



Lutherans in Medical Missions

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G4G Ghana Receives LIMM Grant

Girls 4 Girls Ghana is a non-profit organization that attempts to moderate the negative impacts of apathy and lack of available outreach services for the underserved female population of Ghana. The charity provides young women with hygiene supplies and educational development programs, like basic self-care and STI prevention, that focus on individual empowerment and helps participants achieve their personal goals.

On average, girls in Ghana stay in school for only four years, dropping out as a result of early marriage, pregnancy, poverty, sexual harassment and various other barriers. Sex and menstrual cycle education is crucial to help these girls overcome these barriers. LIMM's CHE (Community Health Education) program fits well into this need in Ghana. It not only educates young women on health issues, but also incorporates the Gospel message into its curriculum. Arming young women with this education hopefully keeps them in school and helps them become productive and successful individuals in their community.

G4G Ghana was established in 2018 by Dina Amoo, a healthcare professional from Woodstock, IL. She began this ministry because of personal experience growing up in Ghana. Trips are taken yearly to bring sanitary supplies and conduct educational programs. This year, 1000 girls from 16 different schools across 4 regions in Ghana were served thanks to the generous donation of LIMM.



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LPNI Study Tour to Romania

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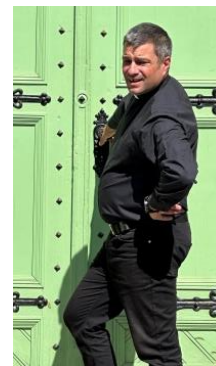
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Parish Nurses International (LPNI) study tours offer parish nurses from around the world the opportunity to learn, network and support one another, share experiences and models of practice, and meet with pastors/deaconesses to learn more about parish nursing and how it may be useful in their unique population. LPNI has had an annual study tour since 2010 in a variety of locations, including Palestine, Australia, Finland, USA, Germany, New Zealand, Brazil, England, Canada, and Singapore.

From September 7th to 15th, Shawneen Schmitt, RN, LCRS Parish Nurse from Green Valley, AZ and Belinda Petersen, RN, GDNur/Renal were chosen to receive a LPNI scholarship to study in Bucharest and Brasov, Romania. Belinda struggled to condense the meaning and impact of this trip into a few words. She said, "the conversations and connections with practicing parish nurses has been a dawning of inspiration, as they demonstrated the integration of their personalities, talents and professional skills with the work before them." Shawnee met four LCMS missionaries who shared of their remarkable dedication to bringing the Gospel to the Romanian people who endured Soviet oppression as well as to the Ukrainian refugees. Both students commented on the complex and painful history of Romania.



Thank you, LIMM donors, for making this trip possible for these two students!



Pictured above: Newest Feeding Program in Georgetown, Belize. The picnic tables, cups, plates and silverware for these students are provided by LIMM.

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