

# **WCPC Social Justice Forum**

## **Human Trafficking Issues in Peru**

Human trafficking is the defining human rights issue of our time. Moreover, culture is behind the exploitation of humans not only in the U.S., but throughout the world. From their experiences of working and living in Peru, our speakers will share their thoughts about this social problem and how it is handled in Peru.

**Saturday, September 29th at 9:00 am**  
**Room 301 of the Hendricks Education Building\***  
**A light breakfast will be served.**  
**Everyone is invited.**

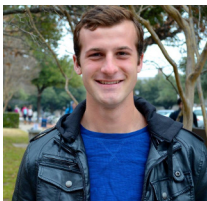
*\*Childcare is available upon request. Please RSVP to Susan Duncan at [sduncan@wcpc-tx.org](mailto:sduncan@wcpc-tx.org) by Wednesday, September, 26th.*

## **Our Speakers Will Be:**



Sara Armstrong and Rusty Edmondson, who have served in Peru since January, 2009 as delegation and partnership coordinators for the Presbyterian Mission Agency. In their positions, they work with PC (USA) delegations fostering partnerships with our Peruvian covenant partners, the Peruvian Protestant Church and the Joining Hands Peru Network. To find out more about Sara and Rusty, click on the link below:

<https://www.presbyterianmission.org/ministries/missionconnections/the-rev-sara-armstrong-and-russell-edmondson/>



Daniel Pappas, who served in the Moyobamba office of NGO Paz y Esperanza as a photographer/videographer during the 2015-16 season of the Young Adult Volunteer (YAV) program. This office works on three projects: 1. They help native tribes win collective land rights to prevent major companies from evicting them from their territories. 2. They teach sign language to deaf-Mute children and their parents in the area. 3. They help empower a network of high school students to prevent sex trafficking. He worked on all three of these projects in different capacities (chronicling the natives ongoing legal battles, learning sign language, and photographing high school seminars.) To learn more about his experiences in Peru, visit his blog at:

<http://peruyav.blogspot.com/?m=1>