

# Mission Discovery Trip to Chiang Mai/Chiang Rai, Thailand

International Ministries

Alliance of Asian American Baptist Churches (AAABC)

July 11-23, 2021



## Tuesday, July 13

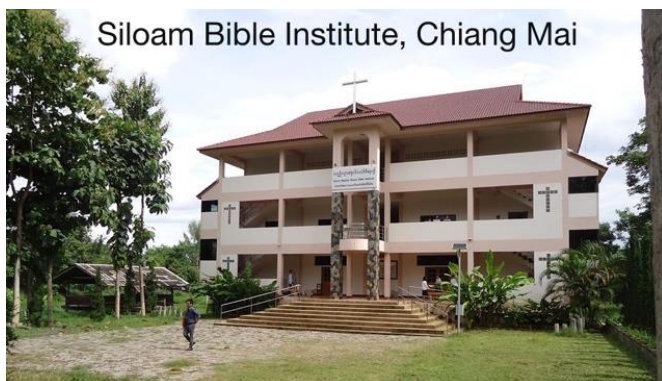
Arrive in Chiang Mai International Airport. Check into hotel. If arrival is early in the day, you will have a brief introduction to Chiang Mai city (in particular the area surrounding your hotel).

## Wednesday, July 14

**Morning** – Siloam Bible Institute. Spend the morning assisting the students with their English, followed by lunch at the school.

**Afternoon** – Visit with Jeni Pedzinski and Kit Ripley at the [New Life Center Foundation](#) to learn more about the ministry there.

**Evening** – Dinner with Kyle and Debby (*optional: cultural dining experience at a Kantoke Dinner*)



## Thursday, July 15

**Morning** – Siloam Bible Institute. Spend the morning assisting the students with their English, followed by lunch at the school.

**Afternoon** – Visit with Becky and Mike Mann to learn more about their work with the [ITDP: Integrated Tribal Development Program](#)

**Evening** – Dinner on your own (*optional shopping in the Chiang Mai Night Market*)

## Friday, July 16

*Morning* – Visit with Mark and Alise Juanes at the [House of Hope/House of Blessing](#)

*Afternoon* – Cultural exploration with a visit to a Buddhist Temple

*Dinner* – Dinner on your own (*optional shopping in the Chiang Mai Night Market*)

## Saturday, July 17 – Sunday, July 18

Either one day or overnight trip to a Karen (kuh-REN) village with Kyle Witmer and Thra Timu Dee (the General Secretary of the Thailand Karen Baptist Convention), including Sunday morning services if possible. Sunday afternoon attend church at the Chiang Mai International Church.



## Monday, July 19 – Tuesday, July 20

To Chiang Rai. Visit with Kyle and Katrina Williams, Joel Hoefle and Trish Migal, and Scott and Tan Coates to learn about their ministries.

*Tuesday* – *Optional cultural day* – elephant rides and village shopping at Ruammit Village before returning to Chiang Mai.

## Wednesday, July 21 and Thursday, July 22

Flex days for activities that may have had to be postponed. Possible morning time at Siloam assisting with English students. Optional cultural excursions (ex. walking tour of the Old City or trip to Mae Sa Waterfalls, ziplining) OR optional visits to other ministries being done by British, American and Australian Baptists (ex. Hope House for disabled orphans, Thai Village fair trade crafts, other business as mission ministries).

Time for debriefing and packing. Final visits to the Night Market for souvenirs.