

ROCKY MOUNTIAN/ NC Work & Witness Teams -2024

North Carolina Baptists on Mission

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1. Once you have reviewed the list, pray about which project(s) you might want to respond to.
2. Contact Mark Abernathy (mabernathy@ncbaptist.org; 919-459-5607) to express interest and get contact information.
3. You will be put in direct contact with a requestor in the Rocky Mountain area to ask any and all questions.
4. If you and the requestor feel it is a good match, set a date with them for your team's service, and let Mark Abernathy know.
5. You will be sent instructions for securing the project on behalf of your team by registering as team leader.

PROJECTS in WYOMING:

OUTREACH

RM24-020

Wood Chucking Team

Big Piney, Wyoming

Team will assist church in cutting, splitting, delivering, and stacking firewood as an outreach to those in their community. Firewood is a major source of heating and many in the community struggle to have enough to get them through the hard Wyoming winters. Opportunity for praying with families and sharing your testimony. The church has members who have chainsaws and trailers, and will work with the team in finding good wood sources for the ministry. Team can also bring some of their own tools if desired, and safety equipment. It is possible that some wood may need to be purchased and it would be great if team could help. Wood is fairly inexpensive in the area if this is needed. Team will need to rent vehicles for travel and sightseeing during the week (Salt Lake City is the closest large airport). Team can stay in the church fellowship hall or possibly the parsonage. Team can use the church kitchen to prepare meals. **Note:** Team will be responsible for conducting professional background checks on all team members over the age of 18. Team leaders will be sent information from Baptists on Mission concerning options for this. **(Can be paired with RM24-019 – Vacation Bible School).**

Length of assignment: 4-6 Days

Dates: Spring, Summer, Fall 2024

Cost: Travel to Wyoming; vehicle rental; team food; some supplies

CAMP COOK TEAMS

RM24-002

Camp Cook Team

Casper, Wyoming

One team of 10-12 volunteers is needed to cook for a week of Christian children and youth camp. Meals will be planned and food purchased by the camp director. Team will be responsible for all prep, cooking, serving and clean up after each meal. The day begins early and is finished by around 7:00 p.m. Most days will have a couple hours to rest and relax in between. Volunteers with cooking skills and able to lift heavy pots and pans are needed. Team will need to provide their own transportation. Housing will be provided for the team while at camp. Food will be provided while camp is in session and team is cooking for campers. Other meals are at team's expense.

Note: Team will be responsible for conducting professional background checks on all team members over the age of 18. Team leaders will be sent information from Baptists on Mission concerning options for this.

Length of assignment: One Week

Dates of Service: July 13-20, 2023 (camp runs July 15-20)

Cost: Travel to Wyoming, Some Food; Vehicle Rental (if flying)

RM24-003

Camp Cook Team

Casper, Wyoming

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Note: Team will be responsible for conducting professional background checks on all team members over the age of 18. Team leaders will be sent information from Baptists on Mission concerning options for this.

Length of assignment: One Week

Dates of Service: July 20-27, 2023 (camp runs July 22-27)
Cost: Travel to Wyoming, Some Food; Vehicle Rental (if flying)

CAMP MAINTENANCE

- RM24-006** **Camp Opening /Light Construction** Casper, Wyoming
Teams are needed to help get camp ready for the summer session. Tasks may include lawn maintenance, light construction, painting, cutting trees, hauling debris, cleaning various areas, and other general tasks in preparations for opening camp. Work will be indoors and outdoors. Experience working with chainsaws and other outdoor equipment would be helpful. Lodging will be available at camp for all team members. Team will be responsible for all meals while staying at camp, but can use camp kitchen for preparing their meals. Team will need to provide their own transportation
Length of assignment: One Week
Dates: June 10-17; June 17-24; June 24-July 1; OR July 1-8, 2023
Cost: Travel to Wyoming, Food, Possible Vehicle Rental
- RM24-007** **Camp Closing /Light Construction** Casper, Wyoming
A small team (4-8) is needed to help get the camp closed up and winterized. Camp director will have a list of needed tasks, which may include lawn maintenance, light construction, hauling food, broken items, and debris from the camp, cleaning, and other general cleaning tasks. Work will be indoors and outdoors, and could be chilly in September. Lodging will be available at camp for all team members. Team will be responsible for all meals while staying at camp, but can use camp kitchen for preparing their meals. Team will need to provide their own transportation
Length of assignment: One Week
Dates: September 24-October 1, 2023
Cost: Travel to Wyoming, Food, Possible Vehicle Rental

PROJECTS in NEW MEXICO:

