

MISSION EVENT Q&A



A place of God's provision for you to come and rest in His arms, experience His comfort and be reminded of His purpose for your life as the salt and light of the earth.

What will we be doing?

Our Mission Event Coordinator will be in contact with you, or your mission team leader, to help determine what projects you are most interested in and the experience of each participant. Part of what will directly impact your project's selection will be both the time of year and length of your visit.

How many people do we need for a mission team?

Some projects require as few as 2-3 participants, others require several more. Whatever the size of your group, or if you would like to make the venture yourself and be partnered with others in a project, finding a project to busy your hands will not be difficult for us. We really need you!

Do I have to come with a church?

No, you are welcome to come as you are. We will first help you determine what projects you have the most interest in, and then we will align you with others to form an effective team.

What about the cost?

Each participant is responsible for their own expenses both to and from the main gathering place, as well as insurance and any personal needs. Salt provides each day's meals, regular lodging, materials, ministry supplies and basic necessities. A donation of \$50 per participant is greatly appreciated to help offset these costs.

What if I want to help but don't know how to swing a hammer and have limited skills?

There are always projects that require no "trade" skills. Let us visit with you to determine what would be a good fit for your interests and experience within a project.

Do I need to bring my own tools?

Depending on the project you are involved in, your tools may be very much appreciated! Also, you may be more comfortable using tools you are already familiar with. Your Mission Event Coordinator can best advise you, but it would be good to plan on bringing basic hand tools, if you are able.

What are the housing options?

Currently there are two options: depending on the size of your team and what project is underway at The Great House, you may be able to stay within the building itself (although it is not yet completed), or we may choose to schedule accommodations for you near the base of the mountain at a very nice facility we regularly use, the Wagonhammer Campground. In either case, often local residents donate tents, campers and trailers to try to make you as comfortable as possible during your event, but be sure to bring a warm sleeping bag.

What type of clothes should I bring?

Salt is located near the top of a mountain at about a 5,000 foot elevation. Warm days during the summer and cold nights year round should be expected. Be sure to bring plenty of clothes for layering, a warm sleeping bag, winter coat and gloves.

How long is each day of the mission event?

On most days, breakfast is served at 7:00am with the group gearing up to begin work at 8:00am. Depending on the project needs, we try to break for lunch at 12:30pm and complete the day's work at 5:00pm.

Do I bring my own food?

You are welcome to, however you would be missing out! We have a few humble locals who delight in serving unexpected, delicious meals to help fuel God's faithful servants. If you have special dietary requirements, it is appreciated if you make us aware, in advance, of how we can best meet those needs for you.