Belize Mission Application

MARCH 20-25, 2026

Partnership Information

- Covenant has been in partnership in Belize since 2014. Over the past ten years, this partnership
 has grown and deepened, and we are thrilled to be invited into ministry with First Stone Church of
 Belize City. Located about eight miles outside the city, First Stone is the first church to serve the Mile
 8 neighborhood—a community that previously had no local church or school. In response, First Stone
 relocated from downtown Belize City to Mile 8 to minister to the people there.
- This vibrant congregation is well-established, self-sufficient, and growing among all generations. Their commitment to the gospel is transforming their community. We are honored to come alongside and learn from them as they seek to follow Jesus wherever they live, work, and play.

Housing

• Our team will stay at **Seaside Chateau**, a small, comfortable hotel with air conditioning and space for our team to gather. Meals will be provided, and the location offers a safe, restful place for team members to recharge.

About Belize

Belize is a small country in Central America. Formerly known as British Honduras, it remains an English-speaking nation. The Belize dollar (BZD) is the local currency, though U.S. dollars are also widely accepted. Belize is known for its welcoming people, beautiful jungles, clear blue waters, and warm tropical climate.

What We Do in Belize

• The heart of every mission trip is **relationships first**. Our goal is to spend meaningful time with our sister church, worshiping, serving, and learning together. Activities may include construction or maintenance projects, prayer walks to visit homebound members, assisting with a revival, or participating in midweek gatherings. Whatever the tasks, our primary focus is friendship, mutual encouragement, and shared faith.

Trip Cost

- Estimated total: \$1,000-\$1,500 per person (final cost depends on flight pricing and other travel expenses).
- Once you know you have a spot on the team, a \$100.00 deposit will be required to secure you spot. If cost is a barrier to your participation, please know that scholarships are available.

 Reach out to Whitney Bell at wbell@covenant.org for that information.

Who Can Go

Adults ages 18 and older are welcome to apply. Our leadership team will prayerfully form the travel
team (maximum of 15 participants). Even if you aren't traveling this year, there will be many ways to
support and stay involved with the partnership.

How to Apply

- Please complete this application and submit it by **Monday, December 16** to **Whitney Bell** at Covenant Presbyterian Church, or email it to wbell@covenant.org.
- Applicants will be contacted in early January with next steps.

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First and Last Name:	
Phone:	
Tell us a little bit about you:	
What interests you about Belize?	
Member at Covenant: Yes	No
How long have you attended Covenant, a	and in what capacity?
Name and Email of Covenant member re	eference:
Passport # and Expiration Date:	