

ECA Men's group Fishing Trip

Sep 27th - Oct. 1st 2023



***“Better to sit in a boat thinkin about God,
than sittin in church thinkin about fishin!”***

It's that time of year again when the Men of ECA plan to head down to Shell Island Fish Camp for a weekend of fellowship, fishing, food & Fun.

For others, even if you don't like fish'n you can still go. But what better way to get away from it all, than to go on the Men's fishing trip. There are cabins, motel rooms, RV Spots, and tents for accommodations, pick your choice. Over the past couple of years, we have received donations, but we never have enough to cover expenses, so unfortunately, we will have to raise the prices a bit due to rising costs. The more that stay in cabins, the better the price. If you want a single motel room only, the extra cost is paid by the individual and not the group. The cost for the trip from Weds-Sun is

\$600 that covers all expenses: fish'n, food & stay (except for adult beverages, bring some to share and some snacks as this also helps keep costs down), \$500 from Thu-Sun and if you need to arrive on Friday that is ok also, cost is \$400) RV camping is \$450 for the week, and Tent camping is \$400 and either is less if you come after Weds. A group will leave the church parking lot on Weds noon and head down to Shell island fish camp in Florida and other times can be arranged also. Contact Fr. Paul,

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****PLEASE NOTE**** Costs may also vary depending on how many attend. Please RSVP as soon as possible so we can adjust the numbers with Shell Island as needed.

Your deposit of \$100 will secure your spot on this years' outing, please make payable to ECA and in "for" section put "Men's trip" and give to Fr. Paul or collection plate, extra donations to help offset the cost of the trip are also appreciated. Your deposit is 100% refundable till September 20th, after that it will stay in the pot to help others due to reservations being held by the camp. Full payment is needed before the trip and can be refunded if unable to make the trip. We look forward to another great trip. Please let us know as soon as possible what days you would like to go so we can make the accommodations for space and guide / boat rental.

Cost Break down

- Motel** One person \$86.25 a night, motel rooms have 2 double beds, TV with cable, heat & air, mini fridge
- Cabins** One to 4 people \$110.40 a night. Cabins have 2 bedrooms w/ 2 double beds on each side. Includes Kitchen, screened porch, heat & air
- Park Models** 2 people are \$120. Park models have 2 double beds microwave, coffee pot, mini fridge, cable TV, heat & air These are non-smoking and no pets ***(Not avail)**
- Camper spots** \$50 per night, \$25 per night for tents. Camper spots include Water, electric, covered picnic table (will be where the group will be gathering during the trip)
- Boats** \$600 a day plus fuel and oil, Center consoles hold a max of 4 people (only 4 if with a guide) Cost for Guide is \$100 plus boat rental. *****(This does not include tip)** We also have costs for live shrimp purchased (*market price varies*).
- Docking** Bring your own boat, \$25 a night for registered guest (Camera Security provided), there is a boat ramp at the location.
- Food** We will plan a menu as we figure out our number of those who will be staying for Wed's night. Then each night afterwards we eat what we catch, so catch'n fish is expected.

Let's go fishing & fellowship!