



## [WORK & WITNESS Trip to Costa Rica](#)

**June 27-July 7, 2018**

→ → **EXTENDED TRIP...NOW 10 DAYS** ← ←

**Florida District NYI & NMI partnering together because. . .**

**We are Better Together**

- **Check your Email Regularly & Reply upon receipt of Encuentro Emails**
- **Arrange the purchase of your Passport and send us a picture/scan of it**
- **Mail in Payments On Time**
- **All payments should be made to your local Church**
- **Churches to mail a church check to The Florida District NYI (postmarked by dates listed)**
  - **Mail church payments to:** Florida District NYI  
PO Box 784834  
Winter Garden, FL 34778-4834

### **COMMUNICATIONS**

Get instant updated information & reminders!

**Text: "@flencuent" to 81010 to join**

### [Trip Leaders](#)

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**OR**

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### **Payment Schedule**

**\$650 Immediately**

**(Must be received in order to Register at the lowest possible rate)**

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**\$150** due January 2 (total = \$800)

**\$150** due February 2 (total = \$950)

**\$150** due March 2 (total = \$1,100)

**\$200** due April 2 (total = \$1,300)

If you are able to send in your full \$1,300 right away, please do so as we have bills to pay beginning in December 2017.



## Costa Rica Mission Trip

### INFORMATION SHEET

1. **Who can go?** → Teenagers, Adults, Children (accompanied w/ a parent)
2. **What does the cost of \$1,300 include?** → Airfare, transportation in CR, meals, housing, t-shirt, & life-changing experience
3. **Do I need a Passport?** → YES! Please be sure that you obtain your own passport.
4. **What's our project?** → VBS, Sports Camp, Painting, Building Walls, Lay Tile, etc..
5. **When's the Registration Deadline?** → December 31, 2017 (new registrants from 12.5.17 need to pay \$1,400)
6. **What will the housing look like?** → Mainly bunkbeds or mattresses on floors at the Nazarene Seminary or at a nearby Church
7. **Will I need to bring bedding?** → Yes. Twin-size sheets or sleeping bag, pillow, etc..
8. **What about Toiletries?** → Yes. Towels, cloths, soaps, etc...
9. **What about the meals?** → Most breakfasts will be at the Seminary, Sack Lunches, Dinners at partner Churches
10. **Is there a time difference in CR?** → Yes! CR is 2 hours behind FL
11. **What can I expect the weather to be?** → Somewhat cooler than FL & daily rain
12. **What's the primary spoken language in CR?** → Spanish (Español)
13. **Should I bring spending money?** → Yes, there will be a snack shack available at night at the Seminary and you may want to buy souvenirs or other items
14. **Do I need to exchange currency?** → No. Most places accept US \$\$, though their currency is in "Colones", so they do a simple conversion (\$1 = about 525 colones)
15. **Can I use my Cellphone in CR?** → Yes, but consult your provider for Int'l rates

**Other Information will be provided as it gets closer, but please see a sample daily schedule for most days & some basic Encuentro-issued guidelines**

8:30am → Breakfast  
9:30am → Service  
11:00am → Depart for Projects  
1-6:00pm → Work on Projects  
6:30pm → Dinner at Churches (Night Services)  
8:00pm → Depart for Seminary  
→ A more complete schedule will be given later

**Some Guidelines → "Blessed Are The Flexible"**  
→ Wear pants/skirts to Church Services (especially if you'll be on the platform)  
→ No expensive clothes or jewelry -- "Don't flaunt it"  
→ No swearing, fighting, alcohol, or smoking  
→ Travel in at least groups of 5 (minimum 1 guy)  
→ Nightly Curfew is midnight (lights out & quiet)  
→ → Sleep es very importante' ← I made that up. :)