



**Mission Trip
2023**

**-Seventh Year of Service-
Biography Book**

Carlisle Mission Team 2023 to Tangier Island, Virginia

Mission Team Biography Book

- The purpose of this book is to help everyone involved on this mission trip to know each other. It is provided to each supporting church, each team member and their families, and to the great folks on Tangier Island.
- Please pray for this mission, the supporting churches, the missionaries and for our friends on Tangier Island.



Tangier Island

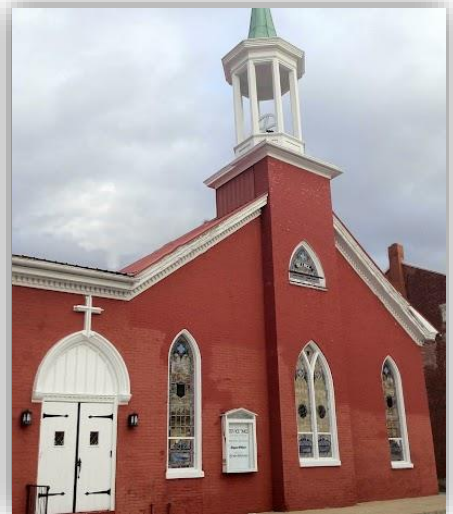
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Carlisle Evangelical Free Church



Community Christian Fellowship



Churchtown Church of God



Susquehanna Valley Church



Life House Church

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Grace Baptist Church



Bible Baptist Church,
Shiremanstown



Waggoners United Methodist Church

**In total, EIGHT churches are coming together to Serve
the Lord on this mission...**

TANGIER ISLAND MISSION TEAM

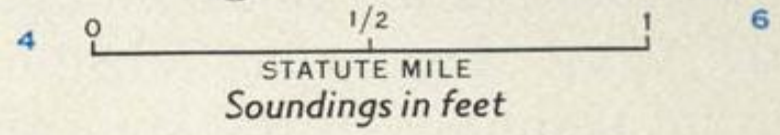
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How did this mission start? The Lord led the way! A few folks flew down to the island in search of the world's best crab cakes and got to talking to people...and found out the older folks could use a little help with making their homes safer, dryer and warmer...that was in 2013, and by 2015 we had our first trip with 24 amazing Christians from Carlisle. We have made it back in 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019 and 2022. Covid kept us from going in 2020 and 2021. This year we have the biggest mission team ever! 50 people going to Tangier Island to serve the Lord in 2023. Thank you everyone for acting in faith. Your service to the Lord through these people is what we are called to do, and you are so faithful for obeying the Holy Spirit prompting you to act...let's have a great mission trip!

