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February

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Serving Opportunities for Everyone
all Ages and Stages
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Opportunities by Date
(over)

FEBRUARY MISSION TRIP OPPORTUNITIES AWARENESS (Regional and International Evangelism)**Ongoing Hope Ministry**

Simpsonwood's own ministry that lends a proverbial hand to neighbors in need in our won zip code. We pair church families with families at-risk, helping them re-establish stable housing, food security, steady work and reliable transportation. Meet on the 3rd Wednesday of the month for Bible Study and fellowship. Contact Jann Roeder at jroeder@simpsonwoodumc.org for latest details on how to support.

4 SafeHouse Outreach

An urban outreach committed to changing lives of those in the margins of society. SUMC takes a meal the **1st Thursday of each month**. Drivers, servers and meal-preparers are needed. You can help support this effort during the day or travel to serve in the evening from 5:00-9:00 pm. Also, bottled drinks are needed or donation to cover that expense. **Contact: Scott Adams at scottadams@3csoftware.com.**

7 HONDURAS INFORMATIONAL MEETING

Laurie Willing, Executive Director of HOI, will have detailed information about the trip and the village of Pacura, that we will be serving. Our team will be part of HOI's new initiative, in-home water filtration systems, that bring clean, safe water to the families. Each of the 65 homes in our village will receive a water filter, as well as training on installation, maintenance and sanitation. There will be additional work projects on individual homes, vacation bible school for the children, in home prayer visits and Young Life activities with the youth of the village. **Trip Date: June 18-25.** Adults and Youth ages 16 and up. Cost: \$800 for in-country fees (lodging, ground transportation, work supplies, meals), plus airfare (approx. \$800)

11 Rainbow Village

Join us as we prepare and serve dinner to the mothers and children involved in the after school program at Pleasant Hill Presbyterian Church in Duluth. SUMC provides dinner once a month at the transitional housing community for homeless families with children. 5:30-7:30 pm. **Contact: Jann Roeder at jroeder@simpsonwoodumc.org to serve.**

13 Re-Christ Ministry "RUN2LOVE" 5K Run Walk and 1K Fun Run

Great community event that supports Re-Christ Ministry, serving at-risk children. Sign up to run the race, volunteer or make a financial donation. Race begins at 9:00am at Peachtree Corners Baptist Church. **Details and registration at Run2Love5K.com.**

16 Norcross Co-op

9:00am Travel in the church van and assist with sorting clothes for the clothes closet at this local outreach on Mitchell Road in Norcross, providing assistance to those in need. **Contact Richard at rhamrick@gmail.com to serve.**

21, 24 EL SALVADOR MISSION TRIP INFORMATIONAL MEETINGS

Receive pertinent details about this year's trip, travel arrangements and cost. Sunday, 2/21 at 12:10pm or Wednesday, 2/24 at 6:30pm in Building C, Room 110/111.

27 SAVE THE DATE!! YOUTH MISSIONS FUNDRAISING EVENT

Details TBA

MARCH HABITAT FOR HUMANITY PROMOTION (Focus on Homelessness)

***Habitat Blitz Build April 16-23**

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