INFO FOR PASTORS

ShareHim Pastor and Young Adult Program

Goal: Develop in your young adults a passion for sharing the gospel and a closer relationship with you, their pastor, leading them to become a greater part of your ministry and leadership team back at home.

How it works: A ShareHim trip is more like a visit with church family than a mission trip, as local members graciously invite us to join them in their ongoing evangelistic ministry. Each pastor and young adult is assigned to a church and preaches a 10-part evangelistic series using customizable ShareHim sermons, no preaching experience required.

On the trip: Each trip will have about 10 participants, with 2 or 3 pastors from different conferences each bringing a few young adults. Your group and the others on the trip will stay at the same hotel and meet daily to pray, share reports, and practice your sermons under the leadership of an experienced ShareHim trip manager. At the end of the trip, you'll spend a day or two in recreation, sightseeing, and recommitment to sharing the gospel back at home.

Who you can bring: You can bring up to 4 people with you (or more, with ShareHim approval) from this list: 1) Your spouse; 2) Young adults from your district, age 18-35 (or age 16-37 with ShareHim and conference approval), and their spouses; 3) Children, age 14-17, of yours or of a young adult in your group (age 0-13 may be approved in rare cases).

You must bring at least 2 young adults (or just 1, with conference approval), including at least 1 who isn't your child. Note: All young adults MUST come with their pastor, and you CANNOT bring anyone not signed up with ShareHim.

Requirements for all young adults: 1) Live in your district; 2) If regularly attending a church, it must be YOUR church; 3) Baptized, or on that path; 4) First time preaching on a ShareHim trip

Each person age 14 and up is required to preach at their own assigned site. Exception: Your spouse, and spouses of participating young adults with children age 0-13, may instead present nightly health or children's programming.

Cost: You can participate if you're a local pastor from a participating conference and haven't accepted a call to a new district. You participate for free, at no cost to yourself or your church. For each person you bring, the cost is $499 from the participant PLUS $499 from your church (reduced cost for age 0-1). You'll pay when you sign up your group. Note: If you bring your spouse and 3 young adults age 18-37, your spouse also participates for free.

Included: 1) Basic economy flights from a major airport in your region; 2) Prepaid carry-on bag and small personal item; 3) Hotels (double or triple occupancy), meals, and transport in destination country; 4) Excursions; 5) Travel insurance from Adventist Risk Management; 6) Sermons; 7) Onsite leadership from a trusted ShareHim trip manager

Not included: 1) Travel to and from departure airport; 2) Fees for checked luggage or preassigned seats; 3) Laptop (PC or Mac) and remote (clicker) for each speaker; 4) Passport; 5) Visa or tourist card, if required; 6) Vaccines and meds

About ShareHim: We're a donor-funded ministry of the Carolina Conference, leading evangelistic trips for 26 years.

Pastor and Church Commitment

Pastor's Initials	**Spouse's** (*if applicable*) **Initials**	
_____	_____	I understand that a trusted ShareHim manager will be the leader of this trip. I promise to support the manager and participate under their leadership.
_____	_____	I agree to preach the 10 ShareHim sermons at my assigned site. (Spouse: I agree to preach at my own site [*strongly encouraged*] or instead present nightly health or children's programming.)
_____	_____	I promise to mentor and encourage the young adults in my group and work to involve them in ministry and leadership back at home.
_____	_____	I choose to participate at my own risk. I understand that risk is an inherent part of travel and that ShareHim cannot be responsible for my health or safety.

Our church board voted on _____ [date] to: 1) Invest in our young adults and help them participate by matching the $499 from each young adult with an additional $499; 2) Pray for our group; and 3) Encourage our young adults and work to involve them in ministry and leadership back at home.

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Pastor's signature **Date** **Spouse's signature** (*if applicable*) **Date**