

Dominican Republic Mission Group

Packing List

PASSPORTS: Carry issued and current passport: make 3 photocopies – one in luggage and one leave at home, one for group coordinator

BACK PACKS: Use for flight carry on and for weekend excursions or daily use. Hand carried or shoulder strap bags are not user friendly.

MEDICAL: (optional) Current tetanus and typhoid: suggested hepatitis A&B. Malaria pills Give Medical information to group leader. A list of all current medications for your group leader.

CAMERA: Remember to carry on and not to store in checked luggage

PERSONAL ITEMS: Toilet bag, 1 roll toilet paper, handy wipes, light blanket, sunglasses, hat, sunscreen, shampoo, insecticide, anti itch cream, water bottle, flashlight & extra batteries, work or hiking boots, work clothes, jacket and or sweatshirt, Clothes-Modest shorts, t-shirts, warm clothes for evening, bathing suit. Normally we have local people wash clothes for a donation fee –local money. Elias Pina -2 towels & Washcloths.

We suggest that you leave most of your belongings behind when we leave.

SUNDAY MASS: Men Long pants: Women Dress and shoes –Check with local priest.

SLEEPING: Sheets and pillows only furnished, no blankets furnished. Take rolled fleece blanket.

FOOD TO TAKE: Cookies, peanut butter, jelly, spices, Kool-Aid, lemon – ade mix, barbeque sauce, beef sticks. Gatorade. Anything with sugar needs to be sealed. (Store in Zip loc bags).

PERSONAL TOOLS: Work gloves._Optional talk at group meeting. All things taken it is suggested to leave behind for missions.

TOOLS & EQUIPMENT: Prior to departure, we will pack an equipment bags.

KID'S TOYS & EQUIPMENT: Tennis balls, softballs, soccer balls, punch balloons, soap bubbles, baseball gloves, jump ropes, pencils, ink pens any misc. toys.

MEDICAL Kits One furnished to each group. Each person responsible for personal prescriptions.

SPECIAL NOTES:

Each person is asked to only pack one suitcase for themselves and the other for the mission. If you chose not to pack on for the missions let Karen know and she will pack one for the mission as and you will be asked to carry it thru the airport.

Santo Domingo Airport: You will need \$10.00 for a tourist card fee upon arrival. This will be covered by group.

Vallejuello work site: \$15.00 a day for room and board at the Formation Center. This will be covered by group.

Elias Pina a suggested donation of \$10.00 a day. This will be covered by group.

Hotel: last day/evening is a hotel near the airport, an additional cost for the room about \$100. Per person. This will be covered by group.

Communications: Pastors at both locations have email service, and some cell phones work.

Note: Pray the Beatitudes – Matt. 5: 2-12 Ask: Who – What – Where, etc. Add your name in each Beatitude.