

Kosovo

Forward Edge Open Team

Team #2510 | July 7-15, 2024

The Program

Kosovo has experienced centuries of struggle, occupation, and ethnic discrimination, culminating in the Kosovo War, during which its citizens fought for independence from Serbia/Yugoslavia. The country still lacks full global recognition today, but its people are striving to rebuild their lives despite limited economic strength. High unemployment and uncertainty persist, and access to education or vocational training is limited.

Cornerstone, led by Metush and Nora Kaja, is bringing practical and spiritual hope to the Gjakova district. They serve 12 communities in the region with nutritious meals and the bread of life. The gospel is shared in homes, at their office, and even outside in neighborhoods when there isn't enough room inside for everyone interested! While the focus of the program is the 300 children served, many adults and teenagers listen to the good news of Jesus whenever presented.





Trip Fee:

\$1,295 per person

- 8 nights in-country
- A \$200 per person non-refundable deposit is due at the time of registration and is applied toward your trip fee.
- Registration Deadline: 4/7/2024
- Full balance due: 5/7/2024

Register Now!



Contact

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While You're There

Every Forward Edge team is designed to give you the opportunity to engage, serve, and learn from a community experiencing poverty. This spring 2024 team will be assisting with a spring youth camp in the mountains just outside of Gjakova. They will also participate in the Good News Clubs in and around the area, where children are taught biblical principles, given a nutritious meal, and nuturing community relationships with Cornerstone Staff.

Trip Fee Includes

- Meals, lodging, ground transportation, and some project materials.
- Secondary Int'l Medical Insurance.
- Translators
- Trained Forward Edge Facilitator.
- Team Packs: T-shirt, manual, etc.
- Complete trip coordination provided by Forward Edge.

Trip Fee Does Not Include

- Flights to and from Kosovo (Please contact your Team Coordinator prior to ticket purchase.)
- Luggage fees.
- \$30 background check if necessary.
- Additional project materials (VBS, crafts, etc.) if needed.





Before You Go

Passport and Visa: A passport is required to enter Kosovo. No other identification is needed. If you already have a passport, please be sure that the expiration date is at least six months past the date of your departure from Kosovo.

Immunizations: The government of Kosovo does not require any shots or immunizations to enter the country. Please consult a personal physician for any recommendations.

Accommodations & Travel: In Kosovo, you will be staying at a safe and secure guest house. Towels and linens will be provided.

Excursion/Cultural Day: Team members will have the opportunity to visit a cultural site and/or explore downtown Gjakova.



