

ALASKA MISSION FOR CHRIST

Seeks to facilitate a bold witness to Jesus Christ in every community in Alaska

Pray

- ✦ Pastor Aaron Spratt and family will relocate to Juneau in December to serve with Faith Lutheran and AMC.
- ✦ The CONNECT Gathering will be held on January 19-20 at St. Paul Lutheran, Munster, Indiana
- ✦ 2018 mission team formation

Provide

To continue with ongoing ministry needs, as well as ministry expansion, I rely on donors like you who are joyful in sharing their resources. To provide an electronic donation to my direct funding, go to: <https://give.cornerstone.cc/alaskamissionforchrist/cart/item/5028>

Participate

AMC is looking for short- and long-term volunteers to assist with ministry opportunities throughout the year. Contact me at: janbruick@amclcms.org to learn more.



Organized Flexibility!

We all know that ministry happens in a variety of ways. We see that in Jesus' life as his days were filled with traveling from village to village by road or boat—to teach, create a new relationship, or perform a miracle or two...or 5,000! Ministry happens!

This was also true for the 31 teams who served in 29 Alaskan communities this past summer. Alaska Mission for Christ's volunteer rolls swelled to over 300 as teams scattered throughout the state to share Jesus' love through sports and art camps, hammer and nails projects, and VBS programming.

With adequate pre-planning conducted, one of our summer teams found themselves forced into organized flexibility just one week



Join Us to CONNECT!

Are you a team leader or recent participant on an AMC mission team? Would you like to learn more about serving with AMC?

Consider joining us January 19-20 at St. Paul Lutheran Church, Munster, Indiana.

- CONNECT through sharing our experiences
- CONNECT through learning from each other and from our AMC staff
- CONNECT through the encouragement received from God's Word and from each other

Events begin Friday, January 19, at 7 pm and will conclude Saturday, January 20, at 3 pm. Stay for worship at 5:30 pm if your schedule allows.

Registration is FREE—and Saturday lunch is included! Go to: <https://docs.google.com/forms/CONNECT>

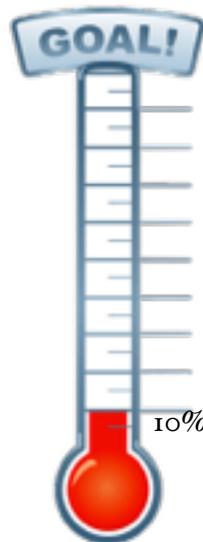
Hotel Reservations can be made directly with Hampton Inn & Suites: 219.836.5555. Use "AMC" for the group rate.

prior to deployment. Traveling to a Yup'ik village in Southwest Alaska where relationships had been established was exchanged for the opportunity to serve a new mission field in the most diverse community in Alaska—and potentially in the U.S.—Mountain View.

The Mountain View community is situated in northeast Anchorage, butting up to the military Joint Base Elmendorf-Richardson. This AMC team of 13 provided VBS in the city park to over 40 children. They provided care to over 35 women in a shelter, and over 100 lives were touched by the Gospel message through street evangelism and random acts of kindness in this multi-ethnic neighborhood. Lives were changed by the power of Jesus' love and compassion, both for those who served and for those whom were served.

Yes, ministry happens, even in the midst of a cultural shift from a native village to an urban neighborhood. We praise God for the opportunity to serve with organized flexibility!

Join ME on my Journey!



My days are filled with exciting, God-ordained summer mission trip stories like the one shared above. God's timing in supplying everything we need is perfect—even when we may not realize it at the time.

As I seek to become fully-funded for my work as Servant Event Coordinator, I continue to seek God's wisdom in providing my costs for ministry. If you have pledged prayer and/or financial support for my work this year, THANK YOU! It is humbling to rely on God's timing, not my own.

To join me on this faith journey, go to: <https://give.cornerstone.cc/alaskamissionforchrist+cart/item/5028>