



## Tyler

Usulután, El Salvador  
April 25 - May 3, 2026



## Fun Fact

Richard Simmons came rushing over to me at the Calgary Airport in 2013 as he thought my bright green jacket was fantastic and wanted to know where I got it. When he found out I was a pastor, he asked me to pray for him. While we were praying, his assistant paid for my breakfast!

## Prayer requests

That the Spirit of God would help us to see, hear, and love one another, and those we meet.

That we would be an encouragement and blessing to all whom we encounter.

That we would grow deeper in our understanding of and hope in, the gospel.



## Nick

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## Fun Fact

I'm a recovering  
serial hobbyist



**Favorite Activity**  
changes constantly  
(see above)

## Prayer requests

That God will use this  
team to build His  
kingdom through the  
work in El Salvador.

That each of us would  
experience growth in  
new and unexpected  
ways.



## Tim

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## Fun Fact

I hate running so much but I'm forcing myself to do it.

## Favorite activity

Connecting with people, whether over coffee, a meal, or a good conversation.

## Prayer requests

That God will search my heart and motives; break anything in me that keeps me away from Him; and send me in surrender and obedience.



## Jennifer

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## Fun Fact

When reading, I often read with a British accent in my head.

## Favourite Activities

Gardening, reading, painting, connecting with friends over coffee.

## Prayer requests

God would do a new thing again, drawing the team and Salvadorians together in an amazing way!



## Hank

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## Fun Fact

My mind still thinks I'm 25... my 50 year old body is now sending me correction notices.

## Favorite activity

Running, water sports, campfires at the lake with family — and sometimes fixing things that may or may not have needed fixing.

## Prayer requests

That God would quiet my instinct to control, deepen my trust in Him, and allow this experience to shape my heart as much as anything we build.



## Dan

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## Fun Fact

27 years old but my musical-taste and personality traits suggest I was born in the 1960s.

Unproven track record with power tools; confident nonetheless.

## Favourite Activities

Shredding the slopes and the guitar

## Prayer requests

For God to open up the hearts of the people we serve in El Salvador and for our team to make a lasting impact.



## Rachael

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## Fun Fact

I'm way more scared of hamsters than I am of snakes.

I have a pet Axolotl named Dipper.

## Favourite Activities

I love to: draw creature designs; to pace and listen to music to de-stress; and hanging out with my friends and talking about random stuff.

## Prayer requests

That everyone stays safe and healthy while we are there, and everyone feels welcome and appreciated at all times, with no room for self-doubt.



## Laurie

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## Fun Fact

I LOVE babies, if there is one on site in El Salvador I will be holding it!

## Favorite activities

Surfing, campfires, bike rides, connection with my people.

## Prayer requests

That we will show the people of El Salvador, the Shelter staff, and the members of our team, God's love through our actions and when necessary we will use words.



## Ava

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## Fun Fact

I love babies, and I will be fighting my mom to love on all the babies and kids on site!

## Favourite Activities

Puzzles, making matcha, and anything outdoors!

## Prayer requests

I pray that God would fill the hearts of everyone that we encounter, and that our actions would reflect the light of Jesus.



## Suzanne

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### Fun Facts

I've taken 119,000+ photos and counting. I wrote a daily social media post for 20 months, journaling and finding the joy of each day. I collect keychains and rocks from places I visit. I'm an encourager at heart and love helping.

### Favourite Activities

Traveling, connecting with friends and family, writing, watching movies, gardening, puzzles/games

### Prayer requests

That our team stays healthy and has the energy and endurance to do the work well.

That we reflect God's love, compassion, and hope to the families we serve.



## Sela

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## Fun Fact

I have an irrational fear of holding babies and never held a baby longer than 5 seconds...until I held my own 🤩

## Favourite activity

Dancing to songs with a bpm of 140 or higher, and singing Disney song classics really, really loud into a microphone.

## Prayer requests

For safety and health for the group and for my 2-year-old who is consistently exposed to other germly tots, so his gracious and amazing grandparents will have an easier time taking care of him while we are gone to El Salvador.



## Ginny

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## Fun Fact

Most people think I'm shy, but I actually love talking.

## Favourite activities

Brazilian Jiu Jitsu,  
swimming, badminton,  
and drawing.

## Prayer requests

For God to use the team to spread the gospel and for safety for everyone