



**Serving HIM Missions Application (Romania)**

Please complete and send in the following immediately:

**Mission Application:** page 2

- **Signed Code of Conduct Agreement and Biblical Doctrine on Faith and Unity on Beliefs Agreement:** page 3
- **Signed Fundraising Contract and Notarized Travel Release Form:** page 5 (must be notarized)
- **Initial Deposit Coupon and Payment:** to hold your space, send in the coupon below with your \$400 non-refundable deposit.
- **Photocopy of your Passport:** send in a copy of the portrait and signature page(s) from your passport. Your passport must be valid for at least 7 months of you travel. If you are in the process of obtaining your passport, please send us all other application materials and your passport photocopy (portrait) as soon as you receive it. If you are within three months of the departure date and do not have one, please contact your Trip Coordinator immediately.
- **Photocopy of Professional License and Diploma (Dentists and Doctors):** we will need a copy of these items if you plan to practice during the mission trip.
- **Story:** Complete a one page or paragraph about what God has done in your life. Page 4

**Mail the pieces above and the coupon below to:**

Serving HIM  
P.O. Box 794151  
Dallas, TX 75379

*Cut here and include the coupon below with your \$400 non-refundable deposit to hold your space.*

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**Initial Deposit Coupon**

Name (**as stated on Passport or Birth Certificate**):  
Last \_\_\_\_\_ First \_\_\_\_\_ Middle \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_  
Trip Destination \_\_\_\_\_ Trip Dates \_\_\_\_\_

**Serving HIM Mission Application**

**General Information:**

Name (as stated on Passport or Birth Certificate):

Last \_\_\_\_\_ First \_\_\_\_\_ Middle \_\_\_\_\_

Physical Address (no PO Boxes) \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_ @ \_\_\_\_\_

Gender:  Male  Female Birth Date \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Marital Status:  Single  Married Name of Spouse \_\_\_\_\_

Anyone related to you traveling on this trip?  Yes  No List \_\_\_\_\_

If you are under the age of 18, who is your chaperone? \_\_\_\_\_

My primary motivation in applying is:  Trip Leader  My Doctor/Dentist  Web  Magazine

Friend/Relative  Pastor/Church  Other \_\_\_\_\_

I am applying for the following position:

Doctor, Specialty \_\_\_\_\_  Dentist, Specialty \_\_\_\_\_

*\*\*Note to all doctors and dentists: please include a copy of your license and diploma with your application.*

Evangelism Participant  Other Medical/Dental \_\_\_\_\_

**Trip Information:**

I would like to apply for the following trip:

- May 31<sup>st</sup> - June 9<sup>th</sup> (Prestonwood)                       June 6<sup>th</sup> - June 15<sup>th</sup> (Dallas)
- July 25<sup>th</sup> - August 3<sup>rd</sup> (Alabama)                       August 1<sup>st</sup> - August 10<sup>th</sup> (Florida)
- August 29<sup>th</sup> - September 7<sup>th</sup> (Arlington, Tx)

T-shirt size:  S  M  L  XL  XXL Men's Women's

**Passport Information:** (please send a copy of your passport's portrait/signature page)

*\*\*If you do not have a passport, please leave this portion of the application blank and apply for one immediately and contact trip coordinator. Go to Step Five secure Your Passport of the Preparation Guide.*

Passport Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Citizenship:  USA  Canada Other \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Issuance \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Date of Expiration \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Place of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

**Field Ministry:**

I have been on a trip with Serving HIM:  Yes  No List Years \_\_\_\_\_

I am proficient in the following languages (i.e. I can translate conversationally for my teammates):

Spanish  French  Romanian  German  Russian  Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Medical Information:**

Do you have any particular health problems or physical limitations?  Yes  No

Describe \_\_\_\_\_

Are you (or will you be at the time of the trip) on any medication(s)?  Yes  No

Please list \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have any chronic diseases or allergies?  Yes  No

Please list \_\_\_\_\_

Are your vaccinations up to date?  Yes  No

Recommended vaccines include Hepatitis A, Hepatitis B, Typhoid, Tetanus-diphtheria and measles. See the CDC website for further information. <http://www.cdc.gov/travel/easteurp.htm#vaccines>

**Emergency Contact:** (please do not list anyone who will be traveling with you on the trip)

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to you \_\_\_\_\_

Beneficiary to be named for the insurance policy Serving HIM will purchase for you:

First \_\_\_\_\_ Middle \_\_\_\_\_ Last \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_ @ \_\_\_\_\_

**Authorization:**

I have read and understand the above information. The information I have given is accurate and true to the best of my knowledge. My enclosed signature (and signature of my parent or legal guardian because I am under the age of 18) signifies my approval of participation on a Serving HIM mission trip.

