

2020  
KINGDOM BUILDERS



GLOBAL TEAM

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# GLOBAL PROJECT

GLOBAL PROJECT IS THE GLOBAL MISSIONS EFFORT OF RIVER VALLEY CHURCH  
Monthly support of nearly 300 Global Missionaries & Organizations all around the world  
Missions focused Lifegroup | Explore  
Global Teams sent out every 1-2 weeks  
More information at [www.rivervalleyglobalproject.org](http://www.rivervalleyglobalproject.org)

## GLOBAL TEAMS

Global Teams are designed to help meet the physical and spiritual needs of a specific community

## TEAM LOCATIONS

El Salvador  
Eswatini  
Japan  
Middle East

## TEAM INFO

Youth Only Team, Kingdom Builders qualified students  
Currently Fall of 2019 a Sophomore, Junior or Senior  
Based on deposit, approved application and completed forms

## TEAM TRAINING

Multiple team training meetings, attendance is required  
Sunday November 3 from 3-5PM, 1<sup>st</sup> mandatory meeting for parents & students

## REGISTRATION INFO

Registration opens at 12 noon on Monday, September 16  
Registration closes Monday, September 30  
At the time of online application, registrant notes their top 3 locations in order of preference  
Students register through one place, *2020 Kingdom Builders Youth Global Team*

# PASSPORT INFO

For more information go online to [travel.state.gov](http://travel.state.gov)

Upload a copy of your valid passport no later than Monday, February 3

Your physical passport is to be turned in at the final team meeting

# HEALTH INFO

No immunizations required by the U.S. State Department

Consult your personal physician for recommendations

Visit a travel clinic or check out [cdc.gov](http://cdc.gov)

# GET STARTED

Complete online application, deposit & forms

Make sure you have a valid passport

# APPROVAL PROCESS

- Please note, registration is not based on the first come first serve basis. Instead students will list their location preferences, in order, in the online application.
- Each parent/student must complete an online application and submit a \$200 deposit during the 2 weeks of open registration which is September 16-30, 2019.
- Parent/Student must submit two additional forms before they are approved/accepted onto any team. The two required forms must be completed & emailed to [globalproject@rivervalley.org](mailto:globalproject@rivervalley.org) or dropped off at the Central Ministries Center (12345 Portland Ave, Burnsville, MN). Forms are available online or per your request at [globalproject@rivervalley.org](mailto:globalproject@rivervalley.org)
- Together the Global Project & the Youth Department will post the official team list on the River Valley website, late October. At that time, the students will find out where they have the opportunity to go.

# QUESTIONS

Phone – 952.255.8800

Email – [globalproject@rivervalley.org](mailto:globalproject@rivervalley.org)

Facebook – [www.facebook.com/rivervalleyglobalproject](http://www.facebook.com/rivervalleyglobalproject)

“Global Gear” Store – [globalproject.store](http://globalproject.store)

Instagram – [global\\_project\\_](https://www.instagram.com/global_project_)

# COUNTRY INFO | EL SALVADOR

Population: 6,340,000

Religion: Roman Catholic 63%, Protestant 26.2%, Non-Religious 4.6%

Language: Spanish

Currency: United States dollar

Average temperature: 78 degrees

Time change: none

More info: visit [Lonelyplanet.com](http://Lonelyplanet.com) and check out the CIA World Factbook

## DATES

June 11-20, 2020

Dates are tentative until tickets are purchased 3 or 4 months prior to departure

## MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

Evangelism presentations

Local Service Projects

Minor construction projects

Team limit of no more than 150

## TEAM LEADERSHIP

Team Leaders— Andrew Snead (MNT), Josiah Bachtle (FBO), Kelly Lee (CST)

Additional leaders, to be determined

# COUNTRY INFO | ESWATINI

Population: 1.2 million

Religion: Zionist 40%, Muslim 10%, other 30%

Language: siSwati

Currency: Emalangeni

Average temperature: 80° F

Time change: 7 hours ahead of Minnesota

More info: visit [Lonelyplanet.com](http://Lonelyplanet.com) and check out the CIA World Factbook

## DATES

July 23-August 1, 2020 | July 30-August 8, 2020

Dates are tentative until tickets are purchased 3 or 4 months prior to departure

## MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

Provide basic orphan care through, education, medical care, food and games

Encourage Children's Cup missionaries and staff

Visit River Valley Eswatini Campus

Team limit of no more than 34 per team

## TEAM LEADERSHIP

Team Leaders — Isaac Coates (FBO), Lulu Murphy (AV), Neil Turner (EGN)

Additional leaders, to be determined

# COUNTRY INFO | JAPAN

Population: 127 million

Religion: Shinto 54%, Buddhism 41%, Other 5%

Language: Japanese

Currency: Yen

Average temperature: 64-75° F

Time change: 13 hours ahead of Minnesota

More info: visit [Lonelyplanet.com](http://Lonelyplanet.com) and check out the CIA World Factbook

## DATES

June 19-29, 2020

Dates are tentative until tickets are purchased 3 or 4 months prior to departure

## MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

Share the Gospel in major cities, to those who have never heard

Connect with and encourage missionary partners

Visit a Kingdom Builder project site

Team limit of no more than 80

## TEAM LEADERSHIP

Team Leaders — Anthony Cox (AV), Matt Nylin (FBO)

Additional leaders, to be determined

# COUNTRY INFO | MIDDLE EAST

Religion: over 75% Islam

Language: Arabic

Average temperature: 75-85° F

Time change: 8 hours ahead of Minnesota

## DATES

June 15-24, 2020 | August 3-11, 2020

Dates are tentative until tickets are purchased 3 or 4 months prior to departure

## MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

Kingdom Builders vision trip

Prayer for Muslims

Encouragement of local missionaries

For specific location details, please speak with your Youth Pastor

Team limit: 1 team at 25, 2 teams at 12 each

## TEAM LEADERSHIP

Team Leaders — Drake Michaelson (CST), Gabi O'Rourke (SHK), Jon Hansen (SHK)

Additional leaders, to be determined