

Summer Missions Trip with YouthWorks Nashville, TN • June 28-July 5, 2015

Join teens from other cities on this incredible journey of faith as you open your arms to others and your heart to God. Deepen friendships and experience the love of Christ through service to others, large group nightly meetings, praise and worship, small group times, and prayer.

Nashville, TN

Nashville, fondly known as "Music City," is known as a dream destination for many aspiring musicians and entertainers hoping to make it big in the business. Popular attractions here include the Country Music Hall of Fame, Opryland Hotel, Music Row, The Hermitage (Andrew Jackson's Home), and famous restaurants like Arnold's and Pancake Pantry. But in the shadow of fame and the stage's bright lights, this city struggles with problems of poverty, homelessness and racial tensions. In a community where many hope their dreams will come true, others have a hard time making ends meet.



Trip Dates

Sunday, June 28 – Sunday, July 5, 2015.

We'll leave early Sunday morning, June 28 and get home Sunday evening, July 5. The missions experience will end Friday morning and we'll spend two more days in Nashville site-seeing and celebrating Independence Day with live music and one of the best fireworks shows in the country.



Service Projects

Our group will have the opportunity to partner with a number of organizations that are investing in the city in unique, creative and deeply caring ways. We may spend all week working on the same project, or may be assigned to more than one project. We will go with a flexible attitude and serve on whichever project will best meet the needs of those in the community. Possible projects include:

KIDS DAY CAMP: This energetic ministry for kids is designed to demonstrate the love of Jesus to children in inner city Nashville. You'll get a chance to show kids who Jesus is through your kindness, love and presence.



WORK PROJECTS: You might also spend time getting to know homeless veterans, organizing school supplies to give to Nashville schools in need, or working in a community garden alongside local residents. In the evenings, our group will have the chance to explore downtown Nashville and learn more about homelessness from one of YouthWorks' service partners.



Who Can Participate?

This trip is open to mature students who have completed grades 7 12 and have

- a heart to serve
- the ability to be flexible
- respect for adult leaders and other teens
- a desire to have God open their eyes and move in their hearts

Accommodations

We will stay at an area church, school or community center and sleep on the floor June 18-July 2 and at La Quinta Inn July 3 & 4.

Adult Leadership

We will bring one adult for every 5 students. The adults will be Christ-followers who are at least 20 years old and who have passed a national background check.

Cost: \$450 if registered by Jan. 11; \$500 from Jan. 12-Feb. 8.

Includes registration, transportation, room and board, and July 3 & 4 hotel and meals. Participants will need to bring money for food on travel days. Registration closes February 8.

Other Important Dates

- Jan. 7 Informational meeting for interested teens and parents, 6:30-7:30 p.m.
- Jan. 11 Application and \$150 deposit is due. No deposits can be refunded after Feb. 8.
- Feb. 8 Registration closes and no deposits can be refunded.
- Mar. 8 Second payment of \$150 is due.
- April 19 Final payment and paperwork is due.

To register, fill out the attached form.

Questions? Contact Pastor Carolyn at cheacock@lfmchurch.org or 785-691-6644



Student Information

(In addition to filling out these details, each student needs to complete the back side of this form.)

Student's Full Name (Please Print)					
Date of Birth (Month/Day/Year):	Ge	ender:		Male	Female
2015-2016 School Grade:	(open to students currently in 7	th - 12t	h gr	ades)	
Student's Full Name (Please Print)					
Date of Birth (Month/Day/Year):	Ge	ender:		Male	Female
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Student's Full Name (Please Print)					
Date of Birth (Month/Day/Year):	Ge	ender:		Male	Female
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Parent/Guardian Name(s) (Please Print)					
Address					
City	State	Zip			
<u>General Release</u>					

As the parent/guardian of _______, I give her (or them) permission to attend the summer missions trip to Nashville, TN June 28-July 5, 2015 with the Lawrence Free Methodist Church. I acknowledge that there may be inherent or other risks involved for participants of this activity. I agree to release LFMC and its agents and representatives from all liability of damage and injury to the participant(s) indicated below for whom I am the Parent/Legal guardian.

Parent/Guardian Name(s)(Please Print)

Payment Information

Registration form and \$150 deposit are due Jan. 11 for the trip rate of \$450. The fee increases to \$500 for those registering between Jan. 12 and Feb. 8. Registration closes on Feb. 8 and no deposits will be refunded after that date.

 Enclosed is a check for \$150 made out to Lawrence Free Methodist Church for each registrant.

 Enclosed is \$150 cash for each registrant.

 Please take out \$150 from my child's youth account or certificate fundraiser account. I have contacted

 Pastor Carolyn (cheacock@lfmchurch.org) to verify that I have at least \$150 profit in my fundraising accounts for each registrant.

Please return this form along with your \$150 deposit for each registrant to: Carolyn Heacock Lawrence Free Methodist Church 3001 Lawrence Ave., Lawrence, KS 66047

Student's name: _____

Please answer the following questions and turn this page in with your application.

Why do you want to go on this trip?

Briefly describe your spiritual journey.

Do you have a personal relationship with God through Jesus Christ?_____