

Dear Friends and Family,

I am excited to share with you the opportunity that God has given me. This summer, it has been placed on my heart to go on a mission trip to the Appalachia region, through Praying Pelican Missions. As God wills, I will be there serving July 30-August 5. We will be ministering in the small town of Vansant, VA, and partnering with a local church and Christian camp who are eager for us to come and serve their community. As we arrive, some of the ministries that were expressed as needs include serving the local church and campground with construction projects, serving food to people in need, and ministering to a population that has been heavily affected by poverty and opioid addiction.

I am excited to be a part of partnering with the local church to bring Christ's love to the people of Vansant, and I realize I will be blessed abundantly in return. However, as I know God is calling me to serve, I am relying on Him for strength and wisdom as I plan and raise financial support. I know all good things come from Him; for if it is His will, all will be provided. As I have now expressed my heart to you and desire to serve in Virginia this Summer, I know that I am not able to do it on my own. And as you feel called, I would be blessed if you would consider supporting my team prayerfully and/or financially.

Our team is seeking financial assistance for our trip. Our goal as a team is to raise \$5000. We are also seeking prayer partners to pray for our group, the ministries we are partnering with there, safety, the people of Vansant, and the trip as a whole each day throughout the trip. If it is your heart to be a prayer partner for us, I would feel overwhelmingly blessed; it takes all of us as the body of Christ. And if you feel God calling you to support our team financially, please know that your gifts will be received as grace and will be used to serve those who are in need. These are tax-deductible donations. If you can partner with us with prayer and/or financially, you can complete the online form linked below. For anyone who partners with us with a donation of \$100 or more by June 12 will receive a team t-shirt. You can also mail a check to my church with by writing "Student Missions" in the memo of the check.

Thank you for your support! I look forward to sharing with you about the preparations and the trip itself in the upcoming weeks/months, as well when I return.

In Christ,

(Student Name)

PS... you can scan this QR code on your smart phone to view our online prayer and donation form.

https://npcpres.breezechms.com/form/mission-trip-support

