



# Mission: Jersey 2018

(Give this paper to your parents!)



*Mission: Jersey is an overnight Community Service retreat experience that bring High School teens from around the Diocese together to live out our Catholic Faith and help those in need. Teens are invited to join us in a 3 night **OR** 5 night experience.*

**Who can come?** *All High school teens are welcome, but may only choose ONE of the trips!*

**What do we do?** ***By day:** we will work at food banks, soup kitchens, farms and more! All projects will be arranged and supervised by adult leaders & professionals from organizations we partner with.*

*\*\*\* We will be working hard and getting dirty! We could be inside or outside in the sun. We will answer God's call to do whatever is needed to improve the lives of those we serve.*

***Please come ready to help in whatever way is needed!***

**At night:** Fun activities to build us as a community and bring us closer to God!

**Where do we do this?** Many different service sites from Trenton to Atlantic City and beyond  
*Sites will vary based on which dates you attend.*

**Where are we staying?** July 12 – 15<sup>th</sup> **St. Gregory the Great in Hamilton**  
July 29 – Aug 3<sup>rd</sup> **St. Theresa's in Little Egg Harbor**

In both Locations we sleep on the floor (air mattress recommended!) & shower in the local schools (*don't forget your bathing suits and towel!*)

**When do we meet?** - 3 night trip: Thursday, **July 12<sup>th</sup>, 6pm**  
5 night trip: Sunday, **July 29<sup>th</sup>, 5pm**

**When does trip end?** - 3 night trip: Sunday, **July 15<sup>th</sup>, 12:30pm**  
5 night trip: Sunday, **August 3<sup>rd</sup>, 12:30pm**

**Cost:** 3 night trip: \$65  
5 night trip: \$150 per person plus a small amount of spending money.

**Adults:** *All Adults chaperones/leaders are FREE!*  
A parish must provide adult chaperones at a minimum of 1 adult for every 8 teens that attend. In most cases, we will also need adults to transport participants to and from worksites and be willing to help lead certain aspects of the experience.  
***There will be a mandatory prep meeting for all adults who attend.***

**Please keep in mind...**  
This week will be a fun and amazing experience but... will also be one of sacrifice. We ask that you **come prepared to live a simple life and in community for a week, bring with you a willingness to work, and a readiness to serve those in need!**

**How do I register?** Contact you parish Youth Minister!