

# THE CHURCH MOBILIZATION TEAM AT WORLD RELIEF IS GROWING!



## A WORLD IN CRISIS

Thousands of refugees, asylees and other immigrants in vulnerable situations come to the United States every year seeking a place to rebuild their lives. Threatened by violence and persecution for who they are, what they believe or who they befriend, they leave behind everything familiar to seek a life free from fear. Just last summer we witnessed this as the Taliban took control of Kabul, and thousands of Afghans fleeing imminent danger arrived on our shores, many of them with little more than a carry-on suitcase, in need of stable housing, food, medical and mental health attention, and job search and language support.

Sadly, too many of these brave women, men and children struggle as they seek to rapidly adjust to a new country, language and culture. Rather than flourishing, many struggle to overcome unexpected vulnerabilities and the trauma of leaving home without the support of friends, family or community.

## A CHURCH THAT'S CALLED

If you're like us, this breaks your heart. You believe every person is created in the image of God, and God designed his church to cultivate a world where all people can thrive. You long to see Christians motivated and disciplined in the way of Jesus, "welcoming the stranger." You also are passionate about seeing churches gather and collaborate across denominational and ethnic lines to serve the most vulnerable in their community.

For over 40 years, World Relief has been partnering with churches across the country, welcoming, advocating for and helping to integrate over 400,000 immigrants in vulnerable situations into communities all across our nation. Together, we've joined in God's plan to bring lasting change to our world by supporting and empowering local churches to serve immigrants and refugees right here in our communities.

## AN OPPORTUNITY TO SERVE

At this critical time in our nation, we are looking for new leaders who will join our expanding mobilization team in both remote and field-based positions in 17 U.S. cities. Together, we desire to respond to the remarkable opportunities we are experiencing, as Christians look to befriend Afghans and refugees and immigrants from other nations. There are several key, inter-related components of our growth:

1. Resourcing and encouraging church leaders
2. Training and consulting with churches in immigrant ministry anywhere in the U.S.
3. Growing our Good Neighbor Team model nationwide
4. Expanding into multiple cities in Texas through engaging church networks
5. Preparing WR to systematize, scale, and sustain this growth over time



We are pursuing leaders from a variety of backgrounds. If more than one of these profiles fit you, we urge you to review the mobilization job descriptions and consider applying here:

- **Jesus Follower:** a person passionate about pursuing and displaying the heart of God for immigrants on the margins and in vulnerable situations
- **Entrepreneur:** a person passionate about starting new initiatives from scratch or adapting old things to face new challenges
- **Trainer:** a person committed to equipping and mentoring others to grow and become all that God created them to be
- **Mobilizer:** a person who love to activate individuals and gather people together from across the spectrum of ethnic and denominational differences
- **Collaborator:** a person who love to bring their all to engage on a fast-paced, can-do-attitude ministry team
- **Leader of Leaders:** a person passionate about serving and encouraging church leaders and their congregations in community ministry
- **Project Manager:** a person excited to provide structure and process that enables teams to flourish, hit targets, and move towards scale
- **Maximizer:** a person passionate about equipping church teams to provide vital services to refugees and other immigrants while ensuring those services are provided with excellence
- **Guide:** a person excited about guiding volunteers through an onboarding process that equips them with the expectations and foundation needed to engage in Good Neighbor Teams



These new staff positions are located in various geographies, including remote positions and also field based positions in the US: <https://worldrelief.org/us-locations>. Full time positions are salaried and include World Relief's full benefits package. Part-time roles are paid hourly and include a full benefits package if more than 25 hours. If you currently work for a mission agency, we are open to consider some form of partnership or even secondment to World Relief. Please go ahead and apply and note this in your application.

Thank you for considering World Relief as a place to use your God-given talents, we pray that God will grant you wisdom and discernment as you explore your next vocational step!