

values

Sherwood Oaks Christian Church supports 31 local, national, and global missions, as well as Bible Colleges, with prayer, finances, and short term work teams. May God multiply our gifts and use these ministries to build His kingdom for His glory.

SOCC supports missions with the following qualities:

- Ministries that evangelize and disciple unreached people groups
- Ministries that prepare leaders for Christian service
- Ministries that are led by indigenous leadership within their own cultural context
- Ministries that meet the needs of “the least of these,” widows, and orphans
- Ministries that manage resources responsibly
- Ministries that communicate regularly with SOCC
- Ministries that provide opportunity for SOCC field involvement
- Ministries compatible with SOCC values

have questions?

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For web links to missions go to
www.socc.org/outreach/missionaries

Local

Backstreet Mission - Provides meals, groceries, and life skills training to those in need and two homeless shelters for men and women.

Crisis Pregnancy Center & Hannah House Maternity Home - Offers services for women and families in need through material items, life skills & parenting training, and a residential facility for pregnant women.

Child Evangelism Fellowship - Conducts after school programs at various local elementary schools while teaching children about Jesus.

Christian Student Fellowship - Supports college students in their faith journey and provides housing in a Christian environment.

Hilltop Christian Camp - Introduces children to the teachings and love of Jesus through a summer camp environment.

International Friendship Ministry - Creates a home away from home for international students as well as opportunities to interact with and learn about American culture.

Southern Hills Youth For Christ - Ministers to Jr. & Sr. High School students through small groups, Bible studies and special events while challenging them to grow in their faith.

United States

Myanmar Indigenous Evangelism (Abraham) - Offers English language classes, Bible study, and worship to Burmese population in the Fort Wayne area.

Restoration House - Shares the gospel in six New England states through church planting and discipleship.

Latin America

His Eyes Clinic (Trevor & Valerie) - Located in Tegucigalpa, Honduras His Eyes provides mobile medical eye clinics to rural villages, food and clothing distribution, and a scholarship program for education.

Guatemala Children's Mission (Agua Viva Children's Home) - Rescues, loves and educates children to be successful Christian adults with the desire and ability to help their own people.

International

Bryantsville Hunger Relief - Provides food to people in third world or disaster-ravaged countries by supplying High-Lysine corn for distribution through various relief agencies.

Fellowship of Associates of Medical Evangelism (FAME) - Conducts medical evangelistic outreach around the world, including building hospitals, staffing mobile clinics and establishing churches.

Master Provisions (Jim Smelser) - Ships used clothing from churches and individuals to third world countries to benefit the needy.

Pioneer Bible Translators (Rondal & Janice) - Sends trained linguists, literacy workers and support specialists to live and work among unreached peoples in order to translate scripture into their mother tongue, train leaders and provide materials.

Sports Outreach Association (Steve & Michelle) - Sponsors various Christian sports camps and clinics around the world while sharing the Gospel.

Asia

Artizon Ministries (Kevin & Lydia) - Provides leadership training, church planting and Biblical teaching in Taiwan.

Asia Children's Mission (Joana) - Promotes justice and Jesus for the women and children throughout Myanmar and Thailand.

Central India Christian Mission (Ajai & Indu) - Supports a mission center for evangelism, a medical training facility, hospital, and children's home.

Christ Reaching Asia Mission (CRAM) (CY & Patricia) - Meets the medical, educational and spiritual needs of people in China and North Korea.

Missions to Unreached Peoples (Andrias & Carol) - Reaches out to the Golantalo people of Sulawesi Island in Indonesia—Muslims who have never heard the gospel.

North India Christian Mission (Deepak & Simmi) Takes the gospel to the people of Punjab and the neighboring states of Haryana and Himachal Pradesh.

Europe

Islamic Outreach Ministries (Aziz & Ingrid) - Works with Moroccan immigrants in central Spain through Spanish language classes and Bible studies.

Latin American Ministries -Team Spain - Hosts an international church in central Spain with outreach to many cultures.

Remember the Children (Caminul Felix) - Meets the physical, spiritual, emotional and social needs, in a loving environment, for the orphaned and abandoned children of Romania.

TCM International (Haus Edelweiss) - Houses and trains Bible students from Central and Eastern Europe to equip them to spread the gospel and train others to become Christian leaders.

Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you.

Matthew 28:18 - 20

Africa

Christian Missionary Fellowship (Dave & Marsha) - Draws people around the world into relationship with Christ through church planting, education, fellowship and meeting medical needs.

Ghana Christian Mission (Enoch & Lydia) - Conducts medical evangelism, builds hospitals, staffs mobile medical clinics and establishes churches in cooperation with FAME.

Ivory Coast Missions (Bob & Connie) - Trains native church leaders through extension classes in conjunction with Ghana Christian College and Seminary.

Nyaka School - Provides quality, free education and extracurricular activities to children in Uganda who have been orphaned due to HIV/AIDS.

Team Expansion (Terry & Amy) - Planting indigenous churches among unreached people groups in north Ghana.