

# 2022 Summer Mission Trip ~ San Augustine, TX

## SAN AUGUSTINE COUNTY

The City of San Augustine is located in the heart of Texas Forest Country in Deep East Texas. It is a town of about 2000 people and it is the county seat. But it also struggles because of its rural location and declining economy.

In the city of San Augustine 31% of the people live below the poverty line. That is nearly 1 out of every 3 people. 60% of children from birth through 11 years old live in poverty.

We will be doing major home repair projects which will make a dramatic difference in the lives of the people living there.

### The dates: June 22-July 2, 2022

Cost: \$625 for students  
\$595 for adults

This cost includes 3 days of camping, all transportation, food while camping and at our mission site, and lodging. You will need to bring additional money for food while we are traveling and souvenirs if you desire.

### A NON-refundable deposit of \$100 is due by Sunday, December 26.

We have reserved 50 spots, and while the registration deadline is officially December 26, it is on a first come, first serve basis. **Mission Trips always fill well before the registration deadline, so don't wait!** When all of the spots have been filled we will start a waiting list.

#### HOW will you pay for it??

We have a fundraising plan in place that will allow you to raise ALL you need. It will require effort on your part, but you can do it!

We will be partnering with **Next Step Ministries** which has been developing and hosting mission trips for well over 15 years. They have a heart for communities to thrive by providing God-sized experiences for both students and communities alike! They seek to build long term relationships in the communities they serve by working alongside local partners to address *real* needs.



This mission trip will be awesome! It's a great chance to be the hands and feet of Jesus to people in desperate need. **Don't miss it - sign up today!**

# 2022 San Augustine, TX Mission Trip Registration & Application Form

**FOR ALL Applicants: Student Cost (24 yrs and under): \$625 Adult Cost: \$595**

Amount Enclosed (*non-refundable deposit \$100*) \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ T-shirt Size (ADULT Sizes): \_\_\_\_\_

Your cell phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Male \_\_\_ Female \_\_\_ Email you check most often:

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Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

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## FOR STUDENTS ONLY:

What is your parent's best e-mail address? \_\_\_\_\_

Grade you will be in **fall 2022** \_\_\_\_\_ Age you will be on June 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2022 \_\_\_\_\_

Father's name \_\_\_\_\_ Cell phone \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's name \_\_\_\_\_ Cell phone \_\_\_\_\_

Who do you live with? \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent Signature (if student is under 18)** \_\_\_\_\_

1. Previous mission trip and service project experience:

2. Briefly talk about your relationship with God right now:

3. Why do you want to go on this Mission Trip?

4. **Read the *Mission Trip Student/Adult Minister Covenant on the back*.** Which things do you expect to have the greatest difficulty complying with and what do you plan to do about it?

## Mission Trip Student/Adult Minister Covenant

In participating in this mission trip I understand that I am a Student or Adult Minister and I will be representing Jesus Christ. I understand that this comes with high expectations of moral character and behavior. The following is a list of some of the standards that I will be accountable for with the understanding that it is not an exhaustive list.

### As a Student or Adult Minister, I will:

- Lead by example. I will follow all of the rules.
- Keep a positive attitude at all times, realizing that my attitude will often determine the attitude of others.
- I understand this is a ministry. I will be Jesus' representative at all times.
- Not enter into an area that is designated for the opposite sex.
- Make God honoring choices in words and actions at all times.
- Focus on the people I am there to help. This involves building a relationship with them and serving joyfully and generously.
- Be an ambassador for Christ and represent Christ Church to the best of my ability.
- Stay with the group at all times. I will not go anywhere alone.
- Willingly and cheerfully participate in all activities.
- Dress modestly and wear clothing that honors God and the people we are serving. For example, as this pertains to swimwear, for this trip bikinis will not be allowed. One-piece swimsuits are required for girls. Guys will be required to wear shirts when working at the mission site and sleeping in public places.
- Abstain from the use of alcohol and tobacco while on this trip.
- Work as though working for the Lord, not for men. (Col. 3:23) I will look for ways to help and be a productive team member from start to finish.
- **Commit to be at all of the mission trip meetings**, unless excused in advance by Pastor Sean or Teri. I understand that missing more than one meeting may jeopardize my ability to go on this trip. *NOTE: If you have a concern or questions about this, please talk to Teri or Pastor Sean before you register.*
- **Students must be actively involved in our High School ministry, including a Wednesday night Grounded group.** *An exception may be made for a student who does not attend Christ Church and is actively and regularly involved in their church's youth group on Wednesday nights.*

Adult Minister Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

OR

Student Minister Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_