



AMOR MINISTRIES MEXICO SPRING BREAK TRIP MARCH 30-APRIL 6

Adults and high school students can do something significant over spring break: build homes for families living in poverty in Mexico. You will work with a team to build a simple home – no construction experience necessary! We camp together in a gated and guarded camp near Tijuana. This week is described by many as the best week of their year. Don't miss it!

Cost: \$920

Deadline: February 27

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For more info visit - amor.org

Amor Ministries is a nonprofit Christian organization whose mission is to provide housing for the poor of Mexico while focusing on the needs of local churches. Since 1980, groups have built over 16,000 homes and have helped build and expand over 100 churches, medical facilities, and schools.



A Community Church Making a Global Impact for Christ

Application Process

1. Ask God if He is leading you to serve as part of a short-term service team. Reflect on the following questions:

- Am I prepared to do Christ's work with a diverse team of people?
- Am I ready to follow the norms of a different culture, even when it feels strange to me?
- Can I trust God to guide me through challenges that push me out of my comfort zone?

If the Answer is "Yes!"

2. Go to mvpctoday.org and click on the Service Trips image on the home page:

- Click on the link associated with the trip you are interested in.
- For the DR trips, please complete the Registration Form and submit a deposit to secure your space.
- The trip leader will contact you shortly thereafter.

If you have any questions or would like more information please contact the trip leader or Pastor Dave Ricketts at dricketts@mvpctoday.org.

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**YOUNGLIVES TEEN MOM CAMP
CAMP WOODLEAF, CHALLENGE, CA
JULY 12-16**

100 or more children, from infants through 3 years old, need care during the week, allowing young moms to experience camp. You will be assigned to a nursery with a particular age group and will be responsible for the general care, feeding and diapering of the children during planned camp activities for the moms. Teen volunteers ages 14-15 must come with a parent/legal guardian. Teen volunteers ages 16-17 may come alone if they have an excellent recommendation and have experience with babies.

Cost: \$448
Application Deadline: June 1st

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For more info visit - goyounglives.younglife.org

Founded 25 years ago, through Young Live, YoungLives vision is to reach teen moms by entering their world, modeling the unconditional love of Christ, and encouraging them to become the women and mothers God created them to be.



**JONI & FRIENDS FAMILY CAMPS
SCOTTS VALLEY, CA
JUNE 10-14 OR JULY 8-12**

Family Camp volunteers are buddies for adults or children with disabilities at the Mission Springs Family Camp. On site training will equip you to help campers enjoy the full range of typical camp activities like swimming, recreational games, horse rides and square dancing. For families who shoulder the daily challenges of disability, Family Camp offers a week of joy and fun in an accessible, safe, and friendly environment. Volunteers must be at least 16 years old.

Cost: \$450
Application Deadline: May 1st & June 1st

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For more info visit - joniandfriends.org/ministries/family-retreats

Joni and Friends serves people affected by disabilities. JAF equips churches to include children and adults with disabilities; provides respite events; collects and delivers wheelchairs worldwide to persons in need; and delivers books and other materials to people in hospitals and convalescent homes.



**KIDS ALIVE
JARABACOA, DOMINICAN REPUBLIC
JULY 6-14 OR 13 - 21**

Mission teams provide practical support for the children and staff at the schools and orphanages. Typically volunteers help with light construction projects, soccer camps and Vacation Bible School. Experience the love and joy of the children in the Dominican Republic! Students from age 9 through Middle School need to be accompanied by a parent. Each trip is limited to 18 participants.

Cost: \$2,000 (approx.)
Application Deadline: April 25th

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For more info visit - kidsalive.org/dominican-republic

Kids Alive International is dedicated to meeting the spiritual, physical, educational, and emotional needs of children. Through children's homes, schools, and care centers, children are raised to become contributing members of their own society and witnesses of Jesus to their culture.