



## KAMPALA AT A GLANCE

Uganda is a landlocked country located in East Africa; whose landscapes encompass the snow-capped Rwenzori Mountains. It was named the “*Pearl of Africa*” by Winston Churchill because of its amazing beauty, color and hospitality.

Like many African countries, Uganda has endured political instability, poverty and an AIDS crisis which has left millions of children as orphans having lost one or both parents. Most families cannot afford food, let alone tuition for school. Children often resort to collecting old scrap metal and plastic to sell in effort to buy themselves food.

**2020 TRIP FEE**  
**\$1,995 per person**

### IMPORTANT DATES

**March 17, 2020**

\$300 per person Non-Refundable  
Deposit, Registration, Liability &  
Medical Release Form Due

**May 1, 2020**

\$1,695 per person  
Trip Fee Balance Due

### TRIP FEE INCLUDES

- Meals, lodging, ground transportation, and some project materials
- Secondary International Medical Insurance
- Translators
- Trained Forward Edge Facilitator
- Team Packs: T-shirt, manual, etc.
- Complete trip coordination provided by Forward Edge

### TRIP FEE

#### DOES NOT INCLUDE

- Airfare and luggage fees
- A \$50 (USD) Ugandan visa required before departure
- A \$30 background check if one has not been completed in the last year
- An optional 3-Day Safari

### MAKING A LONG-TERM IMPACT

Our program, Light a Candle Uganda, serves approximately 400 children in some of the most difficult areas of Kampala, Uganda. Kampala has 3.5 million people living within the city limits, including 57 slum areas where the poorest of the poor live. Of those living within these slums, 50% are children under the age of 15.

By providing meals, safe water, education, vocational training and mentoring, we are giving these precious children opportunities that brighten their future, protect them from sexual abuse, and help them reach their full, God-given potential.

### FOR MORE INFO

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# UGANDA

Open Team #1660, June 15-27, 2020



## WAYS YOU WILL SERVE

You will work with Bonny, Director of Light a Candle Uganda. Serving in Uganda may include meal preparation, leading a VBS, construction projects, and visiting children and families in their homes. Some of our teams have served alongside local doctors and nurses to host a one-day medical clinic which benefits the local children and their families. Relational activities such as arts and crafts, music, games, gifts, or sharing your talents are strongly encouraged and can make a lasting impact in the lives of those we serve.



## 3-DAY SAFARI (OPTIONAL)

Team members have the option to participate in a 3-day Safari at the beginning of their trip. The price ranges from \$600 to \$900 per person based on group size. Details to follow.



## TRAVEL AND ACCOMMODATIONS

In Kampala, you will be staying at a safe and secure guest-house. Towels and linens will be provided.

## PREPARATIONS

**PASSPORT:** For entry into Uganda, a US passport and Ugandan visa (purchased 30 days prior to arrival) are required. If you already have a passport, please be sure that the expiration date is at least six months past the date of your departure from Uganda.

**IMMUNIZATIONS:** The government of Uganda does NOT require any shots or immunizations to enter the country. However, Forward Edge highly recommends that all team members are current on their tetanus vaccination, and that they consult a personal physician for further guidance.

**YELLOW FEVER:** Please visit the Center for Disease Control website, <https://www.cdc.gov>, to understand the risks and recommendations associated with Yellow fever.

**TEAM PACKS:** Once team member registration is complete, Forward Edge will send individualized team packs including a Forward Edge T-shirt, Team Member Manual, and other helpful information.

## PAYMENTS

A \$300 per person non-refundable deposit is due at the time of registration and is applied toward your trip fee. Pay at [www.forwardedge.org](http://www.forwardedge.org) (Pay Trip Fees) via debit/credit card, eCheck, or send a check made out to Forward Edge International. Contact us if we can assist. Please reference your team number on all correspondence.