



2023 Volunteers-in-Mission Summer Service Program
July 22 – 29, 2023 at Mission-at-the-Eastward (MATE)
North New Portland, Maine
FLEMINGTON PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
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VIT's will have been out of high school for at least one year (or completed first year of college) and 24 years or younger. VIT responsibilities include but not limited to:

- 1) Lead the crew by ensuring all youth members are participating in the shared work
- 2) Responsible for final check and ensuring all youth participate in the morning routine and end of day clean-up of work site and vehicles
- 3) Ensuring each work site day begins and ends with a youth member leading in prayer
- 4) Organizing the youth to lead assigned evening devotions
- 5) Support the adult site leader at all times.

Covenant

As a member of the Volunteers-in-Mission team, I am representing Flemington Presbyterian Church and Mission-at-the-Eastward. I will:

- Engage and participate in the life of this Christian community in mission
- Lead by example in promoting safe, ethical, Christ like behavior
- Support the Coordinating team by following through with my assigned tasks, ask how I can be helpful and exercise self-care.
- I will abide by the ground rules set by the team, its leaders, the host coordinator, and MATE.
- While I intend to encourage youth to be careful and diligent with safety measures, I will report to the coordinating team any behavior that is unsafe or anyone who refuses to comply upon request.
- I fully understand that responsibility for my conduct and consequences thereof are mine alone.

Signature of Applicant:

Date:

EMERGENCY MEDICAL INFORMATION:

Do you use any medications or have any medical conditions? If so, please tell us below what they are. This information will be held in confidence but may be necessary in an emergency. It is important that we know ahead of time about dietary concerns, allergies, any history of reactions to medicines, poison ivy, bee stings, etc. Maine has lots of wasps and we've had many stings over the years. If you are at any risk of anaphylactic shock, you must tell us about it and have a supply of Epi-pens with you on the trip.

My last tetanus shot was received _____ (must be within 10 years!)

Please provide the name of your health insurance company and the coverage ID number:

Company: _____ ID# _____

Company: _____ ID# _____

Family physician: _____ Phone: (_____) _____ - _____

Additional adult acknowledgements:

- 1) I understand that my personal insurance is the primary coverage for medical treatment in the event of any accident or cause for medical services, and
- 2) I consent to the taking and use of photographs and audio/video recordings of me during this activity for use by the Church to remember and promote this program, and
- 3) I have read and accept the 6-page Volunteers in Mission Briefing Document and Activity Plan, and
- 4) I hereby release Flemington Presbyterian Church (FPC) and its employees and agents from all claims and actions that I or my successors may have against FPC and its employees and agents arising out of my involvement in the VIM Summer Service Program. I understand the consequence of this release, and assume full responsibility for my participation in the VIM Summer Service Program.
- 5) I acknowledge that a fingerprint background check may be necessary in order to attend as an adult leader and that it must be in hand before I am able to depart with the team. Information to made available on the church website.

Date: _____

(Signature of adult leader in training applicant)

Are you willing to drive during the trip if necessary? (circle one) YES NO

SINCE 2011, WE HAVE STEADILY PROGRESSED TO USING BLAST-TEXTS FOR ALL VIM OFFICIAL TEAM NOTICES (Safe arrival in camp, Expected time of return to Flemington, Non-routine events, Etc). THIS YEAR WE WILL USE BLAST-TEXTS AS THE ONLY OFFICIAL NOTICE METHOD. If you would like someone at home to receive a text blast, please list their name and cell phone number:

Name: _____ Cell # _____

APPLICATIONS DUE BY May 15, 2023

The team member individual fee is **\$100.00** and is due with the application.
Please make check out to “Flemington Presbyterian Church – VIM”.

Every team member will receive a tee shirt. Please circle your size below based on adult men’s tee-shirts sizes.

S M L XL XXL
(CIRCLE SIZE)

Date application received by VIM _____

PHOTO CONSENT FORM

I, _____ grant permission and give my consent to Mission at the Eastward for the use of the photograph(s) or electronic media images taken during my trip to MATE for presentation under any legal use:

Describe Photo(s)

Revocation

☐ - I understand that I may revoke this authorization at any time by notifying Mission at the Eastward in writing. The revocation will not affect any actions taken before the receipt of this written notification. Images will be stored in a secure location and only authorized staff will have access to them. They will be kept as long as they are relevant and after that time destroyed or archived.

Signature _____ Date _____