Stronghold 2020

3 Day Adult Mission Trip
Leave Evening of September 17th and return Sunday 20th

Our third year sending an adult work trip to support the ministry of Stronghold Camp & Retreat Center. Our church has a long history with Stronghold and this unique Blackhawk Presbytery Camp, sending our youth / adults for retreats and summer camp dating back into the 1970's.

Stronghold is experiencing a revival and working hard to continue its ministry as a retreat center, injecting money, efforts to make the camp an inviting place for all kinds of faith experiences and uses.

Such a large facility has great need for repairs and some general tender care to buildings and other fixtures on the grounds. Two years ago we repainted the Carriage House building and last year painted the Sears Center facility. This year they are returning to the other wing of the castle, helping repair and paint the Bunk House and archways that lead to the castle building.

Key Details

-3 day trip September 17th-20th at Stronghold Castle, Oregon Illinois (1:45 hrs away)
-Leave Thursday evening 9/17, return Sunday 9/20.
-Cost is $225/person.
-Rehab/Paint projects to the Bunk House and Castle
-Open to 19 yrs or older. No special skills needed.
-Devotions & Discussion in evening
-Breakfast/Dinner with Stronghold. Fix own lunches
-Majority of Fee goes to Stronghold for supplies/Donation (Tax Deductible!)

Fill out the attached signup sheet and return to the church office with a $100 deposit check to CPC and Stronghold noted in the memo area.
We are excited about the trip and chance to support the Blackhawk Presbytery!
Any Questions?: Ask Jason Salbego 630-721-0516 or John Helms 630-986-8683.

APPLICATION FOR CPC 2020 STRONGHOLD MISSION TRIP

Name_____

Email _____

Cell #_____

I understand that mission trips are an important part of the outreach program of Community Presbyterian Church. I go not only representing myself, but also the congregation. I expect to work hard, learn new skills, to discover a deeper meaning in living and working in a Christian service ministry. I will try to be sensitive to the needs and feelings of others, both my fellow workers and those whom we seek to serve. I will seek to improve my ways when I am given positive encouragement and correction. I will limit my cell phone use so that I can be fully present and engaged with the group. I commit to wearing my seat belt in moving vehicles.

Signed_____ Date _____
(applicant)