

# El Salvador



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# Fast Facts

- “El Salvador” translates to “the Savior”
- Life expectancy is about 73 yrs. old



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They get water from river basins, precipitation, and reservoirs. They put out lots of jugs and containers when it rains to collect water.



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- Grade school education is free, but only 82% of children make it this far.
- Some Salvadoran children never attend any school.
- Only one third of students actually go to high school.

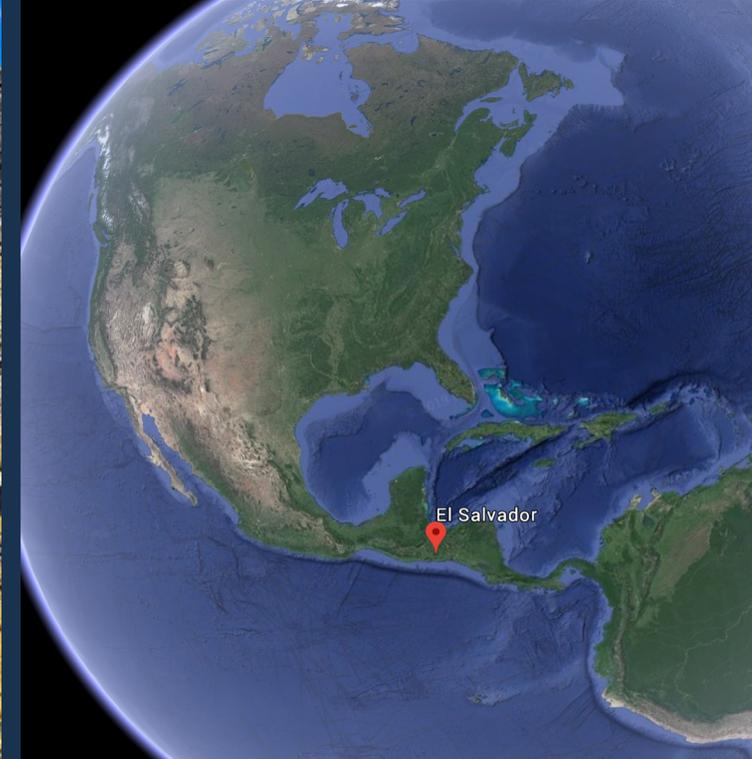


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# On the Map



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# Photos



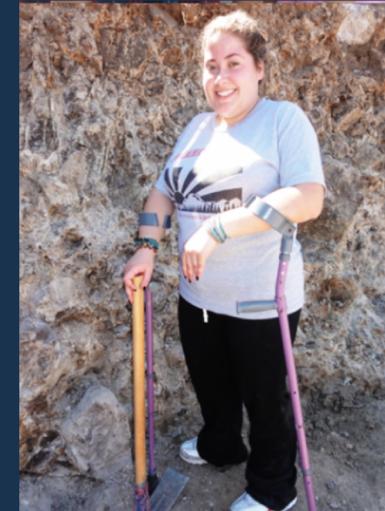
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# Work of the Handmaids

- Medicine for the sick
- Interact with the people
- Help with construction
- Games and activities for children



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# Catholic Social Teaching

Life and Dignity of the Human Person

Option for the poor and vulnerable

Call to family, community, and participation



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# Our Prayer

Jesus, you always taught us to treat everyone as our brothers and sisters. We see your face in the eyes and smiles of the Salvadorian people. Open our hearts to give what we can to help our Salvadorian brothers and sisters. Lord, give them the things they need to survive and fulfill their faith.

Food and water are needed to survive. Bless their lands with abundant resources for life. We pray...Lord hear our prayer. Clothe and shelter those who need to feel safe. Help us to share what we have to respect the dignity of all people. We pray...Lord hear our prayer.

Open our hearts to put their needs before our own so that the Salvadorian people feel God's love. We pray... Lord hear our prayer.

We thank you for being a loving God who always provides for those who are in need.



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