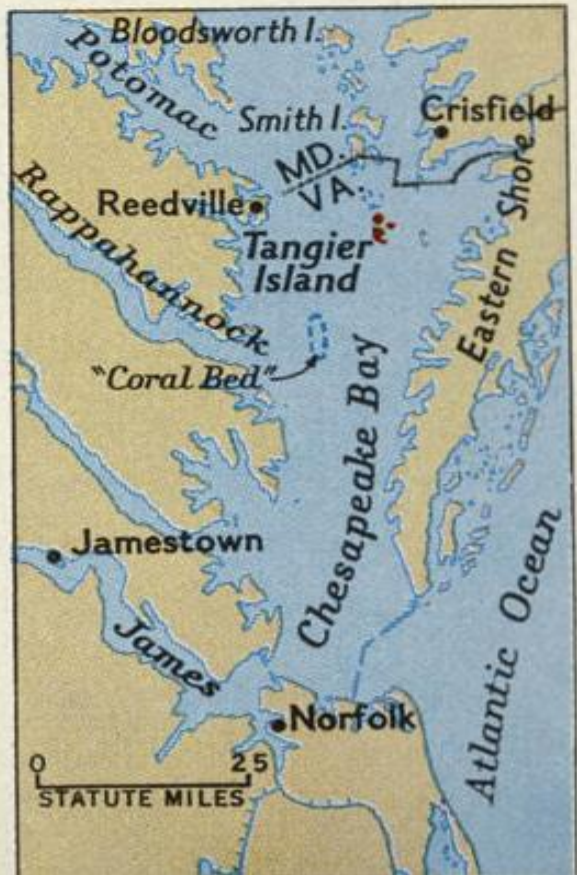
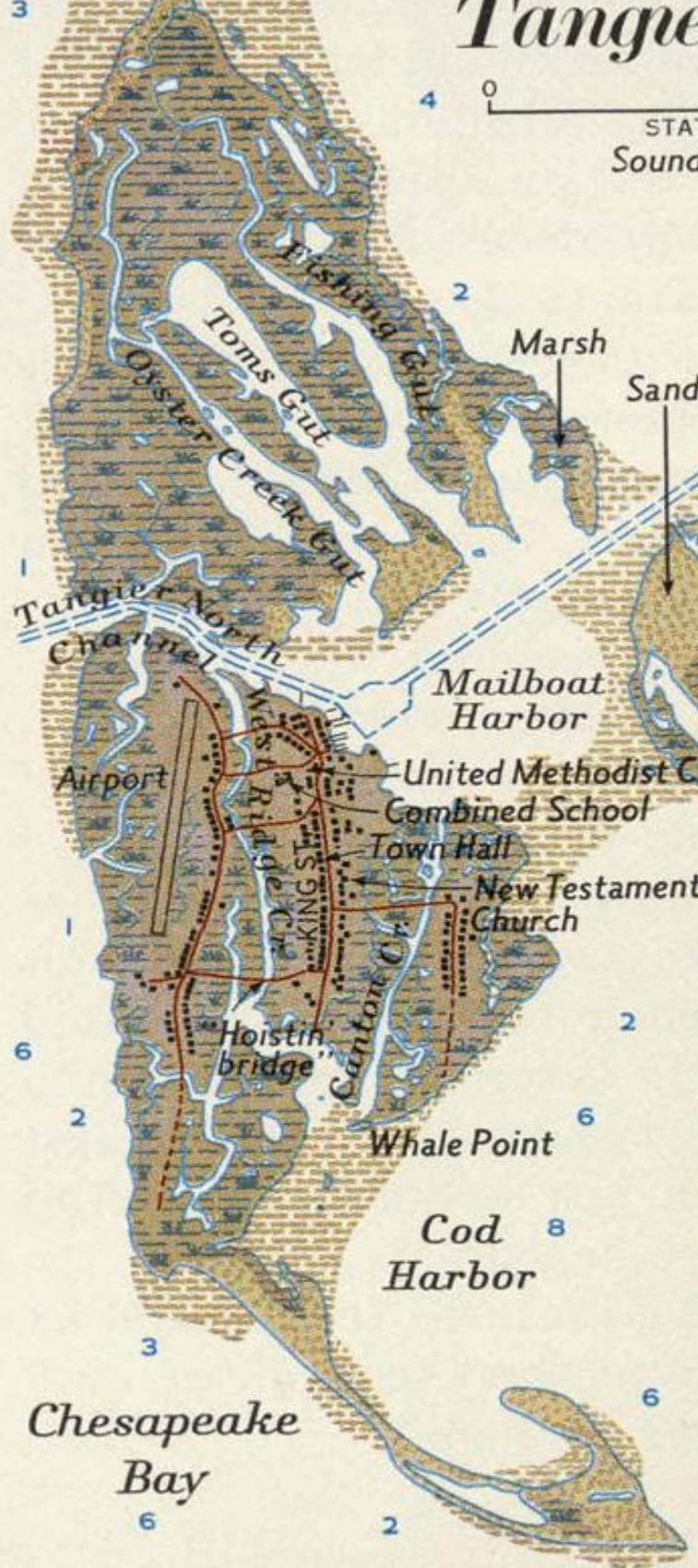


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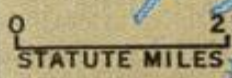


Tangier Sound

FERRY shuttles year round, daily except Sunday, from Crisfield, Md.; ferry from Reedville, Va., operates May through September.



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A very brief history of Tangier Island, VA



- Founded by John Smith in 1666
- English colony
- Forgotten during American Revolution
- Key in "War of 1812" – British staging base
- Bypassed during the American Civil War
- Many slaves escaped here for sanctuary
- By 1900, there were over 1,000 citizens
- Largest church is the Swain UMC, est. 1835
- Tradition of burying family in yards
- Fishing/Tourism the main source of income
- Airport was for med-evac, now helicopters
- "Watermen" are the traditional fishermen
- Today's population somewhere around 400
- Economic/Environmental challenges
- One school, police officer, post office + clinic
- Daily ships deliver mail, food, supplies
- Population is Christian, proud and patriotic
- Predictions of environmental demise by 2060
- Carlisle area churches coming to serve since 2015



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TANGIER ISLAND - OUR MISSION FIELD JUNE 2023

Swain UMC, Tangier Island



Walking Map
of the Island



2023 Weekly Schedule for Tangier Island

Packing

Carry-on Bag: For travel/snacks/water/money/jacket

Long-term Bag: Clothing/items on list/bedding

Optional tool bag: Job dependent

Tue 13 June

0530: Depart CEFC
1100: Arrive Crisfield, MD dock,
1230: Sail for Tangier Island
1345: Arrive Island
1600: Est living areas
1630: Team Meeting + Devotional/work details
Safety Overview
1800: Dinner at Lorraine's
2200: Lights out

Wed 14 June

0630: Wakeup
0700: Breakfast
0800: Devotional/ Wok/Visits, Overview
0815: AM Work
0900: VBS/WBS starts
1130: Lunch
1700: Work ends
1800: Devotion + Dinner/ reflection time
2200: Lights out

Thu 15 June

0630: Wakeup
0700: Breakfast
0800: Devotional /Work Visits, Overview
0815: AM Work
0900: VBS/WBS starts
1130: Lunch
1700: Work ends
1800: Devotion + Dinner/ reflection time
1930-2030: Teen Event 1
2200: Lights out

Fri 16 June

0630: Wakeup
0700: Breakfast
0800: Devotional
0815: AM Work, Visits
0900: VBS/WBS
1130: Lunch
1300: Tree Planting Cer.
1700: Work ends
1800: Devotion + Dinner/ reflection time
1900-2100 Fam-Fun Show!
2200: Lights out

