

## Mission Statement

The mission of Operation Serve International (OSI) is to motivate and mobilize concerned Christians to assist in the work of God among the poor and the destitute in under-served and unreached places.

OSI seeks to strengthen existing ministries in their presentation of the Gospel of Christ by communicating the love of God in both Word and Deed.

*“Let us not love with words or tongue, but with actions and in truth.” (1 John 3:18, NIV)*



## Statement of Faith

Please visit our website, [www.operationserve.org](http://www.operationserve.org), to view our statement of faith and further information regarding the ministry of OSI.

## Testimonials

“I thank God for the ministry of OSI! Each year I am amazed at how God uses ordinary people like me to accomplish His will in such a short time!”

*~Barb Weaver, OH*

“For several years my church has sent teams with OSI! Travelling with OSI is the best experience I have ever had with a missionary organization!”

*~Pastor David Lomasney, MI*

“OSI short term missions is a game changer in your personal and spiritual life. You and your church family will never be the same!”

*~Dr. Ron & Kim Alexander*

## How Much Does it Cost?

### Mexico \$775

- ◆ A \$25 application fee with completed application and pastoral reference due 4 months prior to travel
- ◆ A land deposit of \$250 is due 3 months prior to travel
- ◆ The balance of \$500 is due 2 months prior to travel



IMPORTANT: Airfare to and from Mexico City, Mexico is not included.\*

### Egypt \$2,175

- ◆ A \$25 application fee with completed application and pastoral reference due 4 months prior to travel
- ◆ A travel deposit of \$1,300 is due 3 months prior to travel
- ◆ The balance of \$850 is due 2 months prior to travel

IMPORTANT: Airfare to and from Cairo, Egypt is included. Airfare is non-refundable.\*

*\*Hotel, meals, and all in-country transportation are included.*

*If deadlines are past, call the office to see which teams have extended deadlines so that you can still join us!*



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*Sharing the Love of Christ in Word and Deed*



*Plan Your 2012  
Vacation with a PURPOSE  
Join Us and  
Make an Eternal Difference*

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**Short-Term Mercy Missions**

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Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, “Whom shall I send? And who will go for us?”

*~ Isaiah 6:8*

## Mexico

Mexico City is one of the largest cities in the world, and it houses nearly 1/3 of the country's population inside the Capital city and State of Mexico. This ancient city is filled with history and mystery as the modern city rests on top of the ruins of Tenoxtitlan, the central city of the Aztec empire. The Metroplex is essentially



unreached with less than 3% of Mexico City's population attending an Evangelical Church. Each year, OSI partners with approximately 30 local churches to mobilize Mercy Brigades, "Brigadas," to serve in poverty stricken regions. You can help provide hope and healing by joining an Operation Serve® team!

Millions visit, but few make an impact for Christ!



## 2012 Mexico Team Dates

- ♦ March 3-10
- ♦ March 10-17
- ♦ June 2-9
- ♦ June 9-16
- ♦ June 16-23
- ♦ June 23-30
- ♦ June 30 – July 7
- ♦ July 7-14
- ♦ July 14-21
- ♦ July 21-28
- ♦ July 28 – August 4
- ♦ August 4-11
- ♦ August 11-18
- ♦ December 1-8



## Whom Shall I Send?

We personally invite you to join us in answering God's call of, "Whom shall I send? Who will go for us?" Join us in touching those whom Christ died to save. OSI's strategy is to meet the physical needs of those we minister to by providing medical, dental, optical, personal hygiene, hair care, and children's ministry in return their heart is opened to the Gospel. Remember one week is so little to give for the eternity of others.

## What to Expect

- ♦ Five full days of Christ-centered ministry
- ♦ Mexico: Serve under tents
- ♦ Egypt: Serving in a building
- ♦ Daily devotions
- ♦ Serve with a team
- ♦ Stay at a safe and trusted hotel
- ♦ Two daily hot meals at restaurants
- ♦ Bottled water and Soft drinks

## Application Process

- ♦ Contact us, or visit our website, for an application and pastoral reference form.
- ♦ Complete and mail your application along with the \$25 application fee. Your pastor should mail the completed confidential reference.
- ♦ Apply for a passport ASAP, allowing six to eight weeks for processing.



## Egypt

Ancient Egypt is rich with history and resources. Abraham, Isaac, Jacob, and his sons traveled to Egypt to survive the famine. Mary and Joseph fled to Egypt to escape the death threat on the life of Jesus.



Today, the cry from the land of the Great Pyramids is "help" for the poor and needy of Egypt. God looks on the people of Egypt saying, "I have surely seen the afflictions of my people which are in Egypt, and have heard their cry... And I have come down to deliver them" (Exodus 3:7-8). God's call to Moses to be a messenger of deliverance is for you today!



Egypt's greatest treasures await you! You can be instrumental in rescuing the life of someone for eternity!

## 2012 Egypt Team Dates

- ♦ March 24 – April 1
- ♦ October 27 – November 4



So that they may see Him!

"So that all nations might believe and obey Him!" ~ Romans 16:26B, NIV