

Application for Volunteer Groups

Please return completed form to Melissa Ellis, Volunteer Coordinator at mellis@shsm.org

I. **Group Information** Name of Group____ Dates Requested_____ Group Leader_____ Address City, State, Zip____ Office Phone____ Cell Phone_____ Alternate Phone E-mail Fax _____ Approximate Total # in Group: _____ Total Number of Girls_____ Total Number of Boys Total Number of Female Adult Chaperones_____ Total Number of Male Adult Chaperones Is this the first time you have worked with Sacred Heart Southern Missions? Please Circle One: **YES** or **NO** You will be working anywhere in the five (5) northwest counties of Mississippi that Sacred Heart Southern Missions serves. If a priest will be with your group give the information needed below: Name____ Parish _____ Address City,State,Zip_____ Office Phone Cell Phone E-mail Fax

Please Note the Following:

1. There is a background-check clearance required from the diocese. Please contact Vicar General Rev. Lincoln Dall, <u>Lincoln.dall@jacksondiocese.org</u>; 601-960-

8476 or the administrative assistant, Cindy Wood, (cindy.wood@jacksondiocese.org) from the Diocese of Jackson in Jackson, MS for this clearance. This needs to be completed for every priest traveling with the group.

2. Please note that all groups are responsible for their own insurance needs. In the event of an emergency during your stay with us, it is the group leader's responsibility to have all necessary papers and permissions for all volunteers in their group.

II. Travel Plans

The Group will travel by:	
Van: Date of Arrival	Approximate time of Arrival
Date of Departure	Time of Departure
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Plane: Airline	Fight Number
Date of Arrival	Time of Arrival
Date of Departure	Time of Departure

We can provide you with the names and numbers of rental agencies in the area if you need to make arrangements for the van or car rental before you arrive in Mississippi.

III. Work

These are the many exciting opportunities that are provided for your volunteer group.

- Roof Repair or Replacement.
- Construction of Wheel Chair Ramps and Porches.
- Install Carpets, Vinyl Flooring, or Wood Flooring.
- Unloading and Sorting Cans for the Food Pantry.
- Sorting, Hanging, and Sizing Clothes at the Thrift Store.
- Landscaping: Planting Trees, Flowers, Trimming, Replenish Mulch, Cutting Grass, and Picking up Trash.
- Exterior Cleaning and Organizing.
- Interior Cleaning and Organizing for the Elderly and Disabled.
- Interior and Exterior Painting.
- Replacing and Repairing Windows.

•	Other: