

Raising Support For Mexico Outreach '17

Each individual is responsible for the total cost of the trip to Mexico Outreach. After the non-refundable down payment has been made, the participants have a choice to pay the balance in full or to raise support by sending out letters and emails. This packet should have everything you need to get started!

How to get started:

- Create a list of 30-50 people for your potential supporters, get their address and/or emails.
- Read Sample Support Letter, personalize it & make it your own!
- For Letters:
 - Buy 30 legal envelopes (4 1/8 x 9 1/2in) and 30 return envelopes (3 5/8 x 6 1/2in)
 - Print and Cut Support Card – this card they will return with a donation
 - Address Return envelope to "Bayside Church Attn: Mexico Support P.O. Box 2336 Granite Bay, CA 95746"
 - Be sure to sign your letters and put your names on the support cards so we know who to put the support towards.
 - In each legal envelope put a copy of your:
 - 1) Support Letter
 - 2) An addressed return envelope
 - 3) A Support card with your name on it.
- For Emails:
 - Either copy the text of your letter into the body of the email or attach your document to the emails.
 - Make sure to send out emails individually (as to avoid your email being marked as spam)
- GET ALL LETTERS/EMAILS OUT IMMEDIATELY. This will be critical to your success. Money must be received by Bayside not later than **March 1**.
- When you receive a list of support received at Mexico Trainings, immediately send out a Thank You card thanking them for their support & sharing how they can pray for you.
- ALL SUPPORT (donations) MUST BE IN BY MARCH 1st before Training #3!
On 3/19 (Training #3), you will be personally responsible for the remainder of your money owed. Any incoming checks after 3/1 will not go to personal account but to the overall Mexico budget. You are responsible to follow up with your contacts so they send your support on time.

If you do not raise enough support training #3, you are responsible for the remaining balance.

Final Note - Please Read: In the event that you are unable to attend Bayside Mexico Outreach, the money you have raised toward the trip will be held by Bayside church and be used for unexpected expenses while in Mexico.

REMEMBER

You must send your letters out quickly!
Late monies will not be applied to your account!

If you have any questions call the Sr. High Department @ 746-8671



Hello _____,

It's officially Mexico Outreach Season... where students and adults prepare to spend Spring Break April 7th-April 15th serving the people of Victoria, Mexico, but we can't go without your help.

Who: Bayside Church — 1000 of us!! Students and Adults from Senior High, College and Outreach Ministries!!!

What: In teams of 14-21 people, we partner with and serve alongside Mexican churches to reach the Victoria valley through children's ministries, construction projects, service projects, and working in orphanages and social service centers.

Where: "Camp Bayside" in Victoria, Mexico. We set up our very own camp where each day we set out to make an impact.

Why: We desire to take a huge step of faith by ministering and serving in another culture and living in close community with our fellow teammates, so that we might be used in bringing glory to God and further His kingdom.

How: By having a landslide of prayer and financial support from friends, family and other Baysiders, raised through sending out support letters and emails.

There are two ways you can be a part of my team back here at home.

- 1) Please consider partnering with me through prayer.
- 2) Please consider supporting me financially as I head out to Mexico for a life changing experience.
 - a) Give online at: <http://old.baysideonline.com/forms/get-form/Mexico/GOMexico.html>
 - b) Included in this letter a support card (found on the following page) and a return envelope.

This trip not only changes the lives of people in Mexico, but the lives of those who go and those who help send. Thank you in advance for being a part of my team. I appreciate your support and will keep you updated on what God is doing through all of this!!!

Thanks again,

Sign Your Name (Participant)

P.S. Here is some IMPORTANT INFORMATION you will need to follow:

- 1) Make check out to Bayside.
- 2) Do not put my name anywhere on the check or it will not be considered a tax donation by the IRS.
- 3) All donations need to be in no later than March 1st.

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Support Letter From:

(Write Student Name Here)

- And have decided to share this experience by: Support MUST be in by
 Being part of his/her prayer support team March 1st
 Being part of your financial support team
 Pledging to financially support the team at:
\$50 \$100 \$250 Other_____

Your Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ St: _____ Zip: _____

NOTE: All checks should be made payable to Bayside Church
-Write "Mexico" on Memo line
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