

EXPANSE BIBLE CHURCH MISSION 2025 | JULY 13-19, 2025

Dear Ministry Partner,

I hope this letter finds you in peace and joy. I'm writing on behalf of the Expanse Bible Church Missions Team with a request that means the world to us—and to the people we've grown to love in Baton Rouge, Louisiana. From **July 13–19, 2025**, our church family will return to a city still healing from years of hurricanes, floods, and relentless storms. Neighborhoods lie scarred, families remain vulnerable, and many hearts are crying out for hope.

Why Baton Rouge?

Over the past decade, we've watched communities there bravely rebuild their homes and their lives. Yet every storm pushes them two steps back, and resources are stretched thin. Last year, we met not just older grandmothers and single moms needing hope and guidance, but to our surprise many young women hungry for something more. Hungry, they found, for the love and hope that only Jesus can provide. Through simple acts of service—delivering groceries, praying with her, church services—our team saw tears turn to smiles and despair turn into renewed trust in God's provision. This is the power of the body of Christ in action.

What we'll do July 13-19:

- Reconstruction & Repairs: Restoring safe roofs, walls, and fences.
- Compassion Outreach: Distributing hygiene kits, school supplies, and groceries.
- Children's Ministry: Hosting Vacation Bible School-style days filled with worship, crafts, and Bible stories.
- Prayer & Worship Nights: Gathering families in neighborhood parks to pray for healing, protection, and restoration.
- **Digital Evangelism:** Livestreaming testimonies and faith messages to reach those unable to attend in person.



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How you can make a difference:

Each volunteer needs \$500 to cover airfare, transportation, lodging, meals, ministry supplies, and outreach technology. We are trusting God for the funds needed to provide these dedicated team members what they need to go and succeed— our fundraising goal is **\$15,000**. Here's how you can partner with us:

- 1. **Sponsor a Volunteer:** A gift of \$500 sends one person.
- Give Online: Visit ebcfaith.com/give and enter Mission2025 under "Type of Donation."
- 3. **Share the Vision:** Forward this letter to friends or fellow partners who share our passion for practical mission work and spiritual renewal.

Imagine the lives touched: a struggling mother finding hope in a simple prayer, a family reunited around a meal because of groceries you helped provide. Your generosity echoes into eternity in ways we can't fully measure on this side of heaven.

If you'd like more details, stories from past trips, or to explore other ways to support—whether through prayer, specific supply drives, or even joining us on the trip—please reply to this email or call our Missions Team at **210-786-3395**. We would be honored to share how God is moving and how your heart can join ours in loving Baton Rouge.

Thank you for considering this invitation. Your partnership brings the love of Jesus into broken places, and together we become His hands and feet to a world in need.

With gratitude, hope, and blessing,

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