



Deacon of Missions

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ESSENTIAL QUALITIES FOR THIS ROLE:

1. Deep conviction for missions and mobilizing people to take the gospel near and far
2. Desire and wisdom to mentor those that are being sent
3. Outstanding organizational skills (for coordinating community opportunities and managing missionary training)

JOB SUMMARY: MISSIONS HEARTBEAT, MISSIONARY CARE/TRAINING, and MISSIONS COORDINATING

RESPONSIBILITIES:

- **MISSIONS HEARTBEAT**
 - As the key promoter of our missions, you will:
 - Keep missions at the core of Anthem's focus through events such as the missions weekend.
 - Meetup with individuals who have questions about missions to give them vision and clarity for different pathways they can take
 - Host an informal quarterly meeting with individuals interested in missions
- **MISSIONARY CARE/TRAINING**
 - In your role as a supporter and trainer of our missionaries, you will:
 - Provide care and training to our long-term missionaries, ensuring they are well-prepared and supported as they are sent out.
 - You will also assist in the Salt summer team training.
- **MISSIONS COORDINATING**
 - As people with much experience being sent on different trips, you will:
 - Discover, develop teams, and organize focused opportunities for our community side to participate in, both near and far, fostering a culture of active mission work.
 - Goals
 - 1 family trip per year
 - 1 adult community side trip

Overall: As the Deacon of Missions, your role will be central to driving our church's missionary work. You'll keep missions at the heart of our community, support and train our missionaries, and coordinate mission-related activities. This role needs someone with a deep passion for the Gospel, excellent organizational skills, and the ability to inspire and mentor others in their mission work.

Communication Guidelines

- [Name] will be the primary point of contact of any questions in regards to your role description and responsibilities
- [Name] will also be the primary communication point when looking to organize larger missions initiatives such as a family trip or response work that the MBC has available
- [Name] will be the primary point of contact when looking to organize events for Anthem
 - Dates (to make sure it fits into the overall church calendar), space reservations, volunteers, etc

ADDITIONAL CLARITY

Anthems Sending Philosophy

We would love to have a very focused and corporate, sending culture. Our desire would be to not only give individuals in the body opportunities on where they can go but for it to be organized in a way that Anthem is sending groups of people to locations at the same time. We would like to lean into the outlets that NAMB, MBC, and IMB offer. We believe that more of a corporate focus in sending will allow us to get more buy-in with sending so that individuals are saying yes to the same opportunities and able to be sent together.

Anthem Pathways

Here is a list of the pathways Anthem would like to streamline sending through. This list is not exhaustive and is open to any additional paths you think might be helpful. We want to lean into your wisdom and experience!

- IMB
- C2C
- MBC
- Salt Network Sending
- NAMB