



China

MARYKNOLL SOCIETY MISSION IMMERSION TRIPS

Immersion trips are offered for small groups of front line parish ministers (deacons/wives, teachers/catechists, Hispanic parish leaders) and university/young adult communities to encounter Christ in other cultures, particularly those on the margins, so that they can come back to build communities of missionary disciples at home. Trips are 1-3 weeks long, and include opportunities to forge new relationships in solidarity with others around the world, hear their stories of hope and struggle, and receive formation in practical skills to use in ministry at home.

PLANNED 2021 TRIPS:

- East Africa – February/March
- El Salvador – Spring
- Jamaica – Spring
- Bolivia – Spring/Summer
- Guatemala – June
- Appalachia Immersion Experience – Summer
- El Paso, TX/Ciudad Juarez, Mexico – Summer
- Bay Area CA Urban Immersion – Summer
- NY Urban Immersion – Fall
- Asia – November 2021
- El Paso, TX/Ciudad Juarez, Mexico – December

For more information and exact dates visit
www.maryknoll.us or email: info@maryknoll.us



2021 MARYKNOLL MISSION EXPERIENCES

SHORT-TERM VOLUNTEER PROGRAMS

CHINA TEACHERS PROGRAM

Ever consider spending a year in China teaching English as a second language? Our China teachers program offers a unique opportunity to share and live out your Christian calling educating young Chinese university students. Your active faith will motivate and empower college students, colleagues and new friends through your classroom teaching and other informal opportunities. At the same time, your life will be enriched by the beauty of the Chinese culture and new relationships as well as enhance your professional teaching experience. Teachers often say that this experience has changed their life! For those who cannot participate in the full year program we offer shorter opportunities where volunteers come for 1-2 months and offer university students individual attention by tutoring them in the English language. Free room and board are provided during this time.

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CHINA TEACHERS SUMMER PROGRAM

DATE: MID-JULY TO MID-AUGUST

This program involves helping third year Medical and Nursing students with spoken English. This involves small group discussions and oral drills in 4 class periods per day. We welcome 8-14 teachers who live in community on the campus of Jilin Medical College. Room and Board is provided by the Medical College. The teachers are responsible for their own round-trip airfare from the U.S.A. to Hong Kong. Travel from Hong Kong to Jilin is covered by the program. Teachers must have proof of a U.S. health insurance policy. A short term overseas medical insurance policy will be paid for by the program.

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MARYKNOLL MISSION CENTER LANGUAGE PROGRAM IN COCHABAMBA, BOLIVIA

For more than 50 years the Maryknoll Mission Center (CM-MAL) has prepared 13,000 graduates to build a better world by building bridges across the hemisphere. Its language program has a long history of excellence in teaching Spanish, Quechua and Aymara in the socio-cultural diversity of a country with great bio-diversity and historical social transformations. Introductory, intermediate and advanced courses are offered in 6 week segments throughout the year with the possibility to take two segments or more. For further information, here is the link to their website: www.cmmalbolivia.org

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THAILAND VOLUNTEER PROGRAM

In Thailand volunteers work in varied projects in Bangkok, but the major focus is on teaching English to Buddhist monks and lay persons. Teaching experience is not required, and volunteers for this program come from all walks of life. A minimum commitment of 8 weeks is required. Volunteers also work with children and support the needs of refugees. Volunteers are responsible for airfare and medical insurance. Lodging and food costs are supplemented by Maryknoll.

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MARYKNOLL MISSION CENTER VOLUNTEER PROGRAM IN COCHABAMBA, BOLIVIA

Immerse yourself in mission in the context of this diverse country. You can volunteer for 6 weeks up to one year; or bring a group of 8-15 people for a 1-3 week educational immersion trip. We foster formative and transformative experiences, introducing North Americans to mission, to cross cultural engagement, and to the realities of Bolivia.

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TAIWAN GAP YEAR PROGRAM

As graduates prepare for their professional careers, there is usually a 'gap' period of time where they can give of themselves in service to others. This is a perfect opportunity to come to Taiwan to live out your faith and participate in God's Mission among the peoples of the world. Maryknoll offers service opportunities for a period of 6 months to 1 year (exceptions can be made for both timeline and age requirements).

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ANNUAL PRIESTS AND DEACONS PILGRIMAGE/RETREAT TO CENTRAL AMERICA

This trip is offered each year in the middle of January. It will be a 10 day spiritual journey open to bishops, priests, brothers, and permanent deacons. Walk in the footsteps of modern day martyrs, the people they served and the Catholic Church which itself suffered persecution. Learn how these faith-filled men and women were able to sacrifice their lives as witnesses to Jesus' message of love, hope, joy and peace.

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