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**The objective of APC Missions is to impart to the Church across India, what God has so graciously poured out on us. APC Missions currently provides opportunities to minister through Christian Leaders Conferences (CLCs), Weekend Schools, and youth programs.**

## GUIDELINES FOR APC MISSIONS

### Missions Calendar 2025

- Review Missions Calendar 2025 to register online for suitable options.
- To notify of your interest to register, please write to [missions@apcwo.org](mailto:missions@apcwo.org)
- Teams will be selected from the list of applicants based on the ministry requirement & program.
- Missions calendar will be advertised well ahead of the trip to allow sufficient time to prepare for the ministry.
- All participants for missions trips travel together as a team. We do not encourage people travelling separately.
- Costs indicated include airfare unless indicated as train fare. If an entire team would like to travel by train instead of flight to reduce travel cost, they can do so with the permission of the Missions Coordinator. More about travel costs in the sections that follow.
- Normally APC congregation members minister on missions trips. Only when required, APC staff are assigned to the team.
- APC Pastors may minister at Conferences/Events that are not listed as part of APC Missions. Some of these are invitations they have received directly from other churches/organizations. In some cases, they may invite a few congregation members to be part of the missions trip. This is at their discretion, and not part of the regular APC Missions trips planned.
- Participants with pre-existing medical conditions are requested to travel only if the medically fit for travel. Please carry all necessary medication as prescribed and details of health insurance in case emergency medical care is required at the missions venue.



## Missions Registration

- APC Missions trips is open to APC members and those who are committed and regular members of the congregation, attending for at least 6 months. This is to ensure there is alignment, cooperation and proper coordination within our short-term missions teams.
- Once registrations are opened, interest for a particular missions trip can be expressed by writing to [missions@apcwo.org](mailto:missions@apcwo.org); a link for registration will be sent to them.
- Missions registrations close one month or earlier to the trip dates.
- Only those who fill the form completely will be considered as registered applicants. The final team will be selected from among the team of applicants.
- The link will require details such as contact information, availability, travel preferences, health concerns if any, emergency contact etc.
- Enquiries for registrations will not be considered as registrations.
- Once availability is confirmed by filling the details in the link, the participant is eligible for the selection process.
- APC Missions will finalize the team and confirm the same with those selected. Those who are unable to make it as part of the team will also be notified.
- Registrations received after the last date will not be considered.
- Cancellation of registration is not permitted once the selection process has been completed & participants have been selected. Only in the case of health emergencies can exceptions be made.
- Participants are requested to book their tickets on their own within a week's time of receiving confirmation of their selection. Participants are welcome to coordinate with others on the team to book tickets on the same train / flight.



## Ministry Team Selection

- The team will be selected from among those confirming availability as per the ministry needs at the location where the program will be held. If there are too many volunteers for a given area of ministry, some will be encouraged to serve on the subsequent missions programs.
- APC Missions will select the team for each program based on the requirement at the program location.
- The team is generally selected on a first come, first served basis.
- All Missions team members will be assigned roles and responsibilities for the trip.
- The team will receive a briefing to orient them on the requirements and to guide them in preparing themselves spiritually for the upcoming travel.
- Due to safety concerns in some locations, missions teams are always required to have at least one male participant. In case no male participant signs up, the missions trip may be cancelled in consultation with the organizing Pastor.
- Due to Indian government regulations, anti-conversion laws and other legal constraints, we are unable to have foreigners on tourist visas to travel and serve as part of APC missions