Sat 17 June

0630: Wakeup
0700: Breakfast
0800: Devotional
0815: AM Work
0900: VBS
1130: Island Fun Run - Kid's Fun Day and Pizza (all)
1600: Kids Day/Work ends
1630: Beach Baptism?
1800: Devotion /Softball + Grill-Out on Field
1930-2030: Reflection Time
2200: Lights out

Sun 18 June

0630: Wakeup
0700: Breakfast
1040: Team Photo in shirts
1100: Church Service
 -Reflection Time-
 Optional Church events
 Family Time/Beach/Boat
1800: Dinner/ Devotional
1900 Church Service
2200: Lights out

Mon 19 Jun

0630: Wake-up
0700: Breakfast
0800: Pack/clean
1200: Lunch
1500: Pack out to dock
1600: Sail for Crisfield
1715: Arrive Crisfield
1745: Depart on bus and van
2230: Arrive Carlisle

Still coordinating a VBS/WBS = Vacation Bible School / Woman's Bible Studies

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LEADER AND KEY CONTACTS –
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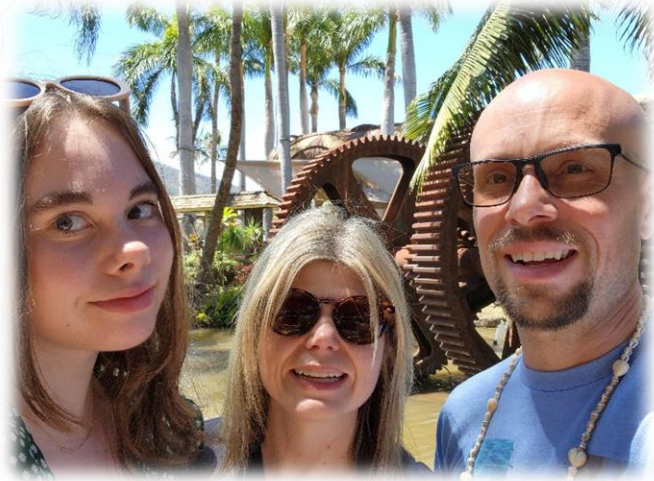
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Tasks the Lord enables us to accomplish on these missions...we act as His Hands...

- Visitation to all shut-ins
 - Plumbing jobs we can do
 - Roofing repair
 - Decking, parking and porches to preserve items from flooding
 - Interior floor repairs
 - Vacation Bible School
 - Woman's Bible Studies
 - Kids Fun Day on Saturday – games, prizes and pizza party!
 - Youth Beach bonfire and Bible Meditation
 - Fence painting
 - Tree planting
 - Door repair
 - Light HVAC repair
 - Electrical repairs
 - Ceiling and some drywall repair
 - Around the Island Fun Run
 - Combined mission team and Tangier Talent Show
 - Yard clean up and landscaping
 - Caulking of windows
 - Soffit repair (under roofing)
 - Gutter cleaning and repair
 - Leading of a Church Service at Swain UMC
 - Installation of bathroom fixtures, showers, etc.
 - Cook and prepare meals for our entire team
 - Provide our own medical first-aid
 - Fun Run
 - Family Fun Night
 - Mission Team / Islanders Softball
 - Raise and manage funds to do this from individuals and families on this mission team
- Our churches help with...
- Vehicles and transportation
 - Financial oversight
 - Spiritual wisdom and guidance
 - Venue to meet and organize



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Scott, Shelly and Ava Baldwin have been attending CEFC since 2016. In 2017 they took their first trip to Tangier Island. Fast forward to 2023, and it will be Shelly's fifth trip and Scott and Ava's fourth trip to the island.

Tangier Island is important to the Baldwin family for many reasons. Scott has witnessed God providing for the team when they were in need of a sledgehammer. Moments later they found one in the shed they were trying to demolish! Shelly gets to use her restaurant skills and plan menus and cook in bulk. Ava loves to find the island cats and feed them treats in between rescuing her mom in the kitchen and learning new trades.

Scott is a graduate of the University of Pittsburgh and has been working as a pharmacist for Care Options Rx since graduating. Scott enjoys running, biking, swimming, hunting, anything that keeps him active.

Shelly is a graduate of Lock Haven University, a Wellness Specialist for Messiah Lifeways and a Pilates Instructor for Simply Yoga and Fitness. She loves Pugs, Pilates and the color purple. Shelly also enjoys helping at My Brother's Table at the Salvation Army.

Ava is a soon-to-be junior at Carlisle High School. She loves to debate in the Model United Nations club at her school and enjoys speaking German. She also likes to read, listen to music, and go to the gym.

One of our favorite bible verses is "When you walk, your step will not be hampered, and if you run, you will not stumble." Proverbs 4:12



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Hi there, my name is **Debe Fetter** from Carlisle,
I retired five years ago. Now I help at Project Share and love every minute of it.

I can hardly wait to see all my friends on the island.

I think this is my 7th year attending.



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My name is **Caleb Adams**.

I am 14 years old and in 9th grade at Carlisle high school. I love playing basketball and soccer. I have 4 younger siblings. This will be my 3rd trip to Tangier Island. I love this mission trip. It is so rewarding to be able to help and serve others. I have grown so much each time I go there. I am so excited and look forward to what God has for use there this year.



