### **2022 Mission Trip Information**

#### Franciscans for the Poor: June 12-17



**Franciscans for the Poor:** This mission trip focuses on exposing our participants to the Franciscan traditions of simplicity, service, community, and prayer. Students will spend a week living simply in community with one another while serving in various service agencies in the greater Cincinnati area. We provide the housing, food, and service assignments, as well as social, educational, and prayer opportunities throughout the experience. For more information visit: <a href="http://franforthepoor.org/">http://franforthepoor.org/</a>

Available Spots: 25 youth & 5 Adults

\*suggested for students who are rising 9<sup>th</sup>-11<sup>th</sup> graders

#### Father Beiting Appalachian Mission Center: July 24-29



**FBAMC:** Our mission trip will include Mass, reflection time, service, community building, small groups, and free time. The FBAMC is a home for many projects to help the poor and homeless in Appalachia, providing emergency assistance to needy families. While in Appalachia, we will be staying in volunteer housing provided by the organization, where we will make our own meals and be living as a community. Our service experience will be primarily working with families by helping to rebuild rural areas working directly with a homeowner or business owner. I have been to Louisa many times and each time I find God's grace in a more profound way!

Available Spots: 22 youth & 8 Adults

\*suggested for students who are rising 11th graders-graduated seniors

#### Who can attend?

Mission Trips are open to all high school youth. That means that if you are currently in High School or in 8th grade, you are eligible to go. If you have never been involved in any youth function here at Incarnation, but would still like to join our mission trip experience, you are more than welcome!

#### How do I sign up?

Click <u>THIS LINK</u> and send a check for the \$300 to Danny Dunn made out to "Incarnation Youth Ministry." You can send it through school, to the parish offices, or drop it in the collection basket on Sunday in an envelope marked to go to Danny.

#### **Total Cost**

Total Expected Out of pocket Cost: \$300.

The total cost of each of the mission trips are about \$650 per person including the programing, food, travel expenses, and preparation materials. However, our fundraising efforts will help to offset these costs. This year, we are working with our budget to offset much of the cost so we can keep it to \$300 per person.

\*\*Buy out option: If you would rather not participate in fundraising and write a check for the trip you can choose this option. This cost would be \$550. You will still get the money we are using from the youth ministry budget.

#### **Scholarships**

If the cost is the only reason you are hesitant in signing up, please know that full & partial scholarships are available upon request. We don't want anyone to miss out on this amazing faith experience due to financial hardship.

#### **Important Dates**

*Thursday, January 27*<sup>th</sup> Informational & Fundraising Meeting 7:00-8:00pm

Friday, April 29<sup>th</sup> EUCHRE NIGHT

Friday, April 29<sup>th</sup> Paperwork due for all participants

Thursday, May 19<sup>th</sup> All t-shirt sponsors due—We NEED to try to get at least one per person to hit our goal

Thursday, June 9 Final Meeting for Cincinnati Trip. 7:00-8:00pm

Mission Trip Fundraising Information



<u>Euchre Night:</u> This is our biggest and most successful fundraiser. We will need everyone's help on this! We need each family to either solicit or donate one 1<sup>st</sup> place prize and one door prize. You can go business to business asking for donations with the letters I have provided or you can just choose to purchase the gift cards or other prizes to donate. As long as we have them I don't care how we get them ©. Also I will need many volunteers to work the set and/or clean up for the event. The sign up genius will go out in March!

**Donations Due:** Thursday, April 14<sup>th</sup> **Euchre Night Date:** Friday, April 29<sup>th</sup>

<u>T-shirt sponsors</u>: It's inevitable that we'll have t-shirts for our mission trips. The idea is that a company pays either \$50 or \$100 to be advertised (\$50 name of the company and other information (phone number, etc), \$100 or more gets your logo). <u>If everyone could get 1 or 2 sponsors we'd be set</u>. This is the BEST fundraiser because all you have to do is ask!!! **Sponsor Forms Due:** Thursday, May 19<sup>th</sup>

<u>Letter Writing</u>: If you are looking for a really good way to cover the rest of the cost of your trip, you may want to consider writing letters to your family, friends, doctor, dentist, etc. explaining to them what you are doing and why. I have included a sample letter for you to see.

