

FAR FLUNG AIR

PERU

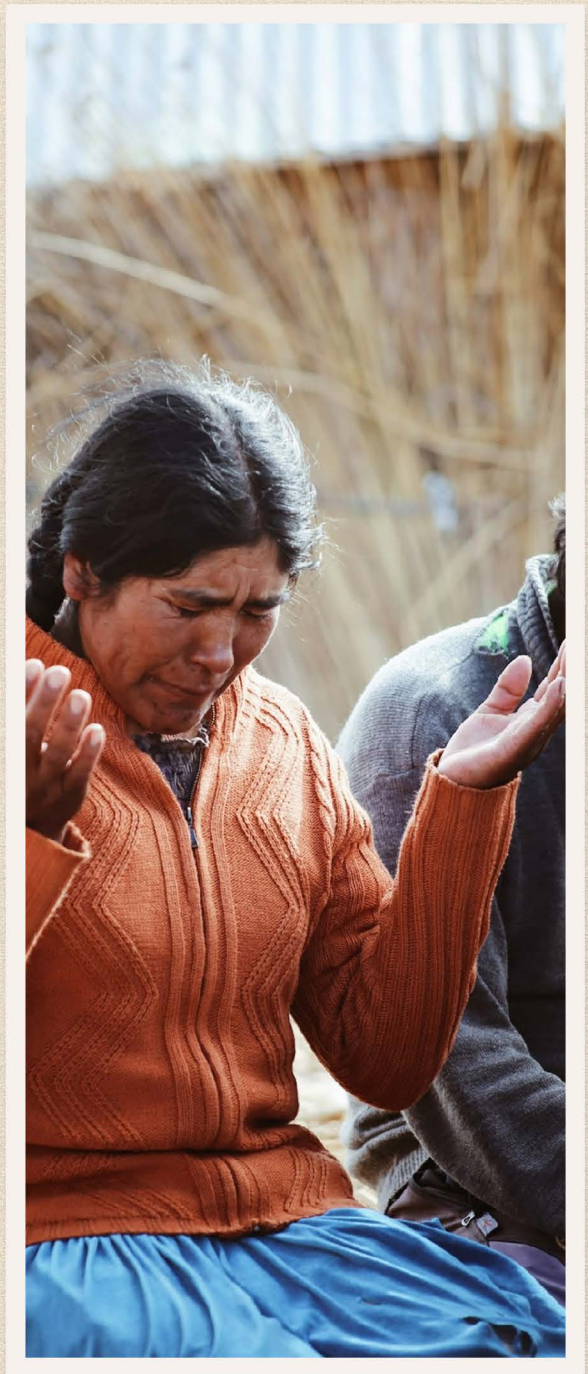


Greetings from Tennessee!

We're so excited that you're joining us on this incredible journey to Peru - home of the breathtaking Andes, the ancient floating islands of Lake Titicaca, and La Rinconada, the highest city on Earth.

We can't wait to see all that God will do, not only among the people we'll serve, but in your heart as well. Every trip we take is uniquely orchestrated by the Lord, and we believe this team has been brought together for a divine purpose. We're honored to walk this adventure with you and can't wait to see how God will use each one of you!

This packet includes important logistical information about your trip, as well as the story behind our heart for the people of Peru and how Far-Flung Tin Can's journey there began.



Why Peru?

In 2019, God placed an unexpected burden on our hearts for La Rinconada, the highest city on Earth, perched over 16,700 feet above sea level in the Andes Mountains. With little more than a prompting from the Lord and a map, a small scouting team was sent out just six weeks later to see what God had in store.

Along the way, God opened another extraordinary door: the opportunity to minister to the people living on the ancient floating islands of Lake Titicaca – handwoven reed islands that drift on the world’s highest navigable lake. Access to these island communities is extremely limited, making this encounter all the more miraculous.

That first trip was life-changing. We saw hearts open, relationships form, and faith come alive in unexpected ways. Within months, we were back again – our second trip in less than a year – and the seeds of the Gospel continued to take root.

When COVID-19 hit and borders closed, we continued our partnership from afar, funding food and supply deliveries to dozens of families on the islands, many of whom we had never even met. The Lord has expanded these connections, and evangelism has continued to spread in ways we couldn’t have imagined.

Now, Peru has become a permanent part of our yearly mission work, and each return trip feels like revisiting family. We are honored to continue the story God started here – one of faith, endurance, and hope rising from the highest places on Earth.

Nuts and Bolts

With any mission trip, there’s a lot to prepare for. This packet is here to help you get ready! You’ll find everything you need to know about packing, logistics, and what to expect so you can begin preparing your heart and mind for the adventure ahead.





Packing Guidelines

- **Clothes you don't mind getting messy:** We'll be doing outreach projects and community ministry, so bring clothes you can work in.
- **Layers:** Temperatures can fluctuate drastically in high altitudes. Bring layers for both warm days and cold nights.
- **Church clothes:** Something casual but respectful – nice jeans and a nice shirt work great.
- **Toiletries:** Bring your usual items. Outlets are standard, so no converter is needed for basic electronics.
- **Sunscreen & lip balm:** The high altitude means stronger sun exposure. Protect your skin and lips.
- **Medicine:** If you take medication daily, keep it in its original bottle with your name clearly visible so that there is no issue at the airport.
- **Passport:** You will need this to travel! Keep it in a secure location at all times.
- **Money:** Bring cash for souvenirs, snacks, and meals in airports. Everything else will be covered.
- **Bible & Journal:** Besides your passport, this may be the most important thing to bring with you. We foresee the Lord downloading all sorts of things in you during this trip, and you're going to want to write down and record those things. We also want you to come equipped and prepared – don't leave your Sword at home.



Altitude + Health Notes

Peru's high elevation can cause altitude sickness for some travelers. We'll provide tips and natural remedies to help your body adjust, but if you have respiratory or heart concerns, consult your doctor before traveling. Staying hydrated is key!

There are no required shots, but we would recommend making sure your Hepatitis A and B, Typhoid and Tetanus are up to date.

Allergies

If you have any food or environmental allergies, PLEASE let us know ASAP. This helps us plan meals, groceries, and accommodations safely. If you carry medication for allergic reactions, ensure it's clearly labeled and kept with you.



a Note from Kyle

Peru is one of the most breathtaking, spiritually charged places we've ever visited, and one of the most remote. Every year, we're amazed by what God does here: in the cold mountain air, among the floating islands, and in the hearts of the people we meet.

You are part of something truly special. This trip will stretch you, inspire you, and change you in ways you may not expect, but God will meet you in every moment. We're thrilled to have you on this team. Let's see what He has in store this year in Peru!



Tentative Schedule

• Please note that the itinerary for this trip is subject to change due to weather conditions, the evolving needs of the people we serve, unforeseen circumstances, or the guidance of the Lord.

- Day 1** Travel Day
- Day 2** Land in Juliaca, Peru. Get some groceries and sail to floating islands. Setup camp, meet some locals and get some rest.
- Day 3** Meet island residents as we travel to multiple islands and share the gospel and see their way of life.
- Day 4** Continue ministry on the islands.
- Day 5** Leave the islands in the morning and drive 3 hours to the hotel in Putina. Rest for the night in prep for early morning.
- Day 6** Travel at 4am to 17,000 feet in elevation to La Rinconada. Ministry all day and then drive to Juliaca in the evening.
- Day 7&8** Travel home

