

## **Sponsor a Child in the Honduras Methodist Church**

Public school conditions in Honduras are often poor, and in the case of Ciudad España, only go through the 9<sup>th</sup> grade. The goal of our sponsorship program at the Juan Wesley school is to sponsor students who could not otherwise afford to go to school. The leaders of the school and Resurrection believe every child should have the opportunity to become educated by attending high school, with the opportunity to go to the university and educate themselves out of poverty. We encourage these students to return to Ciudad España after college to not only transform their own community, but to encourage others by their example to do the same. Educational opportunities can also help keep students from joining gangs and give them work opportunities in their own country instead of feeling the need to go to the US to look for work.

A student sponsorship at Juan Wesley will provide the means and support for a private, faith-based education, tuition, books and materials, a school uniform, and correspondence from you (or if you prefer to be a "Silent Sponsor", from a Pen-Pal partner) via letters and cards that are taken to and from the school with each serve trip from Resurrection. A portion of the sponsorship also helps pay for school materials and teacher salaries. Students are vetted and monitored to assure they qualify for the program and achieve the school's academic goals. All contributions are tax deductible.

### **Sponsorship Types**

\*Full Sponsor – A full sponsor is the traditional sponsorship that blesses a student with a full year of tuition, books and materials, and uniform in our private faith based partner school. Where applicable, this sponsorship would continue on to pay for transportation and books for university students approved for the program. This is also a good option for small groups, disciple groups, and any other group that has a point person in charge of the group payments and student correspondence. The cost of a full sponsorship is \$450/year or \$37.50/month.

\*Partial Sponsor – A partial sponsor provides a portion of a student's sponsorship with one to three additional partners sponsoring the balance. This is a good opportunity for youth who are not yet able to commit to a full sponsorship. Each individual in a partial sponsorship is responsible for paying only their portion and can act individually or in conjunction with the other partners in the student's correspondence. We encourage individuals to construct their partnership prior to the commitment. However, we can put individuals together with others who are interested in partial sponsorships, if necessary. The cost of a partial sponsorship varies with the number of partners in the sponsorship, based on \$450 per year. Cost per individual: 2 partners = \$225/year or \$18.75/month; 3 partners = \$150/year or \$12.50/month; 4 partners = \$112.50/year or \$9.38/month. More than 4 partners are encouraged to consider a group full sponsorship option instead.

### **Supporter Options**

\*Full Supporter – A Full Supporter is a sponsor who would like to support a student both financially and with correspondence.

\*Silent Supporter - A Silent Sponsor is a sponsor that believes in the value of this program and wishes to financially support the education of a student, but does not wish to have the burden of correspondence. A pen-pal supporter will be assigned, by the sponsorship program administrator, to be paired up with a Silent Sponsor.

# Sponsor Registration Form

## Choose a Sponsorship Type

- Full Sponsorship** - \$450/year or \$37.50/month (EFT below)
- Partial Sponsorship** – Separate form required for each partner. Cost per individual:
  - 2 total partners = \$225/year or \$18.75/month
  - 3 total partners = \$150/year or \$12.50/month
  - 4 total partners = \$112.50/year or \$9.38/month

Partner names: \_\_\_\_\_

## Choose a Supporter Option

- Full Supporter** - I would like to support a student both financially and with correspondence.
- Silent Supporter** – I believe in the value of this program and wish to support a student financially, but request a Pen-Pal partner to correspond with my student.

## Choose a Payment Option

- Annual contribution**  
Attach a check made out to The United Methodist Church of the Resurrection, Memo “Honduras Scholarship Program”
- Monthly EFT contribution**  
Automatically debit from my account the first \_\_\_\_ or third \_\_\_\_ Monday of the month  
Start my contributions on \_\_\_\_\_(mm/yy).  
This deduction will continue until you contact the finance office to discontinue.  
*Attach a voided check with Bank Acct info for electronic funds transfer.*

After payments are processed, you will receive an email with the name and age of your sponsored student so you can begin praying for them. Writing guidelines will also be sent to guide you on your first correspondence that will go down with the next serve trip. Return letters will be translated and mailed to your address listed below. Program updates and reminders will be sent to your email listed below.

## Sponsor Information

Sponsor Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Preferred telephone number (must fill in one - used by program administrator for sponsorship questions):  
(cell) \_\_\_\_\_ Texting avail? Y/N \_\_\_\_\_  
(home) \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

## Sign and Date

I agree to the above and understand this is an additional church offering above my annual stewardship commitment, solely for the Sponsorship Program in Ciudad España, Honduras.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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*Please return this completed form and check (if applicable) to the following address:  
Church of the Resurrection, 13720 Roe Ave., Leawood, KS 66224 or  
Drop completed form with check into offering plate*