



*Go to the Nations. Be the body of Christ.*





# WHAT TEAM DOES

Before the Gospel can sink its roots into the soil of an unreached land, someone has to go — a nurse to teach hygiene to a hurting village, a translator to share Christ's words in new languages, an entrepreneur to create new jobs for the desperately poor.

There are many ways to serve others, and we believe all can point to the redemptive work of Jesus Christ. TEAM exists to help the church live out God's call to go, to be present in the heartbreak of this world and to bring real hope.

We partner with churches around the world to send out workers and plant churches that will do the same. We work holistically to make society-wide change with initiatives in evangelism, education, healthcare, media, community development, agriculture and whatever else God uses to open doors to share His message. We strive to mobilize disciples from anywhere to serve everywhere, focusing on the places where the most need exists.

In over 130 years of ministry, strategies and needs have changed countless times, but one thing never will: *Where Christ calls us, we will go.*

# OUR FOUNDATION

## *Mission*

Our mission is to partner with the global Church in sending disciples who make disciples and establish missional churches to the glory of God.

## *Values*

God Dependence  
Church Focus  
Creative Vision  
Passionate Service  
Lifelong Learning  
Caring Community



### *Urban Populations*

More than half the world's population lives in cities, and even more people pour in from rural areas each day for work, giving urban Christians the chance to reach a tremendously diverse population.

### *Buddhists*

With hundreds of millions of adherents across East and Southeast Asia, Buddhism is a diverse faith. Yet, its followers share a common need to know the hope of Christ.

### *Muslims*

TEAM workers have served among Muslim populations for more than 50 years in locations stretching from Europe to Africa to Asia. Whether in tribal villages or sprawling Arab cities, all are committed to sharing Christ's love.

### *Hindus*

Although their faith has a rich and colorful history, many of the world's 1 billion Hindus struggle under centuries-old systems of oppression, appealing to millions of gods for help and desperately seeking spiritual transformation.

### *Unreached People Groups*

Unreached communities are tucked away even in countries with a large and longstanding missionary presence. TEAM works to identify those who have had little or no opportunity to hear about Jesus and His truth.

### *Post-Christian/Post-Modern*

The world's developed nations increasingly question prevailing notions of truth, authority and cultural values. The post-modern mindset has deep implications for how the Gospel is understood and how it must be communicated.

# WHO WE SERVE

### *Indigenous/Tribal*

Thousands of tribal groups around the world are isolated from the Gospel by language, logistics and culture. Reaching them takes workers who will learn their languages and ways of life.

### *Diaspora*

War, persecution, natural disasters and economic hardship drive hundreds of thousands of people across international borders each year. These groups are especially vulnerable and face overwhelming hardship as they build new lives.

### *Professionals*

TEAM partners with working professionals who want to use their occupations and influence to support church-planting efforts.

### *University Students*

The number of college and university students is exploding — especially in developing countries. TEAM serves students on campuses large and small, whether through Bible education at seminaries or student outreach on secular campuses.

### *Disabled & Disadvantaged*

In many places, people with disabilities and disadvantages are rejected or are too poor to afford proper care. We use physical therapy, education, sign language and healthcare to express the value God puts on all people.

### *Youth & Children*

Scripture makes it clear that Jesus placed a special significance on youth and children. TEAM connects with them through English programs, sports and camp outreaches, creative arts, education and more.

# WHO WE SERVE



# HOW WE SERVE

## *Church Ministries*

The Church is at the heart of everything TEAM does. It is God's chosen instrument for redeeming the world, and it offers the only real solutions to humanity's greatest problem.

## *Community Development*

We believe in promoting the welfare of the communities we've been sent to. Whether guiding micro-enterprises or providing after-school programming, we believe serving one part of the community helps point all to Christ.

## *Creation Care*

God uses creation to provide for people — but when the environment is exploited or uncared for, the effects can be devastating. TEAM works with communities to find locally sustainable solutions for agriculture, pollution and other practical problems.

## *Creative Arts*

Whether music, painting or a well-produced video, the arts have a unique way of opening our minds to ideas we've never heard and those we've previously rejected. As the influence of the arts grows, so do the opportunities for Christian artists to point others to our Savior.

## *Entrepreneurial & Business*

In countries where government or cultural perceptions prohibit missionaries from working openly, the best way to make disciples is often by seeking employment in the local marketplace or launching a new business.

## *Hospitality*

Few acts bring strangers together like breaking bread. Whether organizing community meals, serving food as part of disaster relief or working as a hotel manager, TEAM missionaries serve and spread the Gospel through hospitality.



# HOW WE SERVE

## *Medicine & Healthcare*

Jesus often met physical needs before He addressed spiritual needs. TEAM places doctors, dentists and other healthcare workers around the world, with the goal of using physical healing to point people to Christ.

## *Justice Ministries*

Today, slavery and poverty remain powerful forces of oppression that must be met holistically with Christ's Gospel of freedom. Whether teaching job skills or counseling the vulnerable, TEAM works to bring hope to the downtrodden.

## *Sports & Recreation*

Sports and recreation are natural cross-cultural unifiers. TEAM workers use soccer balls, summer camps, weekend retreats and more to break down walls of skepticism and cultural opposition toward Christianity.

## *Teaching & Education*

Education can do more than improve a mind; it can change communities and help followers of Christ live to their full potential. TEAM missionaries provide education through English schools, colleges and government schools.

## *Training Leaders & National Missionaries*

Change is only lasting if it outlives us. TEAM believes in the biblical mandate to train others for the future — to make disciples and equip them to serve in the Church and beyond.

## *Translation & Linguistics*

Roughly 200 million people still live without any Scripture in their own language. TEAM works closely with national believers and language experts around the world to see all people have God's Word in their native tongues.

A woman with dark skin, wearing a vibrant, multi-colored headscarf (pink, purple, green, and blue) and a matching shawl, is shown in profile, looking upwards and to the right. The background is a light blue sky with a faint, white world map. The title 'WHERE WE SERVE' is written in large, bold, red capital letters in the upper right corner.

# WHERE WE SERVE

From the troubled youth of Mexico to the overworked masses in Japan, TEAM missionaries serve people around the world who need to hear the Gospel of Jesus Christ. They work through European winters and hot African summers, settle into South American cities and befriend Asian villagers. With God's leading, they search for opportunities where there is the greatest need and the most opportunity for growth, longing for the day when Christ is glorified among all nations.





# GIVE

*How can they preach unless they are sent?  
(Romans 10:15)*

One person can change the world when they have an army of advocates behind them. Without the support of missions-minded people like you, the most inspiring missionary tales would be nothing but fantasies.

Your gift to TEAM's Global Outreach Fund can

- Mobilize new global workers
- Launch new ministries
- Provide current workers with counseling, emergency care, financial planning and much more!

Help send the Gospel to the hurt and searching today by giving online at [team.org/givenow](https://team.org/givenow) or calling (800) 343-3144.



# GO

*There is a world waiting to hear the life-changing news of Jesus Christ. You can be the one to tell them.*

TEAM has opportunities around the world, and a local missions coach can help you see if one of them is right for you. Together, you'll explore your gifts and passions — whether for a certain region, people group or type of work — and discover the ways God might be calling you.

Email us at  
[mobilization@team.org](mailto:mobilization@team.org),  
or start exploring hundreds of  
opportunities to serve at  
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