



## **Riva Trace Baptist Church**

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### **Short-Term Mission Trip Application**

*This application is for those who would like to participate in a short-term mission trip with Riva Trace Baptist Church.*

- 1. Please complete the Mission Trip Application in its entirety.**  
Drop off at the mission kiosk, or the church office by  
**Youth—February 20, 2022**
- 2. Include a \$100.00 deposit with your application, unless you paid the deposit last year.** The deposit is not refundable after your application has been approved. Approval will occur after reviewing your application.

Youth may be vetted by the RTBC Student Director.

Adults may be vetted by RTBC missions directors, pastors, and the team leaders.

Upon approval of the application, the team leader will provide further information including when the first meeting will be.

**DO NOT solicit or commit RTBC for any fundraisers.**

If you have any fundraiser ideas or any questions please contact us at [missions@rtbc.org](mailto:missions@rtbc.org) or stop by the mission kiosk.



# RTBC Short-Term Mission Trip Application Form

1. Please print clearly.
2. Return this form **fully completed** and attach a \$100 check as a deposit, unless paid last year.

First Name	Middle Name	Last Name	Date of Birth
Address	City	State	Zip
Phone Number	E-mail (please print clearly)		

Please fill out the passport section for trips outside of the country.

Do you have a passport? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_ In Process \_\_\_

Passport Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Country of Citizenship: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Issue: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Note: a photo copy of your passport needs to be on file before leaving the country!

Do you speak another language? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

If yes, what language and how fluent? (limited, fluent, native)

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T-Shirt Size: S _____ M _____ L _____ XL _____ 2XL _____ 3XL _____
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**I would like to apply for the following mission trip:**

**Youth Trip:** Anchorage, Alaska (July 15-July 23, 2022) ~\$1,800



**I understand and agree to the following:** Please initial beside each of the following

1. \_\_\_\_\_ **Behavior:** I am a representative of Riva Trace Baptist Church and the kingdom of God. I will conduct myself in a manner worthy of the Lord while serving Him before and on the trip. Additionally, if at any time while on the trip my behavior constitutes a problem, the team leader has the authority to ask me to return home. Any additional costs incurred as a result of this action will be at my cost.
2. \_\_\_\_\_ **Money:** That I will adhere to all **financial deadlines** set by the trip leader, regardless of whether I personally cover the cost of the mission trip or raise financial support to cover the cost. Backing out of a trip does not dissolve my financial commitment: It is my responsibility to pay for all items covered in the mission trip that are required of me.
3. \_\_\_\_\_ **Preparation:** I will work on preparing myself for this mission trip spiritually and physically, including obtaining a passport and getting vaccinations if required. Preparation costs are my responsibility.

**Parents/Legal Guardians agree to the following:** Please initial beside each of the following

1. \_\_\_\_\_ **Behavior:** I will love, teach, and train my child to be a mature and responsible Christian.
2. \_\_\_\_\_ **Money:** I will encourage my child to meet the financial deadlines. I will take on my child's financial responsibility if the deadlines are not met.
3. \_\_\_\_\_ **Preparation:** I will help my child prepare for this mission trip physically and spiritually.

**General Trip Requirements:**

- I will work through any required training book, guide, or material.
- I will attend the mission trip team meetings and fundraiser events/efforts unless previously discussed with the leader.
- I will cheerfully work under the direction of the team leader and host leaders.
- I will accept the culture of the host country in which I will be serving.
- I will refrain from any behavior that may compromise my witness (i.e.: crude language, inappropriate sexual behavior, drug use, alcohol and tobacco consumption, etc.)

**Photo and Video Release**—Riva Trace Baptist Church and team leaders may:

1. Take pictures and video while on the trip for the purpose of documenting and publicizing the mission trip with you or your child in them.
2. Post pictures and videos on the churches social media and church website.
3. Use pictures and videos for end of trip advertisement and promotion for next year's trip.

