

# LIFE CHURCH

## Life Church Adult Mission Trip – Spain 2026 Information Packet

### Who can go?

This is an adult trip of coed adults that are at least 18 years old by the start of the trip.

### When is the trip happening?

Tuesday, November 10th-19th

### What will we be doing?

On this trip we will be working closely with missionaries we support through Greater. We will be staying in Alicante, Spain and immersing ourselves in the culture, sharing the gospel, serving at local Spanish churches, and working alongside a Project Rescue House who empowers survivors of sex-trafficking.

### Spain's Geography:

Spain is located in southwestern Europe and covers most of the Iberian Peninsula. Spain is known for its beauty featuring both mountains and coast.

### Climate:

Spain's climate in August will be warm summer weather with daily temperatures ranging from 55-65 degrees.

### Language:

Spanish is the main and official language of Spain. We will have a translator with us at all times necessary.

## COST AND PAYMENTS

Trip Cost: \$2,800

*\*Flights cannot yet be confirmed with this trip, so this price is estimated, but not completely confirmed. We will do our best to make sure this cost is as accurate as possible.\**

### What does this cost include?

- Airfare
- Ground transportation
- Food and clean water
- Lodging

- Foreign Medical Insurance
- A fun day in country
- Transportation to the airport (If we fly from Chicago)

Does NOT include:

- Passport fees
- Souvenirs and extra snacks purchased

Payment Schedule:

Application	- \$100 Deposit
Jul 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2026	- \$675 payment due
Aug 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2026	- \$675 payment due
Sept 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2026	- \$675 payment due
October 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2026	- \$675 payment due

Please note that these are firm deadlines, as our transportation and lodging arrangements are dependent on them.

## FUNDRAISING SUGGESTIONS

There are several ways an individual may raise money for the trip. They are included, but not limited to:

- Send support letters to family and friends (See attached sample support letter). Please do not send support letters to individuals of Life Church.
- Sell items to friends and family such as bracelets (Threads of Hope), t-shirts (Fund the Nations), handmade items, or baked goods.
- Get a part-time job to raise money.

## HOW CAN WE MAKE PAYMENTS?

- **ONLINE:** You can log in to our online giving portal on the Managed Missions Website. The link can also be shared to others who wish to donate to your trip. Each member of the trip will be provided with a personal account through Managed Missions specific to this trip.
- **CHECK:** Make all checks out to "Life Church" and write Spain 2026– \*Your Name\* in the memo. Checks can be dropped in the offering buckets, brought to the resource center, or brought in to the offices during our office hours.
- **CASH:** Stick in a Life Church giving envelope or include a note designating whom the payment is for, which trip it is for, and who is paying. Cash can be dropped in the offering buckets, brought to the resource center, or brought in to the offices during our office hours.

- **CREDIT CARD:** In our Life Church giving envelopes, you can write the amount in the “other” section on the weekly offering envelope and include the trip name. We can also take credit card over the phone during our office hours.

*Due to IRS regulations, all contributions submitted to Life Church are non-refundable. In the event that the adult can no longer go on the trip, that money will go towards the trip's general fund to cover other trip expenses or help another person who has not raised all of their funds. The same applies if more fundraised money comes in for a person than needed.*

## PASSPORTS

You will need to get a passport to go on this trip. If you already have one, check the expiration date to make sure it does not expire less than 6 months AFTER the trip. To apply for a passport, please visit [www.travel.state.gov](http://www.travel.state.gov) to get started. The website will walk you through everything you need. Or, you can visit your local post office for more information. Most passports take between 6-8 weeks to arrive from when you mail the application; so do not wait on this!

## ADDITIONAL DETAILS:

Once a team is developed, the team leaders will host team meetings that will provide some bonding as a team and cover the following:

- Ministry preparation for the trip
- Cultural preparation for the trip
- Team bonding
- Additional details of the specific trip:
  - Flight information (as we get it)
  - Packing list
  - Other minor in-country logistics

## CONTACT INFORMATION AND SAFETY

Safety is our number one priority on any trip, and any decision made will be with your safety in mind. Life Church would not continue to take trips each year if there was ever a question of safety!

We will have access to Wifi at points throughout the trip if you need to contact your family. Be aware that all international Internet access can be spotty at times. The trip leader will have an international phone plan for emergencies, though you may choose to purchase one through your own cell phone provider.

Contact Information:

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