## Ministry Team Costs & Facilities

- All volunteers are encouraged to prepare ahead and personally bear their entire travel and accommodation costs.
- If there is a certain ministry need in a location, some persons may be invited by APC Missions to join the ministry team to those locations. The travel and accommodation of those invited by APC Missions, will be borne in part or in full by the church. This will be notified to the invitees well ahead of the travel bookings.
- APC will cover costs for travel on certain trips for those invited by APC i.e., mainly special speakers, those with special skills required on the trip, certain first-time volunteers at our locations who have been serving for several years and our pastors only.
- Registration fees at the missions programs is collected from the local participants of the region and not from Team APC. APC team is requested not to pay at venue.
- Generally, the accommodation organized at missions locations is basic and facilities vary depending on the location. All participants are requested to come prepared to adjust to the available facilities.
- Participants must settle all due payments with church office—travel, accommodation, and any others—at least a week prior to the travel dates.
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## Missions Guidelines

- Our missions outreaches are intense and planned for maximum effectiveness in a short period of time. The team normally does not have any additional time for sightseeing.
- Participants are not permitted to make personal plans to visit places or people during the missions trip. All are requested to stay focused on the assignment at hand.
- We request those go on the missions trip not to carry out any secondary activity or engage with the local pastors independently during the trip.

### Example:

- Please do not schedule your own set of meetings separately with some other pastor/church in town when on an APC Missions trip.
  - Please do not enter into discussions with any APC Outreach pastor, or other pastor you meet promising to send them money, sponsor their building project, etc. Please direct all such discussions to the APC Missions Coordinator in Bangalore.
  - Please do not give offerings, etc. directly to APC Outreach pastors/other pastors. All our APC Outreach pastors are well taken care of each month. If you feel you desire to make a contribution, please discuss with the APC Missions Coordinator at APC Bangalore, You can route this through APC Bangalore.
- Participants are not permitted to extend their trip after the missions program. All participants are requested to return to Bangalore with the team right after completion of the program.
  - Guidelines, roles, and responsibilities for each missions program will be sent to each of the team members before the trip. Team members are required to go through the same and prepare accordingly.
  - All team members are encouraged to prepare in prayer. We would like the entire ministry team to be engaged in baptism of the Holy Spirit, prophetic ministry, ministering healing and deliverance. You are encouraged to attend Holy Spirit Baptism at your locations to learn more about it.
  - Personal spiritual preparation is very important. Kindly take time to read through APC publications such as (1) Foundations (2) Gifts of the Holy Spirit (3) Code of Honor.



## Additional information for Youth Missions:

- In the case of Youth Missions, those interested can register using the link given on the Youth Missions page. A fee will be applicable and an online payment option made available. Fees must be paid in full to complete registration.
- Those in need of financial aid can reach out to [missions@apcwo.org](mailto:missions@apcwo.org)
- For Youth Missions registrations an emergency contact will also be required.
- Youth joining regular missions' trips, who may be below 16 years of age must get a consent form duly filled and signed by parents / guardians.
- Youth must provide contact information of parents / guardians at the time of registration.  
Parents & guardians must be kept informed of their ward's travel.
- Travel plans are organized in a way that is safe, convenient, and economical for the entire team. Depending on the comparative costs, one of the travel options—train, road or flight travel—will be planned for the entire team.
- Once registrations are confirmed by participants, the church office will book the tickets (train/ flight as per the finalized travel plan) for the entire team. We prefer that the youth missions team travels together.
- Tickets will be booked immediately after the last date for registration. Registration forms will not be available after the announced last date for registration. Kindly note, registrations will be closed immediately. Once registrations are closed, kindly apply for other available missions destinations.
- All confirmed participants are required to attend an **in-person mandatory briefing session** which will help them prepare themselves for the missions trip spiritually and for travel. This session will lay out the guidelines for all the youth regarding travel and program.
- Leaders will be assigned various responsibilities on the trip.
- Regular briefing sessions will be held on the trip to review the program and guide the participants.
- A medical kit will be available on the trip, but youth are requested to carry personal medication as required.
- Travel light.
- Participants are not permitted to extend their trip after the missions program. All participants are requested to return to Bangalore as a team right after completion of the program.
- Participants will be taken through a more elaborate training of guidelines in preparation for the trip

The participants will need to read through and sign a **Medical Consent Form** given below before travelling on the Missions Trip.



