

## Financial Donations:

### HOW DO WE FUND THE PROJECTS?

Funding is provided solely through private contributions. 100% of all donations for our trip are solely for the construction materials.

### Would you like to contribute:

- \$5000.    \$2000.    \$1000.
- \$500.    Other \_\_\_\_\_

### Make Checks payable to:

St. Therese Parish  
(in memo put DR. Mission)

### Send to:

Fr. Bill Hoffman  
St. Therese Parish  
213 E. Wisconsin. Ave.  
Appleton, WI 54911

### Our Goals:

Elias Pina: 1 Chapel \$11,000  
Vallejuello: 2 Classrooms \$20,000  
Total: \$31,000 needed, can you help?????????  
Every little bit can help!!!!!!!



## Travel Information:

### REGISTRATION INFORMATION:

If you are interested in joining us on this mission trip, registration forms can be found at: [www.communityofsttherese.org](http://www.communityofsttherese.org)  
Click on the MISSIONS tab.

Please print out the form and mail to the address below with \$100 non-refundable deposit.  
Checks are payable to:  
Dominican Republic Missions/St. Therese Parish

### Send Registration form to:

Karen Rickert  
4500 N. French Road  
Appleton, WI 54913

### Things that you will need:

A current passport (mandatory)  
A signed volunteer agreement  
A medical form completed

### Optional:

(but recommended immunizations)  
Tetanus/Diphtheria  
Hepatitis A  
Hepatitis B  
Typhoid Vaccine  
Malaria Prophylaxis

Please call today:  
Space is Limited.



## Dominican Republic Missions



Are you interested in a Mission trip to the Dominican Republic this coming January 2012? Many men and women have found these trips to be fulfilling experiences of our faith in action.

### WHO DO I CONTACT FOR MORE INFORMATION?

Call us with questions:

Father Bill Hoffman @ 920-733-8568  
or  
Karen or Jerry Rickert @ 920-738-6697  
Or email us at: [jkrickert@hotmail.com](mailto:jkrickert@hotmail.com)

Check out our web site @ [www.communityofsttherese.org](http://www.communityofsttherese.org)  
Click on the MISSIONS tab.

# Dominican Republic Missions Group

## WHO IS THE DOMINICAN REPUBLIC MISSIONS GROUP?

We are men and women of all faith denominations working together to help the needy in our world. Just as Jesus did we are called to be disciples of the Lord. We are young college, we are retired, we are still in the work force, Male, Female, unskilled in construction and skilled. There is a job for everyone.

## WHEN IS THE MISSION TRIP?

January 27th –February 10th, 2012

## HOW CAN VOLUNTEERS GET INVOLVED?

There will be informational meetings Sept. 8th, Oct 20th and Nov. 11th at 6:30 pm.

Meetings are held at:

St. Therese Parish

213 East Wisconsin Ave.,

Appleton, WI

Enter through the bell tower doors on Wisconsin Ave., between the rectory and the school. Proceed down the stairs, through the tunnel, to the Family Room.

Space is limited to the first  
30 people that sign up!!!



## Elias Pina Mission

This mission site is located in the southwestern part of the country on the border of Haiti. This mission is sponsored by the Green Bay Diocese. Father Mike Seis is the current pastor that oversees 90+ communities. Projects that we have done in the past include **building 30'x50'** concrete block chapels. The 2011 project goal is to build chapel at a cost of \$11,000. We can take 8-10 people at this location.

**"Alone we can do so little--together we can do so much." Helen Keller**



The prayer to be said before a mission trip:

As we prepare for this journey. Lord we ask for your protection and your guidance. May our minds be open to the new cultures we encounter.

May our hands be helpful and humble in their service.

May our eyes see your presence in everyone we meet.

Help us grow in love for you and one another not only on each day of this journey.

Lord, but every day until the end of days.

AMEN

## Vallejuello

While working on mission projects in the small town of Vallejuello, we stay at the Agricultural Center run by the Dominican Sisters of Montiel from Brazil. We can take up to 20 people. Our 2012 project at this site will be to build two additional classrooms onto the current, under-sized school building. This will provide the opportunity for more children to have a quality education.

The total cost for this project is \$20,000.

**"At the end of our lives, all that remains is what we have done for God and for our brothers and sisters."**



## WHAT DOES IT COST TO PARTICIPATE?

The cost of the 12 day Mission is \$1200 for room & board, land and air travel. We ask (but not mandatory) if each volunteer can assist in raising an additional \$1,000 by asking family, friends, having a second collection at their parish, or assisting in the group fund raising efforts to raise the funds needed to do the 2012 projects.