Date: Ongoing

## Please send a tax-deductible donation to:

Incarnation Youth Ministry 55 Williamsburg Ln. Centerville, Ohio 45459

Please make checks payable to "Incarnation Youth Ministry" and mark the memo line with my name. Thank you!

Our church tax exempt number is: 51-071390

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**YES!** I would like to support the Incarnation Youth Ministry's Mission Trips. Enclosed is my check (or cash) made out to "Incarnation Youth Ministry".

<b>SPONSOR TEE-SHIRT</b> – to be wo	orn by participants at all fund raising events as well as other church functions
\$50.00 donation	2-line listing as
\$100.00 donation or more	"Banner" sponsor as
(if you have a logo we can include that if you e-mail us the logo)	
YOUR NAME:	
BUSINESS NAME:	
PHONE: E-MAI	L
Thanks for helping our youth ex	perience these life changing mission trips!
RETURN BY <b>5/19/2022</b> TO: Inca	rnation Youth Ministry 55 Williamsburg Lane Centerville OH 45459  ATTN: Danny Dunn

Questions??? Call or e-mail ©

**Danny Dunn** 

Youth and Young Adult Ministry

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Dear Grandpa & Grandma,

I had a wonderful time with you last weekend. I know I mentioned to you the mission trip that I am going on, but I would like to take the opportunity to tell you more about the trip.

This summer along with over 60 other youth from Incarnation Parish, I will be attending a Mission Trip. While on the trip, I am hoping to have the opportunity to serve others and grown in my faith.

I believe my faith calls me to service to those who are less fortunate than I. I want to use my gifts and talents to help others as Christ did. In dedicating my time to these people, I hope to gain a deeper meaning of what it means to be a follower of Jesus Christ. My hope is that this trip helps me see the face of Christ in the poor.

In total, our group needs to raise over \$22,000 to cover travel, lodging, food, gas, and other programming costs.

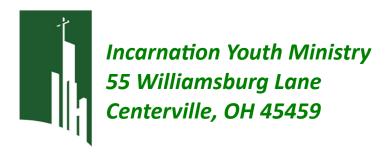
There are several ways in which you can become involved:

- 1. Prayers for safe travel, and an amazing experience while I am serving
- 2. Financial monetary donation to help fund the experience
- 3. Emotional Support interest and time upon my return

In the envelope is a slip of paper that describes in detail how to make a donation. Also, a pre-addressed envelope is included so you can easily send a donation to Incarnation.

Any way that you can help will be greatly appreciated. A monetary donation would be wonderful, but if you and your family are not in the financial state to contribute a monetary gift, I would appreciate your prayers and emotional support! I can't wait to tell you about my trip!

Thank you so much, Danny Dunn



March 2022

Dear Business Owner/Manager,

The Incarnation Youth Ministry program would like to offer you the opportunity to get your business's name more recognized in the Centerville community and beyond! In addition, you will be helping the youth of our parish in their efforts to attend life changing Mission Trips this summer. You can do this by providing us with one or more \$20-\$25 gift certificates to be used as first place prizes or by providing us with an item to be used as a door prize at our fundraiser.

On Friday, April 29<sup>th</sup> we are sponsoring a benefit adult Euchre Party at our Parish Center. We typically have over 300 people who attend this fun evening! Would you like to be one of those restaurants or businesses that will be recognized throughout the evening as a donor? Simply send us (or call for pick up) one or more prizes and we will recognize you at our event! Anything you donate, from a gift card, to a product, can be used!

Thank you for your consideration of a donation to this fund raising event. You will be helping our parish youth earn the funds necessary to take advantage of this awesome opportunity!

If you have any questions, please call Danny Dunn, Incarnation's Youth Minister, at 937-542-9134. We look forward to hearing from you.

Our church tax exempt number is: 51-071390

Sincerely,

**Incarnation Youth Ministry** 

# **2022 Mission Trip Sign Up QR Code**

