

Registration Form

Volunteers in Mission Henderson Settlement

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State/Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Church: _____

Date of Birth: ____/____/____

E-mail: _____

My deposit of \$25 (non-refundable) is enclosed. I understand that the rest of the cost of \$225 is due no later than August 1.

A participant who cancels his/her reservation after Sept. 1 will be refunded that portion of the money (minus deposit) not paid in advance by the team coordinator.

Make checks payable to:

Maumee Watershed Henderson VIM Trip

THE COST

The cost of the trip to Henderson Settlement includes the following:

\$195 - room and board

\$ 55 - insurance, travel costs, & deposit

\$250 - total due by Aug. 1.

Deposit to be made by July 2

So preparations can be made for meeting plans and also with Henderson Settlement.

PROJECT MONEY

Project money is not included in the cost. Each team member is encouraged to ask for help with securing funds to help with the cost of supplies for our projects. We urge local churches or organizations to share the cost of this mission with team members. All project moneys are combined to maximize our goal of projects completed. *All moneys not used for projects will be entrusted to Henderson Settlement to used at their discretion.*

Send registrations to: **Casey Smith**

**1729 Indian Wood Circle
Maumee, OH 43537**

Questions? Call or Email Casey at 419/897-9770, csmith@wocumc.org

Monies need to be marked either for registration or project and sent to the same address.

Checks should be made payable to:

Maumee Watershed Henderson VIM Trip

Maumee Watershed District

HENDERSON SETTLEMENT WORK TEAM

Sept. 30 - Oct. 6, 2012



Please let us know of your interest in the trip as soon as possible. csmith@wocumc.org
Preliminary registrations are due by **July 2**.
Final payments are due by **August 1**.

The Experience

Being a part of a mission team can be a life changing experience. You will experience the satisfaction of working hard to help others in the name of Jesus Christ.

You will experience the joy of helping with a project or working at the settlement.

You will make new friends on the team and at the settlement.

You will be introduced to a community whose people are very loving and close knit, and very poor.

Henderson Settlement is a part of the Red Bird Missionary Conference located in southeastern Kentucky in the town of Frakes. The settlement serves people in the area through many programs.

We typically work at a couple different jobsites renovating homes. We will know more about the projects when we have numbers of people and amounts of project money available. Since we are going late in the season for work teams, we let the Henderson staff choose projects for us after we tell them how many people and what skills we have along with the amount of money we are bringing for the projects.

You will also get to take Wednesday as day to rest and/or explore the region.

Our Purpose

This Volunteers in Mission Work Team is a group of volunteers who share their time, talents and money for this mission. The volunteers pay their own travel and expenses to participate in this mission experience. They do so because they have a strong, earnest desire in their hearts to serve their neighbor. VIM Missioners are expected to uphold a high standard of service, and to show great love, not only to those they serve, but also to those who are a part of the team. It is required that all missioners adhere to our VIM policy, share generously the light of Jesus Christ, refrain from negativism, gossip, complaining and judging of others, dress appropriately for the culture and abstain from the use of alcohol, tobacco, illegal drugs and profanity from the time they leave home until their return.

This is a Maumee Watershed District endorsed mission and meets requirements as set forth by United Methodist Volunteers in Mission

Maumee Watershed District

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Accommodations

We will be living in a dormitory.

Therefore we bring our own bedding, including twin sheets (long), sleeping bag or bed roll and pillow, our own towels, washcloths, soap etc. The beds are bunked but they can be separated as twin beds if needed. There are about thirty people to a room with an adjoining bathroom/showers.

There is a lounge area on both levels of the dorm with a kitchen on the lower level.

You need to bring in addition to the above list: shower shoes, work clothes for a week of dirt and sweat, boots or work shoes, gloves, rain gear, jacket, and trash bags.

Please bring only modest clothing, Bibles, notebook, pencil, camera, film, flashlight, musical instrument (if desired), insect repellent, thermos or container for drinking water plus materials for singing and devotions. Games & puzzles too.

You may also want to bring some hand tools such as a hammer, saw, drills, dry wall tools, and painting supplies depending on our projects. (Not required.)