

CCSD–Missions Group Fellowship

Vision:

1. To provide fellowship for:
 - a. Those who desire to be a missionary long term and short term either local or worldwide.
 - b. Those who desire to support missions spiritually, physically or financially.
 - c. Those who are missionaries either long term or short term from the body of CCSD.
2. To provide **prayer request** support for all CCSD missionaries either long term or short term.
3. To provide encouragement and education to the congregation of CCSD for missions.
 - a. Holding regular fellowship meeting
 - b. Staffing a missions information table in the lobby of the church
 - c. Holding an annual missions fair at the church
 - d. Provide regular education classes for those considering a mission
4. To pray for all CCSD missionaries, upcoming missions, and other missionaries around the world.
5. Fostering **relationships** between missionaries and the congregation at CCSD.
 - a. Communication Trip reports
 - b. Visiting long term missionaries in the field
 - c. Speaking with missionaries in the field by email, letter and or Skype or any other means of communication.
 - d. Posting missionary profiles and encouraging correspondence with them.

Organizers:

- Mary Jo and Len Rosenberg
- Ginny and Terry Steinhoff
- Susan Ellis
- Karen Stickland
- First organizing meeting held 10/14/2012

Format:

1. Small group home fellowship under the leadership of Manny Hays and the guidance of Gino Geraci.
2. Leaders : Ginny and Terry Steinhoff, Co-Leaders: Mary Jo and Len Rosenberg
3. Meetings:
 - Monthly after 2nd service– Potluck meal
 - Meeting at the church or a home
 - Meeting Topics:
 - a. Worship and Praise songs: 10–15 minutes
 - b. Prayer– opening
 - c. Scripture reading for encouragement and edification and prayer focus
 - d. Mission Reports from returning missionaries or emails from missionaries in the field .
 - e. Reports on prayer requests and needs from missionaries in the field
 - f. Corporate prayer
 - g. Guest Speakers, information videos, educational information or training presentations
 - h. Assistance in mission trip planning for those preparing to go
 - i. Planning and organizing trips to visit CCSD missionaries in the field