



# GtG

(Gospel to Ghana)



## Short-term Mission Trip 2012

In association with TnT Teams

June 9<sup>th</sup> – 25<sup>th</sup>, 2012

Gospel to Ghana 2012 is a short-term mission opportunity to witness and work for the Lord in the Country of Ghana, West Africa. It is an authentic cross-cultural mission opportunity that doesn't involve having to learn another language to be effective. After orientation and training, the team will be involved in a concentrated program of evangelism to Ghanaian people, as well as ministering to the believers who fellowship at Believers Bible Assembly in Kumasi, Ghana.

### Purpose

The goal for the team will be to glorify the Lord Jesus Christ in our work and witness.

This should be achieved in the following ways:

**A. The team members will grow in grace and knowledge of the Lord Jesus Christ through:**

- 1) Trusting in the Lord to provide for needs.
- 2) Discipleship and daily team Bible studies.
- 3) Living and working together with other team members and national Ghanaian believers.

**B. The team members will be used of the Lord to build up Believers Bible Assembly through:**

- 1) Fellowshiping with the believers and encouraging them in their own walk and witness.
- 2) Participating in the Assembly with singing, testimonies, and Bible teaching.
- 3) Presenting the Gospel to the children (helping in the Sunday School).
- 4) Some team members may have opportunity to train song leaders, S. School teachers etc.

**C. The team members will become effective witnesses for Jesus Christ through:**

- 1) Instruction for Gospel Teaching/Preaching.
- 2) Training in various evangelism methods.
- 3) Experience through participating in evangelism using these methods.

With God's help, this short-term mission will provide long-lasting benefits for the work and witness in Ghana, as well as in the team member's spiritual life, and their home assembly.

# The Program

## ***Missionary Orientation and Training (3 days)***

The team arrives in Accra Ghana on Saturday June 9<sup>th</sup> The team will then spend the next three days in cross-cultural missionary orientation and evangelism training which will include sessions on:

- 1) *Ghana culture, history and geography*-**Jonas**
- 2) *How to share your testimony, how to share the gospel with Ghanaians (Intro to Emmaus work)*-**Shadrach**
- 3) *What is the Gospel? and various methods of evangelism (What to avoid doing)*-**Tim**
- 4) *the history of Assembly work in Ghana + the Hope for seeing New Assemblies planted*-**Daniel**

## ***Evangelism and Discipleship (15days)***

Following orientation, an intensive 15-day program of evangelism and discipleship will begin. Sundays will be spent involved with the host assembly. Mondays to Saturdays the team will start each day with personal quiet time, a team Bible study and prayer time followed by evangelism. The methods of evangelism will include visiting homes, literature, open air, children's, and friendship evangelism. Evenings may involve some visitation, hospitality, or fellowship time.

## **How Much Will It Cost?**

Each team member is responsible for raising sufficient funds to cover their share of team costs (**\$800**), as well as covering their own airfare to and from Accra, Ghana. The \$800 team cost will cover training, accommodation, meals, transportation, and gospel materials during the 3 weeks in Ghana. If there is a surplus of funds at the end of the trip the money will be given to the elders of the local church as a love offering for the needs of the saints in Kumasi. Personal expenses such as: health insurance, personal souvenirs, gifts, personal items (i.e. toiletries, clothes, stationary and postage, etc.) are also not covered. Please contact Tim Hood for additional information about booking flights, and making payment for team expenses.

## **Is This for Me?**

- It is** If you are 18 or older; in good health and able to keep up to the strenuous program of discipleship and evangelism; able to live at close quarters with others and esteem others better than yourself; willing to take the place of a servant, and a learner, and follow leadership; someone whom your elders recommend for this short-term missionary work.
- It is** If you want to experience God working in and through your life. You will be exposed to a mission field that qualifies in every sense of the word, yet one where you can communicate the Gospel in your own language. You can be useful and effective even in the short-term.
- It is** If you want to meet, live and work in fellowship with other Christians from around the world; enjoy the experience of trusting God together; experience the encouragement and support of a team; and form friendships that will last for eternity.
- It is** If you are willing to respond to Christ's call to go into all the world with the Gospel; and to make sacrifices in order to share God's love and salvation with the Ghanaian people.

## Team Leaders

### **Tim Hood:**

Tim is a commended worker who served with his family in Ireland for 10 years, but has been working in evangelism in various places across Canada and the USA for the past 3 years. Tim has worked with the TnT (Teach and Testify) short term mission outreaches in Ireland in the past, and will bring much experience and leadership to the Ghana team. Tim will be focused on evangelism training and heading up the evangelism efforts while in Ghana. Currently Tim and his family reside in Kelowna, BC, Canada.

### **Daniel Webster:**

Daniel is a commended worker and has been serving the Lord in Ghana, West Africa since 2004. Daniel works directly with the Believers Bible Assembly, and will be able to provide much practical understanding of the work in Ghana, and how to relate to Ghanaians. Daniel will be responsible for overseeing the accommodations, food and transportation needs for the team while in Ghana.

## What Now?

After prayerfully reading and considering this information if you believe the Lord is directing you to be involved with The Ghana Short-term 2012 team, then you should consult with the elders of your assembly.

In Acts 13:1-4 we have the biblical pattern of how the Holy Spirit was instrumental in directing the church to send forth missionaries. The call is from God; and is confirmed through the leadership of the local church. Looking for the counsel and prayer of your elders is essential, and if the call to serve is of the Holy Spirit, it will be confirmed when the leadership and local assembly gladly identify with your mission, through commendation, prayer and support. REMEMBER: your elders want to see you succeed spiritually.

You need the prayerful support of your elders and home assembly if you are going to be effective on the mission field. If you have the commendation of your elders to join with this short-term mission then please, complete the application form and return it to us as soon as possible. We will then review your application and advise you when your application has been accepted. Once your application has been approved, then the team leaders would appreciate a deposit (\$100), or full payment (\$800), to confirm your commitment to this mission trip.

Once your application has been accepted, pre-arrival orientation materials and information will be sent to you that will help you prepare to serve the Lord in Ghana this summer. Please be aware that this team will be limited to 10 persons for the June 2012 trip.

**Send your application to:**

**TnT Teams  
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Markham Ontario  
Canada L3R 3B2**



If you or your elders have any questions or would like more information:

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