

# Thailand Mission and Cultural Trip

Purpose : Children's Ministry / VBS

When: Aug 21 - Sep 10, 2024

## Summary

Dr. Peditro Maynard-Reid leads this group outreach and cultural trip that has become an annual tradition and opportunity to continue long-standing relationships built over many generations of Walla Walla University students.

Service projects include:

- English Camp at the McGovern Elementary School
- Community nursing
- Community health in surrounding towns and villages
- Fruit and vegetable farm assistance to an invalid Thai farmer
- Branch Sabbath School
- Work at [Bamboo School](#) in Kanchanaburi

Cultural projects include:

- Visiting Buddhist temples and interacting with and understanding religious culture
- Touring historical sites, both urban and rural
- Touring national parks
- Interacting and learning from local people, both in the academic setting and in towns and villages
- Weekend on Koh Samed Island

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## Projects

Not Specified

## Lodging & Food

Not Specified

## Health Notes

Not Specified

Where	When	Type	Purpose	
Thailand	Aug 21 - Sep 10, 2024	Mission/Service	Children's Ministry / VBS	
Cost	People Needed	Participants	Target Age	Skills
\$0.00	1 - 10	Total: 14 (Denominational Employees: 3, Other: 11)	Target Age: Any	Skills: Any

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**Website** Not Specified

**Registration** Closed

Signup here



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**Host Contact**

## Travel Advisory

Thailand

**1** Exercise normal precautions

**Reissued with obsolete COVID-19 page links removed.**

Exercise normal precautions in Thailand. Some areas have increased risk. Read the entire Travel Advisory.

**Reconsider travel to:**

- Yala, Pattani, Narathiwat, and Songkhla provinces due to **civil unrest** associated with ongoing insurgent activities.

Read the [country information page](#) for additional information on travel to Thailand.

If you decide to travel to Thailand:

- Enroll in the [Smart Traveler Enrollment Program \(STEP\)](#) to receive Alerts and make it easier to locate you in an emergency.
- Follow the Department of State on [Facebook](#) and [Twitter](#).
- Review the [Country Security Report](#) for Thailand.
- Have evacuation plans that do not rely on U.S. government assistance.
- Visit the CDC page for the latest [Travel Health Information](#) related to your travel.
- Prepare a contingency plan for emergency situations. Review the [Traveler's Checklist](#).

**Yala, Pattani, Narathiwat, and Songkhla Provinces – Level 3: Reconsider Travel**

Periodic violence directed mostly at Thai government interests by a domestic insurgency continues to affect security in the southernmost provinces of Yala, Pattani, Narathiwat, and Songkhla. In Songkhla, the insurgency is most active in the districts of Chana, Thepha, Nathawat, and Saba Yoi. U.S. citizens are at risk of death or injury due to the possibility of indiscriminate attacks in public places.

The U.S. government has limited ability to provide emergency services to U.S. citizens in these provinces as U.S. government employees must obtain special authorization to travel to these provinces.

Visit our website for [Travel to High-Risk Areas](#).