

Detroit Hands-On Mission Work Group offers opportunities to visiting mission groups

The Hands-On Mission Work Group of the Presbytery of Detroit is looking forward to welcoming mission work groups during next summer or for an alternative break week during the school year. With more than 10 years of experience, the group offers a variety of service opportunities and will find appropriate work sites to match the interest of visiting workers..

The work group has developed relationships with a variety of mission partners. Opportunities include urban gardening, blight removal, building and remodeling, handicapped-access ramp installation, Habitat for Humanity, Life Remodel, Presbyterian Villages, Inclusion Ministries, homeless outreach, clothing sites, feeding programs, domestic violence, veterans, Peace Camp, health fairs, Second-Mile Center and others. For those who would like to work with children, the work group offers vacation Bible school sites, an art camp, a foster-care ministry, children's summer camps, and children's centers.

More than a dozen churches within the Presbytery of Detroit open their doors and their hearts to house and extend hospitality to visiting mission groups. These churches have kitchens, some have showers or nearby shower sites, and most have a variety of other amenities.

The Hands-On Mission Work Group can be found online at <http://www.hands-on-mission.com>. A YouTube video is available at https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=e30_hQHnWNs.

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