Holy Week Missions FAMILY TRACK April 12-16, 2017



"We cannot passively and calmly wait in our Church buildings. We must be a Church that goes forth! We must all become missionary disciples!"

Pope Francis

If you and your family would like to take up the challenge of **living Holy Week in a new way** then this is for you! The following events are offered as opportunities for you to live this Holy Week in Mission. You can register your family, and choose the events in which you will participate <u>HERE</u>*. Some activities have a limit in the number of participants that can attend; some are free and some have a small fee to cover costs.

If you want to purchase mission gear (MY –Mission Youth– hoodies, fleece jackets, polo shirts, dry fit shirts, our regular shirts, etc.) you can order <u>HERE</u> before April 1st and you can collect your items at the youth rally. If you have any questions, please contact Adriana Torrens at info@missionyouthchicago.com.

Wednesday, April 12th

What? Youth Rally and Opening Mass

Where? Immaculate Conception Parish

770 Deerfield Rd, Highland Park, IL 60035

At what time? 4:30 pm Check-In / Dinner

6:00 pm Youth Rally 7:00 pm Opening Mass

Anything else I need to know?

• All missionaries will be making the Missionary Pledge at Mass.

Thursday, April 13th

What? Family Catechesis and Mass of Lord's Supper

Where? Immaculate Conception Parish

770 Deerfield Rd, Highland Park, IL 60035

At what time? 5:30 pm

What? Mass of the Lord's Supper and Seven Church Pilgrimage (Bus 1)

Where? Starting point – St. Bartholomew's Parish

3601 N Lavergne Ave, Chicago, IL 60641

At what time? 7:00 pm

* https://www.missionyouthchicago.com/hwm-families-2017

What? Seven Church Pilgrimage (Bus 2)

Where? Starting point – Everest Academy

11550 Bell Rd, Lemont, IL 60439

At what time? 6:15 pm

Anything else I need to know?

• We will be attending the Mass of the Last Supper at St. Daniel the Prophet.

- The Churches we'll visit include St. Jane De Chantal, St. Camillus, St. Symphorosa, St. Mary of Czestochowa, St. Mary Star of the Sea, St. Tiribius and St. Gall
- We will end at Portillo's on Harlem.
- The bus ride is a free will donation (we are looking for benefactors to help pay for the bus rather than charge).

Friday, April 14th

What? Celebration of the Lord's Passion and Stations of the Cross/Crosswalk on Michigan Avenue

Where? Holy Name Cathedral

730 N Wabash Ave, Chicago, IL 60611

At what time? 12:00 pm Celebration of the Lord's Passion

Afterwards we'll meet in a hall of the Cathedral and organize ourselves for the Crosswalk

Saturday, April 15th

What? Mission in the Mission of Our Lady of the Angels (Franciscans of the Eucharist)

Where? 3808 W. Iowa St., Chicago, IL 60651

At what time? 9:00 am - 11:00 am

What? Mission at Franciscan Village
Where? 1270 Village Dr, Lemont, IL 60439

At what time? 12:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Anything else I need to know?

• We will be serving lunch, making an Easter craft, playing bingo and praying the Living Rosary with the residents at Franciscan Village. We also will be delivering Easter baskets to those in the Mother Theresa wing of the facility (these are those who are sick or under full-time care)

What? Mission along the Missionaries of Charity

Where? 115 N Oakley Blvd, Chicago, IL 60612

At what time? 8:00 am – 11:00 am

Anything else I need to know?

- We'll be preparing and serving breakfast for about 60 guests, along with three Sisters of the Missionaries of Charity.
- After serving breakfast we are invited to visit with the guests.
- Girls and women need to have their hair up.
- This mission site can accommodate up to 15 missionaries, ages 10 and up.
- Fr. Bruce Wren, LC will be present to accompany and work alongside the missionaries at this site.

What? Mission at Grace Place

Where? 637 S Dearborn St, Chicago, IL 60605

At what time? 7:30 am - 10:30 am

Anything else I need to know?

• Grace Place, the Homeless Ministry at the First United Methodist Church of Chicago serves a meal to between 150-200 guests each Saturday. As missionaries we'll help with registration of guests, kitchen support, serving the meal, clothing donations, etc.

- This mission site can accommodate up to 10 missionaries, ages 14 and up.
- Fr. Brett Taira, LC will be present to accompany and work alongside the missionaries at this site.

Sunday, April 16th

What? Brunch and Closing Mass

Where? Immaculate Conception Parish

770 Deerfield Rd, Highland Park, IL 60035

At what time? 9:30 am Brunch, Easter Egg Hunt, and testimonies

11:30 am Closing Easter Mass