We work in partnership with the Beraca and Maranatha Churches. These congregations have been reaching out to poor Haitian migrant workers since 1985. Living in squalid, rural villages where they harvest sugar cane, migrant workers and their families have many basic needs including health care and education. They have much to teach us about joy and faith in the midst of their struggles.



WHAT WE DO

Working in partnership with local churches in La Romana, a seaside city of about 240,000 people, located 2 hrs. east of Santo Domingo on the breezy southern coast of the Dominican Republic, our construction team will repair and improve homes of families living in poverty in the Barrio of Kilometer 6. Our medical team will be conducting mobile health care clinics in the rural villages surrounding La Romana where many Haitian immigrants have settled to cut sugar cane.

MEDICAL CONCERNS

Hepatitis A Vaccine is required for participants. Hepatitis B is required for medical workers. Malaria protection and typhoid vaccine are also recommended. See www.cdc.gov/travel for more information.



WHO CAN APPLY?

These trips are designed for both senior highers and adults who are in reasonably good physical condition. No special skills required, but we will be more productive if our team includes people who are medically trained (nurses, doctors or dentists) or people who are skilled in carpentry, masonry, or other construction abilities. You do not have to be a member of LCPC to register. The leadership team will include Andy Wilson and Josh Horton and other leaders to be announced.



TRAVEL AND ACCOMMODATIONS

We fly round trip via COPA AIR from LAX to Santo Domingo. Food and a clean dormitory are provided at the work camp complex, located in downtown La Romana. Four large, secure sleeping rooms (each with bunks, toilets and showers) can accommodate our group and many others. Women from the Haitian Missionary Baptist Church prepare delicious Dominican food that is safe for Americans to eat. We eat at the housing complex.

Plenty of bottled water is available for us to drink at the complex and at the worksite. We travel on 50-passenger buses with a local driver. In addition to five full days of work, the schedule will include a tour of rural villages, daily Bible studies, worship and evening recreation. Dominican friends share their lives and culture with us in the evenings. We retreat for the last day and a half of the trip for recreation and reflection at a local beach resort.