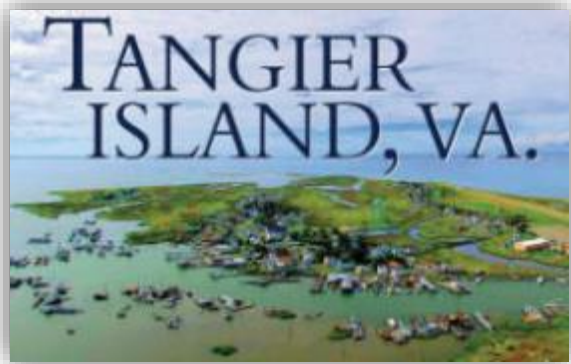
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My name is **John Osborn** a local General Contractor from Carlisle. I am serving as co-leader for construction projects on this trip. I am married to **Teri Doyle** (11/17/2020). We have known each other since high school ♡. Together we have 5 children and 6 grandkids. A beautiful blessing that we share together. We just recently moved into our forever home and enjoy friends and family coming to visit. This will be my third trip to Tangier Island and look forward to being of service .



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Mike Marra – CEFC Church: Serving our Lord in short-term missions since 1982 (41st year) to include Honduras, Guatemala, Belize, Spain, Kentucky, Mississippi, Virginia, California, Washington, DC and Pennsylvania. sixth mission to Tangier Island (2015 +17,18, 19 + 22). Married 32 years to Brenda, with two children, Molly (24) and Max (19). Nearly three decades of military service in the US Air Force, now retired. Currently full-time faculty at the US Army War College in Carlisle, PA. 34-year Gideon distributing Testaments. Likes aviation, history, photography, reading, animals, family-fun, crab-cakes, church activities and missions. Life Verse: **Isaiah 6:8 *Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, “Whom shall I send? And who will go for us?” And I said, “Here am I. Send me!”***



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Tim Bard, Grace Baptist Church. Tim is our co-leader for all construction on the mission trip to Tangier Island. He attends Grace Baptist Church and is involved with numerous community projects as a leader and organizer, such as the Amani Festival, the Neighbor to Neighbor Project Share event, and others. Tim is a retired military expeditionary civil engineer (Air Force). **This is Tim's 6th mission trip to Tangier Island, but he has been there numerous times individually and with small groups to complete projects.**



Nancy, Tim and Pastor Flood

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The Schwartz Family – CEFC – 6th Time to Tangier Island!



Jeff has taught high school math at Boiling Springs High School for 31 years and is starting to think about what life may look like in retirement after a few more years. He enjoys playing low brass in various musical ensembles. Some other interests of his include reading Christian authors, logic puzzles, and yardwork/gardening

Stephanie has enjoyed primarily serving in the kitchen, visitation, and painting on her previous trips to TI. She and Jeff will celebrate their 22nd anniversary while on the trip this June 16th. Jeff likes to joke that the two of them have been to an exotic, remote island for a number of their anniversaries; Steph does not think the joke is very funny! The two of them started attending Churchtown Church of God in May of 2020 and have become very involved with several ministries there. Steph resurrected her gift of playing the piano after 30 years and is the church pianist on a regular basis. She schedules in practice time on a daily basis as well as lessons while also working part-time in the office for her brother's roofing company and helping to take care of her aging dad.

They have also started a series of local service projects on a quarterly basis, modeled after their numerous mission experiences, most notably Tangier Island. The projects offer free assistance to elderly / disabled / needy with such services as spring & fall cleaning, simple repairs, and other general needs.

Caity Schwartz is now officially a senior at Boiling Springs High School! She recently marked her 1st full year of working at Chick-fil-A and enjoys the camaraderie shared by her coworkers and herself. She owns a 4-year-old Bishon Poodle named Sadie Mae and has a side business of dog sitting and dog walking. She is also very active with the yearbook staff and is senior editor for this upcoming school year. Caity works hard and is a distinguished honors student and member of the National Honor Society.

Some or all of us have been on the Tangier Island team from Carlisle for every trip except one and we love the relationships we have formed and maintained with our friends there. Some of our favorite Bible verses include Philippians 1:6, Proverbs 3:5 & 6, and Joshua 1:9.

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My name is **Dave Reese**. I'm a Hardscape/landscaper and went to college for landscape contracting at Penn State. I'm a big Penn State fan and I like all type of outdoor sports and activities such as canoeing, kayaking, and fishing. I also like gardening and working with plants. One of my favorite pastimes is dabbling in politics to a great degree!

Reagan Reese - She will be going to college for nursing after she graduates with honors in her nursing Vo Tech program. She likes art and drawing and all animals and recently got a gecko for her birthday. She is a talented painter and likes dabbling in it. She recently got her first car and is practicing parallel parking to take her driving test.



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Annette Langdon

I love being with Jesus, then spreading His love in encouraging words or actions. I have a cat named Bella who is my apartment buddy. I went to Tangier last year and loved serving with the team by reaching out to shut-ins and kids and planting trees. I would love to be a part of the team again this year!

