

Touching Athens
and the World for Christ

Ethiopia Medical Mission

October 13-21, 2023



Needed are doctors, nurses, pharmacists,
and non-medical support personnel.

Just the Facts . . .

Dates: October 13-21, 2023

- Travel by church bus to DFW or IAH airports
- Fly to Addis Ababa, Ethiopia (schedule TBD)
- Coordinate with team of Ethiopian pastors and translators
- Travel by Land Rovers to the village site of this year's clinic
- Work with local community leaders to host a four day medical clinic
- Needed are doctors, nurses, pharmacists and logistical support
- Return to Addis Abba on Friday for sightseeing
- Depart for Texas on Saturday evening
- Arrive in Texas Sunday afternoon October 21,
- Return to Athens by church bus
- Contact Steve Akin for recommended vaccinations

Estimated Cost: Estimated Airline Ticket: \$1,300
FBCA Mission budget will pay the in-country cost of \$800

Group Size Limit: 10-12

Requirements for Participation . . .

1st Step: Tell Steve Akin that you are interested as soon as possible, even if you are uncertain.

2nd Step: Complete the Short-Term Mission Application Form available in both church offices.

If you have filled out this form for a previous project and no information has changed, this step is not required.

3rd Step: Give a photocopy of the name/photo page of your passport asap, to confirm that your passport is current. If you do not have a passport, please begin the process immediately. See Steve for advice.

4rd Step: Participate in team preparation meetings and work days to be scheduled.

5th Step: Remember that our Spiritual preparation is the most important thing we can do. Pray each day for your role in our medical and evangelistic project.

TEAM—A Strategic Approach . . .

Since 2007, FBCA has felt the call of God to minister to the needy of Ethiopia. Soon after we began it was obvious that more help was needed. This led to the formation of a group of East Texas churches from different denominations that share this same calling to Ethiopia. This group of cooperating churches is known as TEAM to represent "The Ethiopia Aid Mission.

For the past several years groups of volunteers from these churches have formed teams to provide clean water, Bible training for pastors, sports outreach events for youth, Bible schools for children, Evangelist services and medical, dental and optical clinics.

I believe that every time we send a medical team to Ethiopia, lives are saved, especially when we are able to minister to a desperately sick child. These medical clinics have led to the formation of new churches and many new believers. Also, I know that the Gospel message that is shared through our native evangelists and the "Jesus Movie" is having a great impact on the people of Ethiopia. We feel a sense of urgency to do as much as possible to share the saving message of Christ while the door is still open for us in Ethiopia.

I invite you to give yourself away for the Kingdom of God.

If you have questions, please speak to Steve personally.

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