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JOEL SWANSON
SERVING SHORT-TERM IN UKRAINE
WITH MISSION TO THE WORLD

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JOEL SWANSON #17138 MUSIC, EVANGELISM, AND DISCIPLESHIP

Joel grew up in a Christian home in New Jersey, trusting Christ in kindergarten. In high school he played piano for church, served as a camp counselor and music director, and learned guitar for a Mission to the World missions trip to Northern Ireland. He began praying for Ukraine when a relative went there as a missionary. A semester in China reminded him of God's unchanging faithfulness; a semester in Scotland opened his eyes to Europe's spiritual darkness.

Joel graduated in 2003 from Covenant College and Georgia Tech with degrees in natural science and civil engineering, and works in transportation

engineering. He continues in music ministry at church, has taught Sunday school, enjoys befriending artists, and facilitates a book club.

In 2007, while teaching English in Ukraine, Joel began to sense a call to missions in non-English speaking Europe. With the encouragement of friends, he pursued missions, visiting Ukraine twice more. Joel has been called to work with the MTW Kiev team in music ministry, evangelism, and discipleship. He longs to see a vibrant Church in Ukraine. Please consider partnering with Joel by praying and giving, so that Jesus' gospel would transform and renew the people and culture of Ukraine.

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I would like to record my commitment to MTW/Short Term and Joel Swanson (#17138) by:

Receiving his prayer letters.

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