2nd time to Tangier Island.



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Hi! I'm **Jill Tomasello**. I work as a home care aide. I love Jesus and my cat **Caroline**. I like to spend time with my friends and my cat. My favorite Bible Verse is John 3:16. This is my second mission trip to Tangier Island.



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We are **Duke and Michelle Clabaugh**, married for 42 years, and have 8 wonderful grandkids, 5 of whom we live with. Shared interests are RVing, hiking, and helping others with their “projects”. Gal. 6:10. We have been a part of an Assembly of God RV ministry for 5 years, doing construction work at a Teen Challenge center in GA, a church in MD, and for the last 3 years, serving at River Oaks Retreat in Honea Path, SC. We consider the managers, Chris and Donna Lovelace and their 2 children, Sophia and Ben, as family. Last year we were given the opportunity to do a mission’s trip to Shaktoolik, Alaska (population 251), installing metal siding on their church, replacing windows, and renovating the vestibule. The church is right on the Bering Sea. This will be our 2nd year going to Tangier Island and are looking forward to serving the residents there.



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My name is **Glenn Peterson**, and my wife is **Martha**. Martha's profession is Seamstress. We have a married son and daughter and are Grandparents. Member of CEFC serving on CEFC Helping Hands group and the Safety team. 43-year retired federal government Logistician and Systems Analyst with Department of Defense. Worked with Goodyear racing tires for NASCAR, and on Speedway Safety Crews. Retired 40-year Volunteer Firefighter, the past years having served 12 years for Carlisle Special Police. Contracted with Carlisle Area School District performing services. Served in the church for over half century in many capacities including field mission work. Served on construction projects devoted toward hurricane and tornado disaster relief; church builds, renovations and additions; Habitat for Humanity homes; and erecting structures for community service organizations use. My entire life has been dedicated to daily living for Christ, reflected through my service to humanity. 2nd trip to Tangier Island. Matthew 25:40 & John 15:13



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My name is **Deb Denlinger**. I attend Life House Church. My husband, Jeff and I have 3 young adult children; Colton (25), Kylie(20) and Brooke(19). We are the founders and I have been the executive director of a non-profit in Haiti called AWAKENHAITI since 2009. I also just finished my certification as a Personal Fitness Trainer and am currently working on my certification as a nutrition coach. When I complete that, I hope to help people become healthier in all aspects. I also spend my time taking care of our farm, 2 active dogs and 3 horses. I enjoy the outdoors, hiking, playing & watching volleyball and boating with friends and family. This will be my second trip to Tangier Island, and I am looking forward to learning and serving with our team and the community of Tangier in whatever way I can.



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My name is **Brooke Denlinger**. I am going into my second year of college at Penn State Mont Alto. I study physical therapy while playing volleyball. This will be my second time going on the Tangier mission trip with my mom Deb Denlinger and my best friend Addey. I am so excited to go back and see all the friends I made last year, and I am looking forward to what the Lord has in store for me and everyone else going!



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We are back! And super excited to be here! This year, my father, EJ Miller, will be joining us for his first short term mission trip! We are all very grateful to be a part of this trip! It's amazing what gets accomplished! It is so evident that God is in this story!
~Nicki, Sunderlyn and Saylor (CEFC) and EJ Miller (Waggoners Church)



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Amy Galbraith

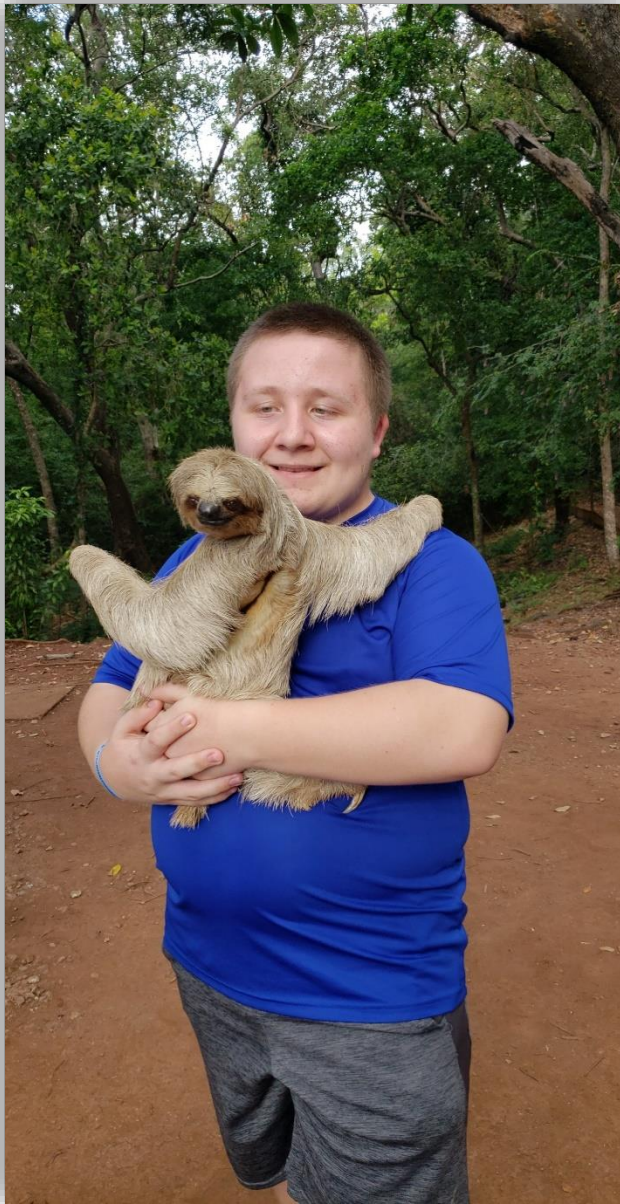
I am the wife of Brian and Mother of Hannah and Daniel who are all on the trip as well. This is my 5th mission trip. I have been on a mission trip to Honduras and 2 mission trips to Red Bird Mission in Beverly KY. Our family also plans on going on the Food for the Hungry trip to the Dominican Republic that CEFC is planning in August. My family and I serve a meal at the Carlisle Salvation Army on a monthly basis. My hope is to teach my children the importance of missions and of helping others. I work at CEFC in the Finance department. I enjoy watching Hannah play softball and traveling to weekend tournaments with her. I can't wait to start going to football games and band competitions next year when Daniel joins the marching band.

