



Summer 2017 Service Trip Scheduled!

Blackfeet Nation and Glacier National Park, Montana: July 22-28



Where: Blackfeet Nation and Glacier National Park located in northwest Montana

When: July 22-28

Who: All students graduating 9th grade and up (only 20 spots reserved! Sign up fast!)

Why: To experience God through adventure, service, community, and beautiful Montana with our youth group and those who we will spend time with on the Blackfeet Nation American Indian reservation!

We're so excited to announce that the dates and destination have been set for this summer's Normandale Lutheran High School Youth trip! This year's trip will be a one-week service and learning trip to Blackfeet Nation American Indian reservation, surrounded by the beauty and adventure of Glacier country in beautiful northwest Montana. It is home to just under 60% of the enrolled 16,000 Blackfeet tribal members and is the third largest reservation in Montana. YouthWorks is housed in the community of Heart Butte, a small town with a population of 698.

This trip will give NLC youth graduating 9-12th grades the amazing, meaningful opportunity to build relationships with community members and to bring joy, love and enthusiasm while serving through various work projects and by helping facilitate a Kids Club program with bible lessons, games, crafts, reading and sports! We'll also have the chance to explore and encounter stunning creation in Glacier National Park and join in on a community cookout all while having a blast together.

There are 20 spots reserved for the trip, so you will want to make sure to sign up quickly! The total cost (before fundraising) will be \$475 per student covering all travel, lodging and food. **Permission forms along with a \$100 deposit are due on or before February 1st.**

Available Fundraising Opportunities

- Kids Night Out – January 14, February 11, March 11, April 8, May 13
- March 19 – Youth Silent Auction & Spaghetti Dinner Trip Fundraiser (For MT & Youth Choir Trips)
- April 9 – Palm Sunday “Raising Dough” Cinnamon Roll Sale
- “Youth Stocks” – Ongoing until summer, beginning in February!

Normandale Lutheran Church
Summer 2017 Youth Service Trip
Permission Form | due February 1
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Trip Deposit: \$100.00 due February 1

Total Trip Cost: \$475.00 (Scholarships/youth savings account funds are available. Stay tuned for more fundraiser information!)

_____ has my permission to participate on this event

(Please Print Student Name and cell phone number)

and all activities involved with it. I understand every effort will be made to contact me in case of an emergency. If I cannot be reached, I hereby give Normandale Lutheran Church and its representatives permission to act on my behalf in seeking emergency treatment for my child in the event such treatment is deemed necessary by Normandale Lutheran Church and its representatives. I give permission to those administering treatment to do so, using those measures deemed necessary. I absolve Normandale Lutheran Church and its representatives from liability in acting on my behalf in this regard so long as Normandale Lutheran Church and its representatives are not grossly negligent.

Signature of Parent/Guardian _____

Parent/Guardian Name(s) _____

Home Phone: _____ **Work Phone:** _____ **Cell Phone:** _____

If Not Available, Contact: _____

Home Phone: _____ **Work Phone:** _____ **Cell Phone:** _____

Pre-Existing Medical Conditions: _____

Medications (please have in labeled bottle with instructions for chaperones) _____

Dietary Concerns: _____

Allergies: _____

Additional Comments: _____

Parent/Guardian Insurance Co. _____ **Policy #** _____

Address of Insurance Co. _____

*More specific information on what to pack/expect will be coming in later winter/early spring. For more information about our trip, Blackfeet Nation, or Glacier National park check out these helpful websites:

<https://www.youthworks.com/trips/blackfeet-nation/> <http://blackfeetnation.com/> or

<https://www.nps.gov/glac/index.htm>

Contact Maggie Jones, Director of Youth and Family Ministry, at mjones@normluth.org with any questions!