**Applicant's Signature** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

**Parent Signature (if under 18)** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

**PRINCIPLES AND TRUTHS HELD BY SERVING HIM TO ENCOURAGE UNITY AND COOPERATION IN THE BODY OF CHRIST**

**THE GOAL OF UNITY:** The task of finally finishing the Great Commission is bigger than any one part of the Body of Christ. God wants to use the entire Body of Christ to finish this task. The Bible says: *“Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit” Mathew 28:19*

**UNITY BASED ON TRUTH:** Serving HIM seeks to serve as a catalyst for spiritual Biblical unity in the Body of Christ. *“standing firm in one spirit, with one mind, by contending side by side for the faith of the gospel” Philippians 1:27b*

**STATEMENT OF FAITH:** Serving HIM believes that unity must be based on the essential absolute truths of the Bible which are Holy Spirit-breathed.

- **God** We believe that the Godhead eternally exists in three persons—the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit—and that these three are one God.
- **Jesus** We believe in the deity of Jesus Christ. His virgin birth, sinless life, miracles, death on the cross to provide for our redemption, bodily resurrection and ascension into heaven, present ministry of intercession for us, and His return to earth in power and glory.
- **Holy Spirit** We believe in the personality and deity of the Holy Spirit, that He performs the miracle of new birth in an unbeliever and indwells believers, enabling them to live godly lives.
- **Bible** We believe in the divine inerrant verbal inspiration of the Scriptures. As the revelation of God, we believe the Bible to be the sole authority and sufficiency with regard to Christian faith and practice.
- **Man** We believe that man was originally created in the image of God, Adam fell through sin and as a consequence of his sin, lost his spiritual life. Thus every person is born into the world with a nature that is essentially and unchangeably sinful apart from divine grace of Jesus Christ.
- **Salvation** We believe that, due to universal death through sin, no one can enter the kingdom of God unless they accept Jesus Christ as their personal savior through faith.

**CODE OF CONDUCT AGREEMENT**

I realize that the following elements are crucial to the effectiveness, quality and safety of our mission trip together. As a member of the team, I agree to:

- Remember that I am a guest working at the invitation of a local pastor.
- Remember that I have come to learn not to teach. I may run across procedures that I feel are inefficient, or attitudes that I find closed-minded. I will resist the temptation to inform our hosts about "how I do things". I will be open to learning other people's methods and ideas.
- Respect the host's view of Christianity. I recognize that Christianity has many faces throughout the world, and that the purpose of this trip is to witness and experience faith lived out in a new setting.
- Develop and maintain a servant's attitude towards all nationals and my teammates.
- Respect my team leader(s) and his or her decisions. I will be on-time to all meetings.
- Refrain from gossip. I may be surprised at how each person will blossom when freed from the concern that others may be passing judgment.
- Refrain from complaining. I know that a mission trip can present numerous unexpected and undesirable circumstances, but the rewards of conquering such circumstances are innumerable. I will be positive and supportive.
- Respect the labor that is going on in the country with the particular church(s) or person(s) with whom we are working. I realize that our team is here for just a short while, but that the local church is here for the long-term. I will respect their knowledge, insights and instructions.
- Refrain from negative political comments or hostile discussions concerning our host country's politics.
- Remember not to be exclusive in my relationships. If my spouse or boyfriend/girlfriend is on the team, we will make every effort to interact with all members of the team, not just one another.
- Refrain from any activity that could be construed as a romantic interest towards a national. I realize certain activities that seem innocent in my own culture may be inappropriate in others.
- Wear modest clothing throughout the trip. I understand that some clothes acceptable in the US may not be culturally acceptable in other countries. This includes refraining from eccentric fingernail polish, lipsticks or hair colors.
- Have responsible eating habits. I understand that the food may be different than what I am accustomed to.
- Abstain from the consumption of alcoholic beverages, the use of tobacco, or the use of drugs.
- Avoid any un-Christ-like behavior while on the trip.

**I agree to abide by the code of conduct stated above:**

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Printed Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

**UNITY AND COOPERATION AGREEMENT**

While on the mission trip I agree to respect and support the Principles and Truths of the Serving HIM Organization as stated above.