Brian Galbraith

I am the husband of Amy and Father of Hannah and Daniel who are all on the trip as well. This is my 8th mission trip, 4th domestic mission trip. I have been to Honduras on construction Mission trips, Dominican Republic on Children ministry Mission trips and construction mission trips to Red Bird Mission in Beverly KY. My family and I also serve a meal at the Carlisle Salvation Army on a monthly basis. In my free time, I enjoy watching Hannah play softball, Yard Sailing with Daniel, hiking, cycling, repairing bicycles and small engines. I am a retired Marathon runner with 8 marathons including the 2015 Boston Marathon.

My favorite Bible verses are John 3:17, "For God sent not his Son into the world to condemn the world but that the world through Him might be saved." and Jeremiah 29:11, "For I know the plans I have for you, plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future". These verses remind me that our God is a loving God and is with us at all times to guide us through life. As a child of 2 working parents, I was often watched by my pastor's wife, Ruth Welliver when I was a preschooler. At 48, I can still remember being with Ruth and the lessons she taught me. One lesson she taught me was "Love Never Ends", signifying that God is love and God is eternal.

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Daniel Galbraith

Hi, my name is **Daniel Galbraith**. I will be going into 10th grade in the fall. I have been on mission trips to the Dominican Republic and to Red Bird Mission in KY. My family also serves a meal at the Salvation Army once a month. I am active in youth group and attend a life group at CEFC. I love anything Halloween related. My favorite time of year is when Spirit Halloween opens for the season and I can go check out all of the animatronics they have. My other favorite thing to do is to watch YouTube and to make videos to post to YouTube. Second time to Tangier Island.



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Hannah Galbraith

Hi, my name is **Hannah Galbraith**. I have been on mission trips to the Dominican Republic and to Red Bird Mission in KY. I am active in youth group and attend the High School Homeschool Life Group at CEFC. I also work at CEFC as a custodian a few hours a week. My absolute favorite thing to do is play softball. I play for a travel softball team year-round as well as on my high school team. I am planning on playing softball in college as well. When I am not doing schoolwork, working or playing softball, I enjoy playing Sims and watching Friends. 2nd mission trip to Tangier Island.

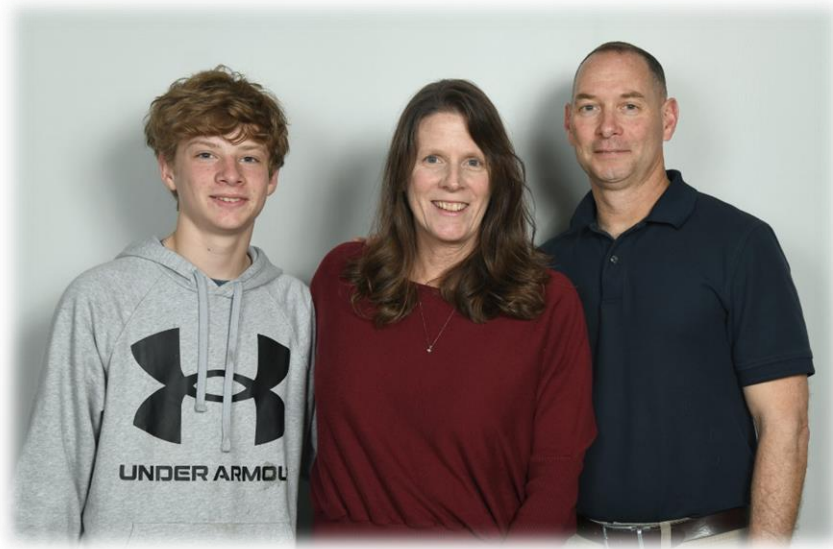


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Hi, I'm **Bill Smith (CEFC)** and my wife Judy and I have been attending CEFC since the church began meeting 38 years ago. We also were married the day before CEFC started Sunday morning services, so we just celebrated our 38th wedding anniversary. We have two adult children, David and Allison. I have been a photographer since 1978. I was a newspaper photojournalist for 20 years and a photographer for Shippensburg University for over 23 years and recently retired in December of 2021. Plus having my own business as a photographer. We had the opportunity as a family to help the people in New Orleans during a mission trip after hurricane Katrina. David married a young lady named Katrina and they have three daughters. She's a very sweet lady, nothing like a hurricane! Our daughter Allison just celebrated two years of marriage with her husband, Max. They just had their first child in January. Another girl. I also had the opportunity to take a mission trip to Mexico with members of the CEFC youth group a number of years ago. I look forward to going on this trip to Tangier Island for the second time to get to know some of the people there and to help them with some repairs with their houses. I turned my life over to God at a camp meeting when I was 12 years old, and I have been trying to live for Him each day since then.

