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Day 1

CHURCHES CONNECT WITH MISSIONARY TASK



Tim and Tina Louderback and Sean and Shelley Blacksten are missionaries who live in the country of Panama. They want churches in the U.S. to come help them in their work to tell people about Jesus.

“Americas Connect” is a program they started to help churches know how to be a part of their work. Panama was the first country for Americas Connect and then churches also traveled to Guatemala, Costa Rica and Brazil. Sometimes one church sends helpers to many different countries and sometimes they choose to stick with just one country.

Sean said the teams from the U.S. really encourage them in their work, especially people who are taking their first international trip.

“Our prayer is that [churches] will be the first among many who come to work alongside us and that some would choose to build on their experience in Central America,” Sean says.

Missions doesn't end when the Americas Connect trip ends, the Louderbacks say. They encourage churches to put what they learn on the mission field into practice when they return to the U.S.

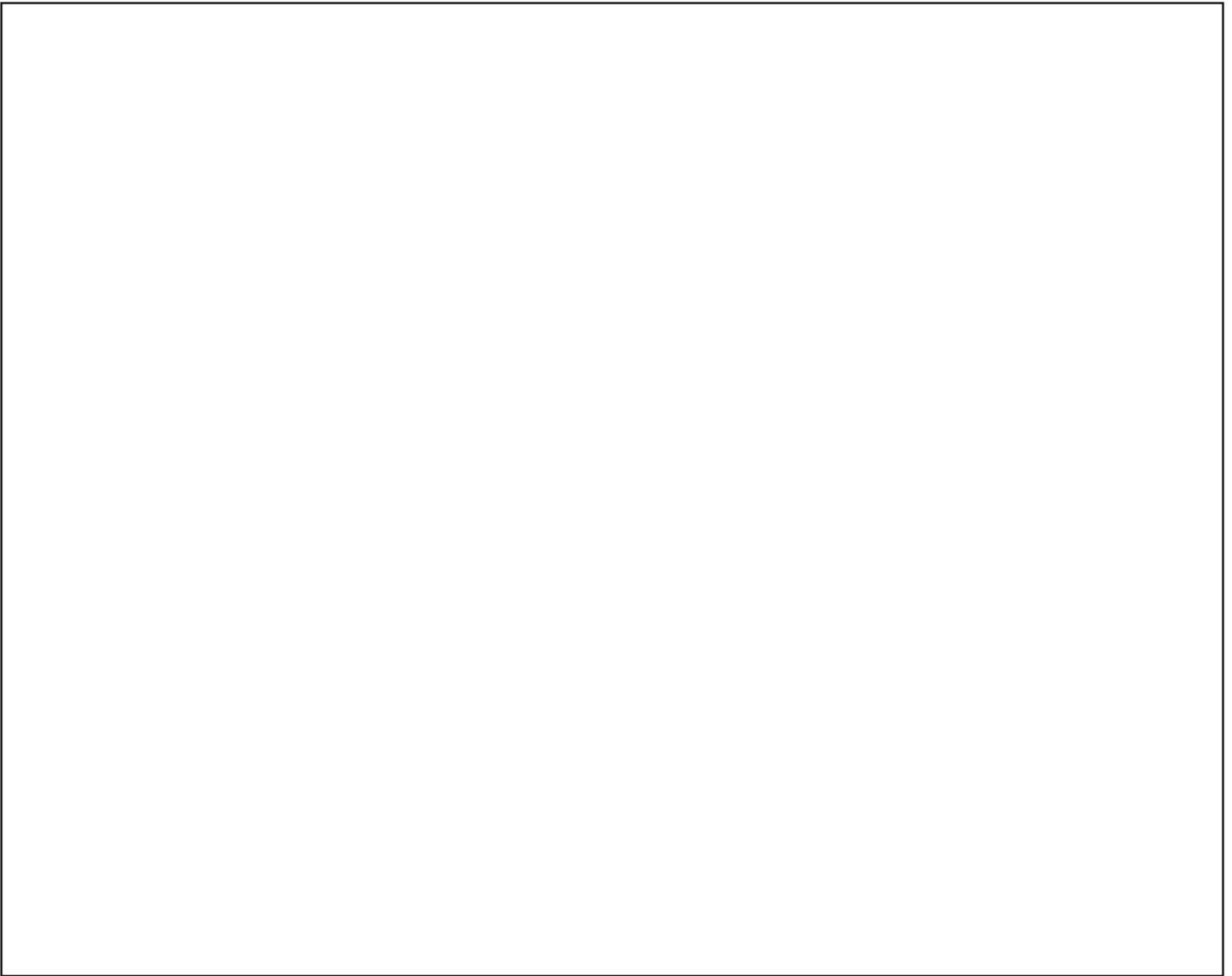
Fun Fact:

The Panama Canal is a big waterway that connects the Atlantic Ocean with the Pacific Ocean. Huge ships can travel through the canal.



Activity.

Draw a  moving through the Panama Canal.



Time to Pray

Draw a  in the box after you pray for that request.

Pray for more people in Panama to hear about Jesus.

Pray that the missionaries will have more and more chances to share Jesus.

Pray that churches will want to go and help the missionaries.



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