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Printed Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_



**FUNDRAISING CONTRACT**

By signing this contract, I plan to obtain the funds necessary to go on a Serving HIM trip. I realize that all checks should be made payable to Serving HIM, that my name should not appear anywhere on the check (if the donor is to receive a tax-deduction) and that all checks are to be sent to:

**Serving HIM,  
P.O. Box 794151,  
Dallas, TX 75379**

I understand that all funds will be administered as a personal "support account" set up in my name on the books of Serving HIM and that this account will be established with the submission of my initial non-refundable deposit. Serving HIM may increase costs upon notice to participants. Gifts to Serving HIM become the sole property of Serving HIM. A gift to Serving HIM is a charitable contribution for federal income tax purposes to the extent permitted by law. I understand that tax-deductible gifts cannot be refunded. If, for any reason, I am unable to participate on the trip, funds raised will not be refunded or held over, and instead will go to cover other trip costs.

In the event that trip funds raised exceed the base trip costs, I understand that these funds will go towards other necessary trip costs and cannot be refunded, given to another trip participant or held over for a future trip. In the event that I do not participate on a trip and a ticket has been bought in my behalf, I understand that the ticket is non-refundable and non-transferable (cannot be transferred to another individual or used in a future year) and that I am responsible to cover the full cost of the ticket in addition to any administrative fees.

**I have read the above, understand it and agree with its statements:**

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_

**TRAVEL RELEASE FORM**

I, the undersigned, on behalf of myself/my child desiring to visit foreign countries with Serving HIM and participate in a mission trip organized by Serving HIM do hereby release and forever discharge Serving HIM and their respective members, employees, officers, directors and representatives from any and all damages, liability and costs for any and all injuries, losses or damages I/my child might have on or in any way relating to such a trip including--without limitation--those relating to me/my child leaving the United States of America and visiting foreign countries, including my/my child's stay in any such foreign country and my/my child's trip to and from any such country. I am eighteen (18) years of age or older (if my child is under 18, I am signing on their behalf) and this RELEASE is binding on me and my executor, administrators, and heirs. I give Serving HIM and its representative(s) with me/my child on any such trip authority to request and authorize medical and/or hospital treatment for me/my child's benefit in the event of any injury or sickness sustained by me/my child while on such a trip including--without limitation--while traveling to and from any foreign country. I agree to pay for all such treatment and to reimburse Serving HIM for all costs and expenses incurred with respect to such treatment. If I am responsible for a minor on a trip, I am fully aware of any health concerns or medications and am prepared to take full responsibility for them. I am aware that serious illness or injury may occur on a mission trip and that such illness and injury may result in me/my child incurring costs, expenses and damages for which I am solely responsible including, but not limited to, return of myself/my child by air ambulance or other extraordinary means. I also understand that mission trips may be associated with risk of bodily harm, death and/or damage to or loss of personal possessions resulting from--without limitation--inclement weather, transportation accident or terrorism. I hereby release and hold harmless Serving HIM, its officers, employees, agents and representatives/ volunteers from all liability for personal injury, including death, as well as all property damage or loss arising out of my/my child's participation in this trip. I understand that this RELEASE and indemnification releases liability of the conduct of Serving HIM and its agents, servants or employees. The parties to the RELEASE are Christians and believe that the Bible commands them to make every effort to live at peace and to resolve disputes with each other in private or within the Christian church (Matt 18:15-20, I Corinthians 6:1-8). Therefore, the parties agree that any claim or dispute arising from or related to this RELEASE shall be settled by biblically based mediation and, if necessary, legally binding arbitration in accordance with the *Rules of Procedure for Christian Conciliation* of the Institute for Christian Conciliation. All such mediation and arbitration shall take place in Dallas, Texas. Judgment upon an arbitration award may be entered in any court otherwise having jurisdiction. The parties understand that these methods shall be the sole remedy for any controversy or claim arising out of this RELEASE and expressly waive their right to file a lawsuit in any civil court against one another for such disputes, except to enforce an arbitration decision.

**I have read the above, understand it and agree with its statements:**

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_

**Minor Release:**

I do hereby authorize my child \_\_\_\_\_ child's name) to travel with Serving HIM during the month(s) of \_\_\_\_\_ list month(s) to \_\_\_\_\_ (country).

Signature of Father: \_\_\_\_\_ Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_

Signature of Mother: \_\_\_\_\_ Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_

*\*\*Requires signature of BOTH parents if individual is under the age of 18*

**Notarization**

State of: \_\_\_\_\_, County of: \_\_\_\_\_.

Before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said county and state on \_\_\_\_\_, 200\_\_\_\_, personally appeared the identical person who executed the within and foregoing instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same as his/her free and voluntary act and deed, for the uses and purposed therein set forth. Given under my hand and seal of office the day and year above written.

**Notary Stamp**

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My commission expires \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_