## **Adult Service Missions**

This information will help stake & ward leaders and adults considering service missions to understand a little more about how these missions work and how to get involved.

Service Missionary opportunities are vast, flexible, and impactful to those who serve and those who receive their service. In 2021, the First Presidency expanded Adult Service missions to be available to anyone worldwide.

#### What should I know about Adult Service missions?

- Adult Service missionaries can choose a mission opportunity if they initiate the process.
- They can choose to live from home while they serve as long as their mission is approved by their stake president.
- Most missions where the individual/couple lives at home do not have a fixed cost requirement. Most missions where they do not live at home do have a fixed cost requirement. The missions that have a required costs range between \$1200 and \$4500.
- Those ages 26 and up can apply for or be called as Adult Service missions.
- Service missionaries report to the service manager of the area assigned to.
- Missions can be 6-24 months.
- The ecclesiastical leader for those serving Adult Service missions remains their stake president.

### Who can serve a Adult Service mission?

Worthy adults ages 26 and up can apply to serve a service mission. Note, this is different from the Youth Service Missions that young adults ages 18-25 would apply for. You will need to be able to serve a minimum of 8 hours a week. Time requirements extend from 8 hours a week to full time missions.

## What is the process for being called on a service mission?

- The process begins with either an ecclesiastical leader extending a request for an individual or a couple to serve as service misisonaires OR an individual/couple initiates the process be searching for a service mission opportunity on the church's dedicated website at seniormissionary.churchofjesuschrist.org
- 2. As part of the online questionnaire applicants will indicate if they intend to serve at home or away from home.
- 3. They also indicate if they are able to contribute funds to pay for their mission (if the mission they are indicating requires it).
- 4. They indicate if they have any mobility restraints such as wheelchairs or other accommodations that need to be considered.
- Once a service mission opportunity has been identified and agreed to, the individual/couple meet with their bishop and stake president to discuss the expectations and be interviewed. If a calling has not already been extended, the Stake President will extend the calling.

- 6. The bishop and stake president help with the online application process which is different than the youth missionary application process.
- 7. Once the application has been completed, the start date is determined.
- 8. The stake president sets the individual/couple apart soon before their mission begins.

### What types of service mission opportunities are available?

There are many more opportunities than can be mentioned here. But to give you a feel for the many different missions available, look over this list of actual missions. This is not an exhaustive list, but several examples of mission opportunities.

## Close to home opportunities

Addiction Recovery Support

Stake or Ward Leadership/Support

BYU Pathway Missionary

Deseret Industries Support

Development Counseling Support

FS Library Service Missionary

Family Services Support

FamilySearch Center Director

Farms Ranches & Crops Support

Mission Office Support

Ogden Tabernacle Audio Visual

On-Site Support for Youth Missionaries

Processing Plant Support

Recreational Camp Host

Seminary and Institute Operations

Storehouse/Home Storage Worker

Temple Administrative Office Temple Cafeteria

Temple Custodian

Temple Facility Maintenance

Temple Grounds

Temple Laundry & Clothing Transitional Services Support

Self-Reliance Department Support

Welfare Department Support

# Close and far from home opportunties

**Addiction Recovery Support** 

Admin Assistant

Agricultrual Construction Work

Financial Analyst

Area Welfare Specialist

Area Auditor Assistant

Content Extraction

Beehive Clothing

Beehive House, Salt Lake City

**Building Maintenance** 

Recreational Camp Caretaker

Catologing and Metadata

**Church History Acquisitions** 

**Church History Museum** 

Church History Department

Distrubution Clerk

**Transalation Specialist** 

Community Resource Coordinator

Compliance Auditor

Content Support

Data Analyst

Deseret Manufacturing

Digital Books Specialist

Digital Imaging

Disability Support

Distribution Store

**Employment Support** 

Engineering

**Ensign College** 

Famiy History Department

**Facebook Communities** 

Family Search Department

**Guest Services** 

**Church Camps** 

**Humanitarian Center** 

Inner City Service

MTC Software Engineer

**Operations Manager** Store Manager Military Relations Mineral Titles and Contrats Mission Health Adviser Mission Office Support Missionary Medical Committee Partner Research Priesthood and Family Support **Prison Ministry** Processing Plant Support **Record Digitizing Record Preservations Operations Specialist** Storehouse Manager **Technical Productions Lead** Temple Construction **Temple Organist** Security Temple Youth Center Travel Support Specialist **Treasury Services** Visitors Center Community Volunteer

# Resources

Senior Service Missions

https://seniormissionary.churchofjesuschrist.org/srsite/?lang=eng

Mission opportunties

https://seniormissionary.churchofjesuschrist.org/srsite/ft/search?lang=eng