

LWML Washington-Alaska District

Short Term Mission Opportunities

1. Alaska Mission for Christ alaskamissionforchrist.org

Alaska Mission for Christ is a Lutheran non-profit organization dedicated to bringing the Gospel of Jesus Christ to Alaska. Short term volunteers typically commit to serving 5- 10 days working with youth programs, building projects, community outreach, plus other activities as needed.

For more information contact Jan Bruick: janbruick@alaskamissionforchrist.org

2. LAMP: Lutheran Association of Missionaries and Pilots lampministry.org

LAMP is a cross- cultural ministry sharing Jesus Christ with God's people in remote areas of Canada. Volunteer teams minister through Vacation Bible School, adult or youth Bible studies, sports programs, or community dinners. Teams are asked to make a commitment to serve 5 years in the same community.

For more information email or call: shelly@lampministry.org 1-800-307-4036 Ext. 1

3. MOST: Mission Opportunities Short Term mostministries.org

Short term mission teams serve in rural and urban settings across the globe. Teams minister to physical and spiritual needs of people. Projects include: agricultural education, clean water outreach, construction, dental clinics, English camp, eyeglass clinics, health education, plus more.

For more information contact:

Volunteer Coordinator Kelly Bone at 734-929-1164

4. LCMS Disaster Relief lcms.org/disaster response

Mission: LCMS Disaster response ministry responds to immediate and long-term needs following natural and man-made disasters. LERT (Lutheran Early Response Teams) volunteers receive training before joining a response event.

For more information visit the website listed above.

5. Habitat for Humanity habitat.org

Mission: Seeking to put God's love into action by bringing people together to build homes, communities, and hope. Volunteer opportunities are available in your local areas, nationwide, and around the world.

For more information you can contact Habitat through their website (listed above), or through your local Thrivent representative.

6. Mercy Medical Teams servenow.lcms.org/short-term

Health care professionals provide desperately needed health care to thousands of patients in underserved regions around the globe. Volunteers (medical professionals) volunteer abroad in a variety of clinical and health related settings. Training is provided. For more information contact Erin Alter, director of short term missions mercyteams@lcms.org

7. Lutherans in Medical Missions limm.org

Medical professionals bring the Good News of Jesus Christ to people all over the world with their special gift of healing. They work in medically underserved communities.

For more information contact via email: limm@limm.org
This group also has a Facebook page under the same name.

8. Lutheran Latino Ministries lutheranlatinoministries.org

Mission: Provide the Gospel of Christ and engage in ministry with and among Hispanic/Latino people. Reach the lost and disciple the saved by connecting people and resources for gospel outreach; training leaders, and providing culturally and linguistically accessible Word and Sacrament ministry in every corner of the Northwest District. This organization is based in Oregon, but also has some outreach in Washington. Volunteers might help in several ways, such as providing transportation to Sunday School or appointments, helping with English classes, or working with food banks.

For more information visit the website (listed above), or call the office at: 503-930-0386

9. Fuller Center Disaster ReBuilders disaster-rebuilders.org

This Christian organization is dedicated to serving the uninsured and low-income homeowners by rebuilding homes following major disasters. Volunteers work during all seasons, Monday-Friday, and are welcome to join the team for any length of time during any month. Tools are provided and team leaders supervise and teach unskilled groups. Volunteers pay a small fee depending on length of stay.

For more information contact:

Lyn Wilson, volunteer scheduler 346-763-7499

Email: disaster-rebuilders@fullercenter.org