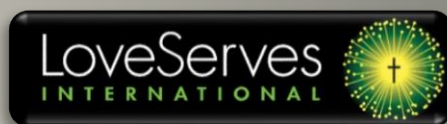


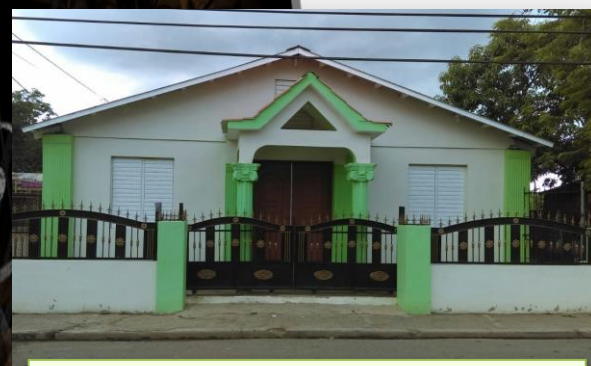
Our mission is to walk alongside Pastors mentoring and coaching them to develop a healthy Church that equips its members to love God and love their neighbor. (Ephesians 4:12 "Equipping God's people for works of service for the building up of the kingdom of Christ...")



Pastor Luis Peralta and wife Irma



A Vision that brings hope to Las Guaranas



Partnering with the local church to meet a need in its community!

If you are interested in coming on a Missions Trip with LoveServes:
Contact Peter Swanson for more info:
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Mission Trip - Las Guaranas

Background: Pastor Luis was one of the first pastors to go through LoveServes coaching process about 10 years ago. At that time he was struggling to run church services with just 12 people. LoveServes began coaching Pastor Luis in a new Vision. He began to equip the members of his church to use the gifts and skills they have to love the least of these in their community. His life, his family and church made a complete 180 degree turn. His church is the KEY agent of change that God is using to reach the lost in that region.

The Vision: Pastor Luis's vision is to transform their community by the power of Jesus's love. One of the greatest needs are reaching the children and teens. Pastor Luis decided to make the difference using baseball as a ministry to reach the community. That ministry grew to reach 189 children in after school programs like drama, crafts, Biblical teaching and counseling as well as feeding them. God has blessed the ministry greatly to the point it has out grown the tiny space in the church.

The Need: To build a second level on the church that would double the space. This project is greatly needed to meet the many ministry needs to the children and teens of Las Guaranas.

Where YOU come in: LoveServes is partnering with this church to help build the second level. Please consider contributing to purchase the concrete, blocks and other materials. This flourishing church has many ministries that you will have a part in: *Children and teen 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)