

Our mission is to walk alongside Pastors mentoring and coaching them to develop a healthy Church that equips its members to love God and love their neighbor. (Ephesians 4:12 "Equipping God's people for works of service for the building up of the kingdom of Christ...")



## Mission Trip July 28 – Aug 4 2018 Los Tamarindos (East Santo Domingo)

**Background:** Pastor Rafael and his wife Lady have finished the training process with LoveServes. The church has been coached by Gustavo for around two and a half years. Rafael is the pastor of a church called Roca de Salvación Misionera, and is located in a big neighborhood called Los Tamarindos in the East of Santo Domingo (the capital). Their church members are working in several ministries like feeding poor people five days a week, couples ministry, counseling ministry and a small day care especially for kids of single mothers. Some members of the church collaborate in this ministry during each day of the week. They are caring for 14 children and do not have an adequate place. They are currently having to use the back end of the sanctuary.

**The Vision:** Pastor Rafael has a vision to help those women who don't have any other means to care for their children while they have to work to provide for their family. Some of these women are young widows but most have been abandoned by the father of their children. The biggest need is a space to properly care for the children.

**The Need:** A DayCare Center - The Project consists of the construction of two or three classrooms, a kitchen and bathroom.

**Where YOU come in:** LoveServes is partnering with this church to construct the daycare center. This flourishing church has many ministries that you will have a part in: *Children's outreach, Women's ministry crafts; Home visitation and others.* Don't worry if construction is not your forte!

**FAMILY FRIENDLY:** Our trips are family friendly, with plenty of things kids can be a part of. Parents and their kids are encouraged to work, serve, play and pray together on this extraordinary family trip! So get your passports and plan on joining us this summer!

*Trip cost: \$850 (plus airfare and project costs)*



Pastor Rafael



A Vision bringing hope to Los Tamarindos



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Missions Trip with LoveServes:

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