



September, 2018 - Journey Missions Update

Friends and Family,

Thank you for all your prayers and support during our summer of travels. We feel so blessed to see what God is doing all over the world, and we are thankful for opportunities to encounter others at so many different points in their journey with Jesus. Thank you for your important role in Journey Missions! You are a blessing!

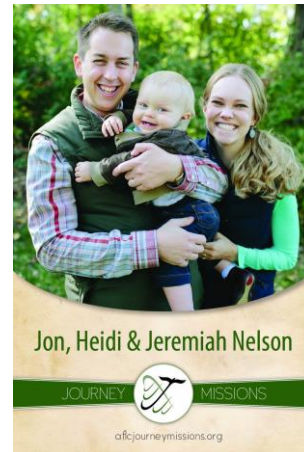
This month we celebrated our 5 year wedding anniversary so I've been thinking a lot about our wedding verse from Exodus 15:13, "In your unfailing love you will lead the people you have redeemed. In your strength you will guide them to your holy dwelling."

This God who led the Israelites when they crossed the red sea, is the same amazing God we follow today! He is able to lead us through all the ups and downs of life, and through the plain, ordinary days too. He was faithful then and is faithful for all of our todays and tomorrows.

Jesus loves you and He's with you! Keep your eyes on Him for the next step in your journey.

Continuing to serve Him with you,

Jon, Heidi, and Jeremiah Nelson



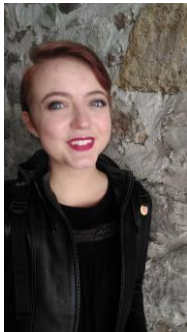
Ministry Trips

We are currently in the planning stages for 2019 ministry trips. We will keep you posted!

If you, or your church, have an interest in going on a trip we can walk through the process with you! Reply to this email and let us know!

Short Term Assistants (STAs)

We continue to praise the Lord for the individuals serving as longer term volunteers. Please keep them in your prayers as they prepare for all God has in store for them!



We are thankful for Emily Olson's involvement with the Uganda ministry trip in Uganda. It was a blessing to see her hands on service!

Currently, Emily is involved with teaching some classes with the Ambassador institute and is hopeful to be involved with children's ministry and with a crisis pregnancy center.

See her recent ministry update [HERE](#)

Ben Smith has finished his time in Jinja, Uganda. He was very hands on with our ministry team and it was exciting to see his work with Ambassador Institute as well as experience the day to day life he had and the friendships he built.



Please be in prayer for Ben as he begins his second year at the Association Free Lutheran Bible School (AFLBS).

Visit his blog [HERE](#)



Seth Skogerboe has been approved and will be planning to minister in Cuenca, Ecuador under Paz de Dios church.

The goal is for him to stay with a host family while teaching English in the congregation and Bible School, as well as participating in music ministry.

Please be in prayer for Seth as he serves under Pastor Darwin Paccha for the next 6 to 9 months. He is looking to depart sometime early this fall.

Visit his blog [HERE](#)

Giving

Did you know that Journey Missions is only possible because of the generosity of others? We are fortunate to have had individuals, small groups, and congregations who have supported us. Our family is considered to be "missionaries at home" and, as a family and ministry, we are reliant on the financial support of others.



Thank you to you who are faithfully giving! We continue to look for prayer and financial partners and if you'd like to give, please click on the logo to the right. If you'd like to discuss further the ministry of Journey Missions please let us know, we'd love to talk with you! Thank you for your considerations!

Please continue to pray for those who are considering becoming a volunteer or joining a short-term team and praise the Lord for the many lives that are being touched because of your support and the willingness of those who have "gone."

If you or someone you know is interested in becoming a volunteer, joining a short-term team, learning more about Journey Missions, or would like us to come and share with your church or small group, we'd love to hear from you!

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