

**Impact 2012
Trip Application**
Due Sunday January 15, 2012

Dear Applicant:

We are excited about your interest in participating in a short-term mission project. Through this application process we hope to get to know you better so as to insure the best possible experience for you and for the project.

The application process for mission 2012 projects will include the following requirements:

1. Complete the attached application
2. Participate in an oral interview **(January 22 or 29)**
3. Commit to attend all team meetings and planned events
4. **February 10-11, 2012** is the Missions boot camp for China, Romania and Louisiana. Attendance is required for missionaries desiring to serve with these trips.

We realize you are interested in going on a project and, therefore, want to present yourself in a positive light. Please, however, as you go through the application process, make every attempt to be open and honest. Your application will be reviewed confidentially. These questions are not meant to be an evaluation or judgment of you as a person, but are simply a method of evaluating whether or not your participation on one of the teams is the best possible situation for you and for the project. Please fully complete the application.

We trust that the Lord will lead as you participate in the application process. Please evaluate your commitment carefully before signing the application.

**BETHANY CHURCH SHORT TERM MISSIONS
APPLICATION FORM**

Instructions

Please **PRINT** or **TYPE** when filling out this application. If you have any questions please contact Pastor Scott Foster at **(562) 597-2411** or **sfoster@bethanylb.org**

Who is this Application For?

This application is intended for people interested in joining a Bethany Church short-term mission team.

General Information

Last Name _____ First _____

Address _____

City _____ State ____ Zip _____

Phone (home) _____ (work) _____

E-Mail _____ (fax) _____

Date of Birth _____ Age _____

(If you are under 18 you must have a parental release signed)

Marital Status (single, married, widowed)

Spouse's Name _____

Names of children _____

Identification Information

Drivers License or ID # _____ State ____ Exp. Date ____

Citizenship _____ Passport# _____ Exp. Date _____

Soc. Security # _____ Country _____

Green Card Number _____ Exp. Date _____

Background Information

Church Affiliation:

What is your church background? _____

How long have you been attending Bethany? ____years ____months

Education:

Do you have a high school diploma or equivalent? YES/ NO

Do you have B.A or B.S.? YES/ NO	Major	Grad Date
Do you have a M.A.? YES/ NO	Major	Grad Date
Have you studied Theology? YES/ NO	Where?	

Other Educational Background:

Have you ever traveled overseas or to another country?

Where	Year	Length of Stay

What foreign languages have you studied?

Language	Number of Years	Conversational Rating

Are you fluent enough in any of these languages to act as a translator? YES/ NO (if you answered yes, please place a * next to the language(s) you can translate)

Employment & Finances

What is your present occupation? _____

Where do you work? _____

Do you have any major reservations regarding asking people to pray and support your trip financially?

Spiritual Background

Briefly state the date and circumstances of the following in your life (use a blank sheet if necessary):

Testimony Story:

In what ministries are you currently serving in or out of Bethany Church?

What previous training in ministry or service have you had?

Why do you want to serve on a mission team?

Serving Christ in a foreign environment will require that we live outside our own cultural norms. Will you be able to lay aside expectations of American standards regarding personal conveniences, food, sleeping, accommodations, dress, travel, etc.? YES/ NO

Do you think you will have a problem with any specific issue? Please comment:

Feel free to comment on your answer to any of these questions on a separate sheet of paper:

Do you believe the Bible to be the inspired and infallible word of God in its entirety?
YES/ NO

Do you believe there is one God, eternally existing and manifesting Himself to us in three Persons (Father, Son and Holy Spirit)? YES/ NO

Do you believe in the full deity of Christ as Almighty God? YES/ NO

Do you believe in the full deity of the Holy Spirit as Almighty God? YES/ NO

Do you believe in the virgin birth of Christ? YES/ NO

Do you believe that Christ died for the full payment of our sins both past, current and future? YES/ NO

Do you believe that you are saved entirely by God's grace apart from any of your own merits? YES/ NO

Do you believe that Jesus rose bodily from the grave after having died on the cross?
YES/NO

Do you hold that belief in Jesus is the only way to heaven for all of mankind? YES/
NO

By signing below I am acknowledging that I have filled in the above information to the best of my knowledge and ability:

Applicant's Signature: _____

Date: _____