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Cathleen Donnelly

I'm a homeschool Mom who loves mountains, seasons, showing hospitality, scrapbooking and reading.

William Donnelly

Military, father and husband, enjoys baseball and music.

Will Donnelly

Likes baseball, piano, video games, outdoors.

First mission trip to Tangier Island!



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Keith Gingrich

CEFC Helping Hands leader. Retired and active. Serving others has been a way of life for decades. First time to Tangier Island.



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Bonnie Hoffman

Married 46 years, mom of 2, grandmother of 5, have attended CEFC about 30+ years. Love to paint, crochet and craft. Also, a Civil War buff.

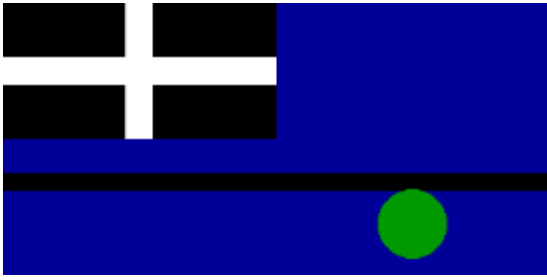
Wyatt Hoffman

I attend Yellow Breeches Middle School in Boiling Springs. I love to play video games and I enjoy acting. My favorite food is venison burgers. My favorite movie is Star Wars, New Hope.

First time to Tangier Island!



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Flag of Tangier Island



Brian Baer

I work at Carlisle Construction Materials. Before that I worked in the building trades for 25 years.

Abraham Baer

I am 21 and I work part-time at Carlisle Construction Materials. I have one older brother and I enjoy playing board games with friends and family. I am excited for this mission trip, as it will be my first one.



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Bruce Reinert

This will be my first mission trip!

I am excited to help in any way possible. I have some experience in carpentry and roofing. Would be willing to be a help in any department.



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Derek Fabian

Married to wife Amber, We have 3 kids (Lily 16, Autumn 13, Emmett 8). Lineman with PPL for 17 years. Currently working at Newport service center. Avid Fisherman

Autumn Fabian

Attending school at Carlisle Christian Academy. Animal lover with a passion for cooking and food.

First trip to Tangier Island!



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Laura Pensinger

I am going to be 51 next month. I am married and my husband is going on this trip too. We have two sons from previous marriages. One is 17 and one is 18. I work as a team lead at Walmart in Shippensburg. I run the meat and produce departments. I love cats, dogs, hiking, running, boxing. This will be our first mission trip and I am excited to help the people on the island and to grow in my relationship with Jesus with my husband by my side!

Charlie Pensinger

I own an autobody shop in Shippensburg. I'm open to helping on whatever projects are needed. I have been an assistant coach on baseball and football teams. My wife and I are on the trip together and looking forward to helping however we can.

First time to Tangier Island!



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Ashley Heller

I love serving Jesus through photography, playing instruments for worship music, art and relationships

I attend an art school in Philly and enjoy using my talent for ministry. I currently also serve on worship team with Life House Church and play violin. Recently I started singing sometimes as well and worship is my favorite. Serving is something special to me and I have always wanted to go on a mission trip, so this is my opportunity!

First time to Tangier Island.



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Lynne Gallo

Hi, my name is Lynne Gallo. I'm so excited to be participating in this trip for the first time with my oldest son. I've done mission trips in the past (most to Romania), and they were all amazing and life changing. I am so excited to experience that with my son! And I think it's an amazing opportunity to see that you don't need to travel too far from home to make a huge difference.

I have been married to my husband, Nick, for 17 years. We have 3 kids Zachary age 14 (who's joining me on this trip!), Madelyn age 9, and Jonah age 4. I was a stay at home mom for over 10 years, but recently went back to work part time as a Patient Care Tech at West Shore Hospital.

Our family is a member at Carlisle Evangelical Free Church, where we have been attending for about 13 years.



Zach Gallo

I am Zachary. You can call me Zach if you want. This is my first mission trip. I am very excited. I am 14 years old, and I have 2 siblings. I am going on this trip with my mom. I go to cyber school at CCA and I'm in 8th grade. My hobbies are playing video games and Legos. This is our first mission trip to Tangier Island.