## MEDICAL CONSENT FORM

### Participant Information:

- Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_
- Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_
- Gender: \_\_\_\_\_
- Address: \_\_\_\_\_
- City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_
- Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_
- Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

### Emergency Contact Information:

- Emergency Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_
- Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_
- Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

### Medical History:

Please list any medical conditions or allergies (e.g., diabetes, asthma, allergies to medication, etc.):

- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_

### Medications:

Please list any current medications and dosages:

- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_



**Consent to Medical Treatment:**

I, the undersigned, hereby authorize the APC Mission Trip team or any designated representative to seek medical treatment for me in the event of an emergency or if I am unable to make medical decisions. I consent to any medical care deemed necessary by qualified medical professionals, including but not limited to emergency transportation, hospitalization, surgery, or other medical procedures. I understand that every effort will be made to contact me or my emergency contact before any such actions are taken, but I acknowledge that timely medical care is sometimes required and may be administered without prior consent.

**Medical Release:**

I agree to release and hold harmless APC, its staff, volunteers, and representatives from any liability related to the medical treatment administered or not administered in the course of the mission trip.

**Acknowledgment and Signature:**

By signing below, I acknowledge that I have provided accurate and complete information regarding my medical history and medications. I understand and agree to the terms outlined in this consent form.

- Participant's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_
- Date: \_\_\_\_\_

If the participant is under 18 years of age:

**Parent/Guardian Consent:**

I, the undersigned parent or legal guardian, give permission for my child to participate in the APC Mission Trip and consent to any medical treatment deemed necessary for my child in the event of an emergency.

- Parent/Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_
- Relationship to Participant: \_\_\_\_\_
- Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_
- Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**For APC Use Only:**

- Form Received By: \_\_\_\_\_
- Date Received: \_\_\_\_\_





## GENERAL INFORMATION

### ABOUT ALL PEOPLES CHURCH

All Peoples Church is a Jesus-loving, Word-focused, Spirit-filled, family church, an equipping center, a missions base, and a world outreach.

As a **family church**, we grow together as a community in Christ centered fellowship, caring for and serving each other in love as the assembly of God

As an **equipping center**, we empower and equip every believer to live victoriously, mature into Christlikeness and fulfill God's purposes for their lives.

As a **missions base**, we engage in meaningful ministry to bless our city, nation and the nations with the full Gospel of Jesus Christ through the Word of God and supernatural demonstrations of the power of the Holy Spirit.

As a **world outreach**, we serve locally and globally by nurturing godly leaders and Spirit-filled churches who can impact their regions for the Kingdom of God.

The vision of All Peoples Church is to be salt and light in the city of Bangalore and a voice to the nation of India and to the nations.

### USEFUL LINKS

Online Sunday Church service live stream every Sunday at 10:30am (Indian Time, GMT+5:30). Spirit filled, anointed worship, Word and ministry for healing, miracles, and deliverance.

**YOUTUBE:** <https://youtube.com/allpeopleschurchbangalore>

**WEBSITE:** <https://apcwo.org/live>

**Our other websites and free resources:**

**CHURCH:** <https://apcwo.org>

**FREE SERMONS:** <https://apcwo.org/resources/sermons>

**FREE BOOKS:** <https://apcwo.org/books/english>

**DAILY DEVOTIONALS:** <https://apcwo.org/resources/daily-devotional>

**JESUS CHRIST:** <https://examiningjesus.com>

**BIBLE COLLEGE:** <https://apcbiblecollege.org>

**E-LEARNING:** <https://apcbiblecollege.org/elearn>

**COUNSELING:** <https://chrysalislife.org>

**MUSIC:** <https://apcmusic.org>

**MINISTERS FELLOWSHIP:** <https://pamfi.org>

**CHURCH APP:** <https://apcwo.org/app>

**CHURCHES:** <https://apcwo.org/ministries/churches>



## APC Guidelines for Missions