\_\_\_\_\_ **Initial (person/parent or guardian)**

**\*Each specific trip may have additional questions and application paperwork geared towards that trip along with unique financial deadlines.**

By signing you agree that everything in this application is true to the best of your knowledge and that you agree to all of the requirements.

Applicant's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Legal Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



# **Emergency & Medical Information**

Emergency Contact \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

Phone # \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have any medical conditions that could affect your health and well-being while on the trip?

Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

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Please list any prescription medications you will be taking while on this trip.

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Please list any food or medication allergies, or diet restrictions you have.

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Please list any physical limitations you have.

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## **MEDICAL INSURANCE INFORMATION**

INSURANCE PROVIDER \_\_\_\_\_ POLICY # \_\_\_\_\_

NAME OF POLICY HOLDER \_\_\_\_\_ GROUP # \_\_\_\_\_

\* Basic travel/medical insurance is provided for out of country trips!

## **MEDICAL RELEASE**

I, (the person/parent/guardian) do release Riva Trace Baptist Church, and leaders of any responsibility for accidental injuries sustained during any mission trip for 2022. In case of emergency, I hereby give permission to secure and retain medical treatment. This authorization includes x-rays, hospitalization, medication, surgery, injections, anesthesia, and any treatment procedure deemed necessary by a physician or qualified medical personnel. An attempt will be made to contact and consult the emergency contact prior to any medical treatment involving surgery or serious illness.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



**CHURCH INVOLVEMENT**

Are you a regular attendee/member of Riva Trace Baptist Church? **Yes**\_\_\_\_ **No**\_\_\_\_

If no, is there a church you are a member/regular attendee of and for how long?

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Are you involved in any ministries, Bible studies, or groups at your church?

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**MISSION EXPERIENCE**

Have you been on any previous mission trips or have mission experience?  
(where, when, what did you do)

**Yes**\_\_\_\_ **No**\_\_\_\_

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**MOTIVATION**

Why do you want to go on this mission trip? Or why do you feel God is calling you to go?

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## **PERSONAL & SPIRITUAL GIFTS**

How would you describe your spiritual disciplines (Time in the Word, Prayer, and Meditation) and your Spiritual Gifts (Evangelism, Serving, Teaching, Administration, Giving, Mercy, etc.)?

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As a believer, what areas of sin or spiritual discipline do you struggle with? How can we come alongside and help you in those areas?

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What skills or abilities do you have that you could use during a mission trip? Examples: (Singing, Drawing, Play an Instrument, Sports, Science, Construction, Home-Improvement, Gardening, etc.)

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## **TESTIMONY**

Briefly tell us about your salvation experience –basic model: (BEFORE, HOW, AND AFTER)

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"Always be prepared to give an answer to everyone who asks you to give the reason for the hope that you have." —1 Peter 3:15



# **Parents Reference Form**

**THIS REFERENCE IS FOR PARENTS OF YOUTH TO COMPLETE.  
PLEASE DETACH AND FILL THIS OUT SEPARATELY.**

Student's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Is your student ready to be a part of this mission trip? Please explain why.

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How would you describe your student's current walk with God and desire to grow in the Lord?

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What are some areas in which your student struggles?

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What areas can we come along side you and help shepherd your child?

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What are 3 weaknesses you notice in this student's life? Please be honest!

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What are 3 strengths that this student would bring to the team?

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## Get Involved In Missions at Riva Trace Baptist Church

City Serve  
Food Pantry  
Winter Relief  
Arundel Lodge  
Community Garden  
Tyler Heights Elementary School  
Operation Christmas Child  
Back Yard Kids Clubs  
Mexico Trip  
Youth Trip  
Cuba

Ready to take the next step?  
We can help!

Short trips 1-2 weeks  
Medium trips 1-3 months  
Apprenticeship 1-2 years  
Long-Term Missionary

Contact us at  
[missions@rtbc.org](mailto:missions@rtbc.org)  
or  
see us at the mission kiosk  
Mark and Krista Westgate

