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Christ Jesus our Lord, because he judged me faithful,
appointing me to his service. 1 Timothy 1:12 (ESV)*

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And, stay tuned for news of opportunities to get involved in short-term missions in the summer of 2018!

“What I Learned ...” and other comments from 2017 Short-Termers

That even a very short missions trip can still be beneficial to my faith and friendships with people from my church.

I learned how much God uses things like small talk and pleasantries to further His kingdom.

I wish that I took the time to serve God and people in specific ways like this more often.

He taught me that my "comfort zone" can actually be a bad place of complacency.

As a young person, I was incredibly blessed and edified by the older team members.

The team testimonials were the most helpful to me in preparing for the trip to the Czech Republic.

That God has given everyone different gifts and that no matter what ours is, there is a way we can use it for His glory and to help other saints.

God taught me that you learn much of what you actually believe by telling what you believe to others.

Am so grateful the OPC provides short trips like these--it might be the very thing God uses to put me on the field long term!

*It was challenging in ways that produced growth in my life.
Thank you, Jesus.*

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