



International Friendships Small Group Missions and Outreach Opportunities

International Friendships, a ministry that serves the international students, has several opportunities for small groups to serve. Your small group can work together to help “reach the world” by serving international students from all over the world studying right here in Columbus.

Below are some upcoming service opportunities in the Fall of 2010. Contact Leila Gardner at: recruit@ifipartners.org or 614-294-2434; or sign up at: www.ifipartners.org/smallgroupsignup.php to get started.

- **Prepare Meals for International-American Friday Night Bible Study Group**

Bring prepared food for 50-60 people, serve the food, eat with the American Bible study leaders/helpers and Internationals. Participants can stay for the Bible study or leave when it starts. One group is needed each week.



- **Host a Monthly Culture, Cuisine and Conversation Gathering**

Have fun learning about their culture and customs while showing hospitality and helping internationals practice speaking English. Time, place, and transportation are arranged by your group. Training is provided for all group members. Several groups are needed. Minimum 3 month commitment.

- **Help at IFI Welcome Potluck on Sunday, September 12:** Bring food for yourself and 10-12 internationals. We need individuals and 4-5 church groups to bring a dish to share with 10-12 others, help set up, serve food and clean up. Sign up at:

<http://www.ifipartners.org/welcome-potluck.php> or use contact information above for questions.

- **Ice Cream Social on Wednesday, September 15 from 6 p.m.-9 p.m.:** Individuals and small groups to help with set up, serving ice cream, greeting students, and clean up. Contact Leila for more information.
- **Behind the Scenes Service Opportunity:** Come on Saturday morning and help with light housekeeping; maintenance and/or the painting of student apartments; and neighborhood clean up around the IFI Office building..