

# BEACH MISSION

## YOUTH Mission Trip to Gulf Coast

*Pass Christian, MS / Camp Coast Care*  
**June 21-26, 2009**



**Purpose:** Assistance to Trinity Episcopal Church in Pass Christian  
VBS/Day Camp Assistance (confirmed)  
Labor assistance to local residents (tentative)  
Labor assistance to other volunteer efforts in area (tentative)

**Lodging:** "By Water" Retreat Center / 25 bed spaces; 4 showers  
Official center name "By Water and Spirit" Retreat Center based on John 3:5.

**Approx. Cost:**

Recommend assessing each participant \$75.00 to cover travel expenses/rentals, food for the week, and lodging donation. Each church will divide difference proportionate to participants

**Participants:** Must have completed 7<sup>th</sup> grade (thru high school graduates)

**TRANSPORTATION** - Participating groups will coordinate travel.

**WHAT TO BRING:**

- **Completed Forms to Church Group Leader**
- **Work Clothes:** Comfortable, hot-weather clothes, some WORK clothes, and swim suit. Please make sure you bring several extra changes of clothes to ensure that you have clean, comfortable clothes for the duration. Work boots or other hard-soled shoes are recommended at all work sites.
- **Sleeping Gear & Towel:** There are beds available at the Retreat Center with bed linens provided. Suggest bring towel(s) and pillows. Restroom and shower facilities are provided. Washer/Dryer on site.
- **Ear Plugs:** (Optional) Sleeping in a communal space can be noisy.
- **Personal Hygiene Products:** Bug spray, sunscreen, soap, tooth-brush & paste. Shampoo, etc.
- **Comfort Items:** Bring books, magazines, journals, etc., or things to make yourself comfortable. *Use of electronics are discouraged large group settings as this takes away for the community experience; okay in personal/quiet times.*
- **Medications:** Please bring any medications you may need including: Prescriptions (may be turned over to adults) and/or O.T.C. medications (allergies, anti-acids, aspirin). Our Trip First Aid Kit will have some of these items.
- **Reusable Water Bottles:** In order to be good stewards of our environment we will no longer provide bottled water. Commercially Filtered water will be available on all work sites and water will be available in coolers.