



# MISSION TEAMS

## **Dear Mission Team and Leaders,**

Thank you for coming to serve with Bridge of Faith Community Church! As we strive to see a generation transformed through Jesus Christ, know that each day you are here is a day of planting seeds for an eternal harvest. In the fifteen years that Bridge of Faith has served this community, we have seen many spiritual victories, and the best is yet to come! Thank you for investing in eternity!

## **Things to Know**

### **Ministry Flexibility**

You will be joining us for our daily ministry in our community. Depending on the season, time, weather and needs of the day, experiences we encounter may vary and change on short notice. Please be flexible in this area.

### **Manual Labor**

We may undertake various manual labor jobs while you serve with us. If any in your group possesses specific skills in areas such as dry-wall, electrical, plumbing, construction, etc., please let us know!

### **Working Together**

On the church campus, there are many ministries happening daily – come ready to serve and help where the need arises!

### **Lodging Requirements**

We encourage you to take advantage of The Lodge in The Village. This facility sleeps up to thirty-two people. It has two bunk rooms and two bathrooms. There is also a gathering room with a small kitchen and a place for meals. There is also a Leader's Cabin connected to the Lodge that sleeps two available for rent.

### **Lodge Rates**

Coming in 2020. Please call 417-561-0777 with any questions.

### **Summers at the Beach Meals**

Teams serving in June: individuals 18 years old and under can eat breakfast and lunch for free during Summers at the Beach, and individuals older than 18 can eat breakfast and lunch for \$5.00 per meal during Summers at the Beach.

## **Release of Liability**

Each Team Member must fill out a copy of the document, "Volunteer Registration and Liability Release," prior to serving for Bridge of Faith Community Church. This can be found on our website.

## **General Packing List**

- First-Aid kit
- Bible, Pen and journal or notebook
- Personal toiletries – shampoo, soap, toothbrush etc.
- Shower shoes or flip-flops
- Towels and wash cloths
- Sunscreen
- Antibacterial gel
- Plenty of work clothes!

## **Preparing to Serve**

Please share this information with your group!

### **Submitting to Leadership**

All team members must make a serious effort to support, respect and follow their team's leaders. This mission trip will stretch and challenge you and your leaders have an enormous responsibility for your growth, relationships and safety. Pray for your team leaders everyday as they will make many decisions (many you will not even know about) and they need your support, cooperation and prayers.

### **Maintaining an Attitude of Servanthood**

Ministry works well when everyone serves with an attitude of servanthood. Leaders and team members are asked to be servants as they encourage, support, and affirm each other. Ask yourself in all situations: "What is left to do?" "How can I help others finish the tasks?" "How can I leave it better than I found it?"

### **Prayer**

Begin to pray now for what God wants to do through you and your group. Pray that you will be receptive to what God is going to do in you and your group. Pray for the safety of your group's travels and ministry.