

LEAP 2024 Invitation and Information

LEAP into mission! Join us in London this coming summer! **July 1-8, 2024**

London Evangelism And Prayer week is . . .

A chance to step out of comfort zones and cultivate a renewed vision for God's missionary purposes and church.

A chance to be equipped in kingdom prayer and evangelism empowered by grace.

A chance to participate directly with Serge church planting teams in ministry amongst unreached people groups in an English language context.

What can you expect?

Mornings: Structured times of training, prayer, worship & fellowship.

Afternoons: After initial opportunities to learn about South Asian culture & religious beliefs through visits to places of worship and shopping/food areas, we transition to hands-on ministry that includes culturally appropriate street outreach and prayer walks.

Evenings: Fellowship and informal learning over food with fellow LEAP-ers, Serge workers and local ministry partners.

Why does Serge London host LEAP?

We strongly believe in short-term teams because we've seen God use them repeatedly to bless and amplify long-term church planting. We've also learned that LEAP enables four Serge church planting teams to pool resources to sustainably host more churches and individuals, including those who already support us and those new to our work.

When is it?

Ministry Timing: Formal LEAP activities **begin Monday, July 1st at 1PM and end Sunday, July 7th at 9PM**, but please do not plan to depart before Monday morning, July 8th.

Travel Timing: Your **outbound flight** should depart from the U.S. on Sunday, June 30th and arrive in London on Monday morning, July 1st. Your **return flight** should depart from London on Monday, July 8th.

Who can go?

- We can host up to 100 people who register as church teams, family units, or individuals.
- We gently ask each church to initially register a maximum of 10 people so more churches may participate. If your church has more than 10 interested people, please note this at initial registration and at a later point we'll notify you if we can accommodate more than 10.
- We welcome "retired" adults down through mature teens. No ministry experience or prior training is required, only the willingness and ability to flexibly participate in and travel between scheduled activities.
- We gently ask teams that include mature high school students to please recruit a minimum of one adult per two high school students.

How much is it?

If your group is coming as an even number of "able/appropriate-to-share-a-room" pairs, then the per-person fee is \$1,100, not including airfare. Otherwise, the per-person fee will be slightly higher because of additional room costs. This fee includes: room, ministry-related transportation, and ministry meals (first Monday dinner plus three meals Tuesday to Friday & Sunday).

Any other costs?

Individuals pay directly for their own airfare, the first Monday lunch, all Saturday day-off expenses (meals, shopping, sight-seeing, etc.), and the second Monday breakfast at the airport, if required.

How do I get started?

To receive a detailed start-up packet or to ask more questions, visit serge.org/LEAP or contact Brad Wallace: •bwallace@serge.org •703-969-5309

When do I need to register?

Please contact Brad Wallace ASAP to express interest because LEAP fills up quickly, **often before the end of November**. Brad will let you know when formal registration opens and provide instructions for securing your spots. Registration will require a non-refundable deposit of \$350 per person in your group (maximum group size of 10 initially). Once registration opens it will be first come, first served. Registration closes on March 1, 2024.