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Rick Aurand, our volunteer professional Bus driver: Susquehanna Valley Church. Missionary Aviation graduate of Grand Rapids School of Bible and Music in 1981. Agriculture Pilot for 2 years in Grant, Nebraska. Former Captain for a Federal Express Feeder Airline. Commercial Pilot for over 38 years. Flight Instructor for 42 years. Charter Pilot for 16 years. Commercial Truck driver for 9 years. Married 32 years to Cindy. Cindy and I have 3 wonderful children. Owner of Aurand's PRINTERS-n-PC's, LLC doing all aspects of Computer and Printer Service and Repair. Likes aviation, photography, SCUBA Diving, fishing, camping, reading, family, church activities and serving our Lord Jesus Christ. This is my sixth trip driving the bus to Tangier Island and the first time spending the whole week on the island.

Kyle Aurand: I'm 17 years old, attending New Covenant Christian School & starting in the fall I'll be attending trade school for precision machining. About a year ago I started a small engine repair business – working on lawn mowers, & the like. I really enjoy the outdoors – some of my hobbies include hunting, fishing, camping, and working on my truck. I came to know the Lord when I was 5 years old & have been attending Susquehanna Valley Church since 2015. Although I've visited Tangier Island previously when the team was there, I've never had the opportunity to serve before. I look forward to helping out this year.

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Hi, my name is **Addison Bolz**, but people call me **Addey**. I'm a senior at Carlisle High School and play goalkeeper for the girls Varsity Soccer and Lacrosse teams. I also play lacrosse in the summer with Fusion Lacrosse. I attend Life House Church with my family and enjoy serving in the cafe, Prims (little kids on Wednesday evenings), and attending youth group. This is my second mission trip and I'm excited to share this experience with my dad, Jason.



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Hi, my name is **Jason Bolz**. I have been married to my wife, Jenn, for twenty-seven years. We have four children-William, Parker, Cade, and Addison, and daughter-in-law, Kayla, and three grandchildren. In addition, we host two ballet dancers that live with us throughout the year. I retired from the United States Marine Corps and currently work for Boeing. We currently live in Carlisle, PA, and enjoy watching our daughter (last child at home) play soccer and lacrosse. I attend Life House Church and serve on the sound team, as a small group leader with my wife Jenn, and play softball in the church league. I came to know Christ through the Left Behind Series after a friend shared the first book with me.

This is my second mission trip, and I am excited to share this experience with my daughter, Addey.

Jenn is a wife and mom of three. She has a degree in Early Childhood Education and works with children ages 2 months through 5 years.

She enjoys playing volleyball, hiking, running, and biking. She is a Christian and enjoys volunteering in the nursery at church and playing on the softball team.

First trip to Tangier Island.



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Caleb	Adams
Kyle	Aurand
Rick	Aurand
Abraham	Baer
Brian	Baer
Ava	Baldwin
Scott	Baldwin
Shelly	Baldwin
Timothy	Bard
Addey	Bolz
Jason	Bolz
Jenn	Bolz
Duke	Clabaugh
Michelle	Calbaugh
Deb	Denlinger
Brooke	Denlinger
Cathleen	Donnelly
William	Donnelly
Will	Donnelly
Autumn	Fabian
Derek	Fabian
Debe	Fetter
Amy	Galbraith
Brian	Galbraith
Daniel	Galbraith
Hannah	Galbraith
Lynne	Gallo
Zach	Gallo
Keith	Gingrich
Nicki	Miller-Griffie
Saylor	Griffie
Sunderlyn	Griffie
Ashley	Heller
Bonnie	Hoffman
Wyatt	Hoffman
Annette	Langdon
Mike	Marra
EJ	Miller
John	Osborn
Charlie	Pensinger
Laura	Pensinger
Glenn	Peterson
Dave	Reese
Reagan	Reese
Bruce	Reinhart
Caity	Schwartz
Jeff	Schwartz
Steph	Schwartz
Bill	Smith
Jill	Tomasello



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YOU SAY - GOD SAYS

BIBLE VERSES

- You say: 'It's impossible' - **God says:** All things are possible (Luke 18:27)
You say: 'I'm too tired' - **God says:** I will give you rest (Matthew 11:28-30)
You say: 'Nobody really loves me' - **God says:** I love you (John 3:16 & John 3:34)
You say: 'I can't go on' -
God says: My grace is sufficient (II Corinthians 12:9 & Psalm 91:15)
You say: 'I can't figure things out' - **God says:** I will direct your steps (Proverbs 3:5-6)
You say: 'I can't do it' - **God says:** You can do all things (Philippians 4:13)
You say: 'I'm not able' - **God says:** I am able (II Corinthians 9:8)
You say: 'It's not worth it' - **God says:** It will be worth it (Roman 8:28)
You say: 'I can't forgive myself' - **God says:** I forgive you (I John 1:9 & Romans 8:1)
You say: 'I can't manage' - **God says:** I will supply all your needs (Philippians 4:19)
You say: 'I'm afraid' - **God says:** I have not given you a spirit of fear (II Timothy 1:7)
You say: 'I'm always worried and frustrated' -
God says: Cast all your cares on ME (I Peter 5:7)
You say: 'I'm not smart enough' - **God says:** I give you wisdom (I Corinthians 1:30)
You say: 'I feel all alone' - **God says:** I will never leave you or forsake you
(Hebrews 13:5)

May the Peace of God guard your heart and quiet your Spirit!

