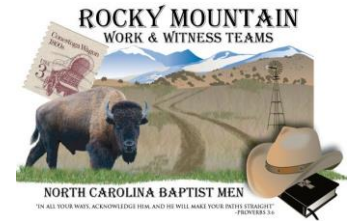




Rocky Mountain Work & Witness Teams 2021

Saint Regis, Montana

North Carolina Baptists on Mission



What? **Construction of a church parsonage.** New Day Fellowship in St. Regis, Montana is constructing a 2,000 square foot parsonage during the summer of 2021. The congregation is one of very few evangelical churches along the I-90 corridor between Missoula and the Idaho border. Housing in the area is both sparse and very expensive, making it very difficult for the congregation to offer a pastor a living wage. The building of the parsonage will show the community that this growing church is committed, and here to stay. The church is raising the required material funds for this new project. Its success will be dependent on volunteer teams. The slab for the addition will be poured in the fall or spring of 2021. We will need several teams to do framing, roofing, siding, sheetrock hanging and finishing, trim work, tile, painting, and other finish work. Teams will be scheduled throughout the summer.

Where? **St. Regis, Montana.** St. Regis is located at the confluence of the St. Regis and the Clark Fork. Rivers It is on Montana Highway 135, a shortcut to Glacier National Park. Interstate 90 runs along the southern edge of the community, with access from Exit 33. I-90 leads southeast 71 miles to Missoula and west 93 miles to Coeur d'Alene, Idaho.

Who? Teams will be needed to complete all phases of construction. Each team should have a “core” of volunteers with solid construction experience and know-how, and others with willing hands and hearts. Each team will be responsible for their own meals and need to bring volunteers to assist in meal prep. We will try to schedule up to, but not more than, 24 volunteers per week, so there could be more than one team on site per week.

How? Teams will sign up for a date through the North Carolina Baptists on Mission (NCBM) Office. As time grows closer the team leader will be put in contact with the project coordinator, who will be able to let teams know what to expect work-wise about a week or two out. Each team member will register online with NCBM, and be signed up for the volunteer insurance (\$6 per person total per 8 day trip). Team leader will be sent this information via e-mail.

Field Costs: Teams will arrange their own travel. Driving may be an option for some. Raleigh, NC to St. Regis MT is 2466 miles (37 hours). Nearest airports would include Missoula, MT (66 miles), Spokane, WA (133 miles), and Kalispell, MT (121 miles). The church has a 15 passenger van that teams could use, and would be willing to pick teams up at the airport if needed. Teams may also want to rent vehicles if they fly. NCBM bunks will be set up at a sister church that is currently without a congregation about 15 miles from the project (sheets, towels, and pillows provided). A room will be set up for cooks at New Day Fellowship so they will be onsite for meal preparation. Church has bathrooms, a shower, and a kitchen for team’s use. Church will seek to secure Montana DR shower trailer for the project.

Other Costs: Teams are encouraged to contribute \$2000 toward the purchase of building materials if possible. (Not required)

Date	Team #	Team/Contact
June 5-12	RM21-101	Clark Baptist Association, AL – Mark Presswood
June 12-19	RM21-102	Abbott’s Creek BC, NC – Hugh Motsigner
June 19-26	RM21-103	
June 26-July 3	RM21-104	Big Sky Baptist, MT – Dwayne Whitaker
July 3-10	RM21-105	
July 10-17	RM21-106	Cottage Hill Baptist, AL – Bill Glisson
July 17-24	RM21-107	Sandy Ridge Baptist, NC – Randy Swisher
July 24-31	RM21-108	Richland Creek BC, NC – Kyle Sutherland
July 31 – Aug 7	RM21-109	Florence BC, NC – Calvin Spurlin
August 7-14	RM21-110	Eastern Baptist Association, NC – Richard Weeks
August 14-21	RM21-111	South Fork Baptist Association, NC – Jeff Grigsby / Big Sky Fellowship, MT – Michael Johnson
August 21-28	RM21-112	FBC Athens, AL - John Crocker
Aug. 28-Sept. 5	RM21-113	

To reserve a week for your team, contact Mark Abernathy at 919-459-5607 or at mabernathy@ncbaptist.org