The Team

2019 Mission Trip to Nigeria

On June 3, eight people from Central Pennsylvania are planning to visit the Ministry of Mercy Orphanages in Nigeria. In addition to five 'veterans,' we have a father-daughter team (David and Tanaya) and a graduating senior (Renee) joining us on this mission adventure. We invite you to partner with us as we go, asking the Lord to lead, protect, and provide.

Ministry of Mercy is a community of about 400 orphans, handicapped adults and children, widows and social outcasts who care for each other, demonstrating the love of Christ in tangible ways. The children are loved, fed, housed (on two campuses) and educated without government assistance. The

adults are given meaningful work, a home and "family." MoM Medical Center, which opened in 2017, has saved the lives of many mothers and babies by providing free care.

We hope to provide some respite for the caretakers and enrichment for the children, as well as clothing, and supplies. Since the cost of feeding and schooling so many is great, we'd like to be able to take them a gift of \$10,000 in addition to raising the funds necessary for our airfare, incountry travel and accommodation.

We are also taking flash drives containing a teaching series by Alistair Begg called "The Pastor's Study" for the training and encouragement of pastors and other church leaders.

We anticipate that God will teach us more about himself and give us a heart to serve those who live on the front lines, fighting spiritual battles daily.

Follow our trip on Facebook at "Friends of MOM Nigeria."



Caring for twins

How You Can Partner with Us

VBS at MoM

Please pray for ...

Guidance – in determining where to focus our time and energy and how to best engage the children

Wisdom – in knowing what to take and when to speak a word of encouragement at the right time

Awareness – to see what God is trying to teach us

<u>Protection</u> – from road hazards, from people who would do us harm, from illness or accident and from lost or stolen luggage

Favor – with airline employees handling our twenty-four pieces of luggage and with immigration and customs officials

Please prayerfully consider giving to our Mission Trip and contributing to the financial gift for Ministry of Mercy

Airfare, ground transportation, accommodations and other trip expenses will cost approximately \$2,000 per person, a total of \$16,000 for the team. To support this Mission Trip and receive a tax-deductible receipt from Partners in Joy, just send a check to Partners in Joy, P.O.Box 3761, Pueblo, CO 81005 and indicate that it is for "Nigeria Trip 2019".

Funds raised in excess of the \$16,000 Mission Trip need will be gifted to Ministry of Mercy to help with operating expenses. We hope to be able to give about \$10,000.

Thank you for partnering with us!