

May 1, 2023

Dear Friends and Supporters,

I am writing you today with some exciting news! After serving with SCORE International for the past 22 years, God has called me to step into a new role in ministry. As of July 1, I will be joining Daystar Baptist Missions to become their next Executive Director. Daystar is based in Huntington, WV and was birthed out of Lewis Memorial Baptist, which is the church that Terri and I grew up in and were called to full-time ministry in. Daystar is an established ministry that is a full-service mission board. Terri and I will remain based in Chattanooga and I will represent the ministry of Daystar throughout the US. Along with engaging people in missions, my role will be to provide direction and vision, and to oversee the totality of the ministry.

How did this transition come about? Earlier this year, I was approached by the Board of Daystar Baptist Missions and they asked me if I would pray about interviewing for their Executive Director position. Their current Director, Tim Bilbrey, helped to initiate a process more than a year ago to ensure Daystar had their next leader in place before he retires. Tim has been instrumental in Daystar's development and growth and still desires to help the missions agency going forward. As I prayed about this opportunity, the Lord continued to give me peace about taking the next steps with Daystar. Over a series of weeks and months, the Lord made it very clear to me that Daystar is where He wants me to be. I had a final interview with the Daystar Board of Directors in late April, and shortly after the interview they offered me the position. So here I am, taking a step of faith and following the calling of the Lord. I'm so excited to help grow the ministry of Daystar Baptist Missions! We are praying for more missionaries, more interns, more mission trip participants, and more partners! I can't wait to see what the Lord has in store for the future.

The transition timeline will be July 1 as far as starting with Daystar in a full-time capacity. While it is bittersweet for us to leave our ministry and friends at SCORE, we know this is what the Lord has called us to. This role with Daystar is still a support-based ministry role. We are asking our current financial partners to pray about staying on board in supporting us in our new role. The attached sheet gives more detailed information about how you can transfer your giving if the Lord leads you to continue partnering with us financially. We are so thankful for our prayer warriors and our financial supporters. We could not do this ministry without you, and we count it a joy to partner with you for this Kingdom work. Thank you for your love, encouragement, and support!

For the Kingdom,



Trey Bailey