

## What Is International Accelerated Missions?

IAM is our sending missions board. Based in upstate New York, IAM was founded to train and send laborers into the harvest field so that "nationals reach nationals," furthering the Kingdom of God throughout the nations. For more information on IAM, go to their website, [www.iamoutreach.org](http://www.iamoutreach.org).

## What Is Father Heart Missions?

Based in Bluefields, on the Eastern Caribbean coast of Nicaragua, our mission is "to minister the great love of our Heavenly Father." When we are filled with His love, we can bring healing to the lost and hurting, because "love never fails." (1 Corinthians 13:8) We strive to minister the Father's love in practical, as well as spiritual, ways.

## Connecting with Youth

We are a spiritual mom and dad to many young people that we disciple. We teach a six-week course on knowing God as Father.

## Youth Center



There are not many wholesome activities available for the youth in Bluefields. So, we established a Youth Center as an outreach ministry to at-risk young people. All ages are welcome—children as

well as adolescents. There is a place where they can play basketball, volleyball, soccer, and ping pong. They learn about Jesus and participate in group activities such as arts and crafts, drama, dance, and games.

## Feeding Program

Many children in the city are hungry, and even malnourished. Father Heart Missions has a feeding program at the Youth Center that regularly provides a well-balanced meal to up to 120 kids, as well as pregnant and nursing moms.



Along with the food, these children and adults receive a Bible teaching and have fun and games. We have three teachers who teach the small children, the older boys, and the older girls, respectively.

## Send a Child to School

Some families are so poor that they cannot even afford the required, basic supplies to send their children to school—which means the kids simply stay home and get no education. Our desire is to see this cycle of poverty broken.

The objective of the Father Heart Missions Scholarship Program is to connect each child with a sponsor. For \$75 per child, we are able to buy school uniforms, shoes, a backpack, and all the school supplies that child needs for the year. In turn, the sponsors receive a photo and a letter from their child. With the help of our program, some children have graduated from school, and we are now helping them with university.

## Mercy Ministries

Mercy Ministries is our outreach to those who have practical needs such as medical or dental assistance, food, clothing, or shelter. Sometimes it is as basic as providing a toothbrush (Yes, people are *that poor* here!) and teaching dental hygiene. Other times it is a much larger endeavor, such as building a house for someone who is elderly or disabled.



## Preach, Teach, & Counsel Father's Love

All that we do is a ministry of our Heavenly Father's love. We want people to know our Daddy (Abba), and Jesus, Who is the only Way to the Father (John 14:6). Many have a hard time relating to God as a loving Father because they had an earthly father who distorted that view. We preach, teach, and counsel the ministry of Father's love.



## Empowering Nationals

### Focus on Women

We help young women start small businesses so they have a way to provide for themselves and their families. There are many single moms who do not get help from the child's father, and there are also many women who will stay in an abusive situation because they have no other means of support.

### Training Nationals for Ministry

We train nationals to minister the Father's Love—in practical as well as spiritual ways. Then we work closely with them, equipping and empowering them until they are ready to continue the work of ministry themselves.

## Find Out More

You can learn about the Father's love through our website, [www.fatherheartmissions.com](http://www.fatherheartmissions.com), or other sites such as [www.shilohplace.org](http://www.shilohplace.org) or [www.fathersloveletter.com](http://www.fathersloveletter.com).

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