CAMP COOK TEAMS

- RM24-010** **Camp Kitchen Team** Tajiique, New Mexico
A team of 8-12 volunteers is needed to do a variety of tasks in camp kitchen - including meal preparation, cooking, clean up, and some laundry. This is for the Spanish Family Camp. Meals will be planned and food purchased by camp director. The day begins early and is finished by around 7:00 p.m. Most days include a couple hours to rest, relax, and/or get to know the camp and campers, in between meals. Volunteers with some cooking skills and able to lift heavy pots and pans are needed. Volunteers must follow dress code of the camp. Gender specific cabins are provided for lodging. Camp provides bed linens and pillows, but team should bring towels and toiletries. Meals are provided Monday– Friday while camp is in session. Team may need to bring some food in with them (can be purchased on way in from the airport) for weekend meals (if applicable). Cabin will have refrigerator, coffee pot and microwave for snacks. Team will need to rent a vehicle to get from airport to the camp. **Note:** Team will be responsible for conducting professional background checks on all team members over the age of 18. Team leaders will be sent information from the camp director concerning this.
Length of assignment: One week (camp runs Monday-Friday)
Dates: June 2-8 , 2024 (camp is June 4-7)
Cost: Travel to New Mexico; some food; vehicle rental (if flying)
- RM24-011** **Camp Kitchen Team** Tajiique, New Mexico
A team of 8-12 volunteers is needed to do a variety of tasks in camp kitchen - including meal preparation, cooking, clean up, and some laundry. This is for the Kids Camp. Meals will be planned and food purchased by camp director. The day begins early and is finished by around 7:00 p.m. Most days include a couple hours to rest, relax, and/or get to know the camp and campers, in between meals. Volunteers with some cooking skills and able to lift heavy pots and pans are needed. Volunteers must follow dress code of the camp. Gender specific cabins are provided for lodging. Camp provides bed linens and pillows, but team should bring towels and toiletries. Meals are provided Monday– Friday while camp is in session. Team may need to bring some food in with them (can be purchased on way in from the airport) for weekend meals (if applicable). Cabin will have refrigerator, coffee pot and microwave for snacks. Team will need to rent a vehicle to get from airport to the camp. **Note:** Team will be responsible for

conducting professional background checks on all team members over the age of 18. Team leaders will be sent information from the camp director concerning this.

Length of assignment: One week (camp runs Monday-Friday)

Dates: June 8-15, 2023 (camp is June 10-14)

Cost: Travel to New Mexico; some food; vehicle rental (if flying)

RM24-012

Camp Kitchen Team

Tajique, New Mexico

A team of 8-12 volunteers is needed to do a variety of tasks in camp kitchen - including meal preparation, cooking, clean up, and some laundry. This is for the Native American Family Camp. Meals will be planned and food purchased by camp director. The day begins early and is finished by around 7:00 p.m. Most days include a couple hours to rest, relax, and/or get to know the camp and campers, in between meals. Volunteers with some cooking skills and able to lift heavy pots and pans are needed. Volunteers must follow dress code of the camp. Gender specific cabins are provided for lodging. Camp provides bed linens and pillows, but team should bring towels and toiletries. Meals are provided Monday– Friday while camp is in session. Team may need to bring some food in with them (can be purchased on way in from the airport) for weekend meals (if applicable). Cabin will have refrigerator, coffee pot and microwave for snacks. Team will need to rent a vehicle to get from airport to the camp. **Note:** Team will be responsible for conducting professional background checks on all team members over the age of 18. Team leaders will be sent information from the camp director concerning this.

Length of assignment: One week (camp runs Monday-Friday)

Dates: June 15-22, 2023 (camp is June 17-21)

Cost: Travel to New Mexico; some food; vehicle rental (if flying)

RM24-014

Camp Kitchen Team

Tajique, New Mexico

A team of 8-12 volunteers is needed to do a variety of tasks in camp kitchen - including meal preparation, cooking, clean up, and some laundry. Meals will be planned and food purchased by camp director. The day begins early and is finished by around 7:00 p.m. Most days include a couple hours to rest, relax, and/or get to know the camp and campers, in between meals. Volunteers with some cooking skills and able to lift heavy pots and pans are needed. Volunteers must follow dress code of the camp. Gender specific cabins are provided for lodging. Camp provides bed linens and pillows, but team should bring towels and toiletries. Meals are provided Monday– Friday while camp is in session. Team may need to bring some food in with them (can be purchased on way in from the airport) for weekend meals (if applicable). Cabin will have refrigerator, coffee pot and microwave for snacks. Team will need to rent a vehicle to get from airport to the camp. **Note:** Team will be responsible for conducting professional background checks on all team members over the age of 18. Team leaders will be sent information from the camp director concerning this.

Length of assignment: One week (camp runs Monday-Friday)

Dates: June 29-July 6, 2023 (camp is July 1-5)

Cost: Travel to New Mexico; some food; vehicle rental (if flying)

RM24-015

Camp Kitchen Team

Tajique, New Mexico

A team of 8-12 volunteers is needed to do a variety of tasks in camp kitchen - including meal preparation, cooking, clean up, and some laundry. This is the Children’s Music Camp. Meals will be planned and food purchased by camp director. The day begins early and is finished by around 7:00 p.m. Most days include a couple hours to rest, relax, and/or get to know the camp and campers, in between meals. Volunteers with some cooking skills and able to lift heavy pots and pans are needed. Volunteers must follow dress code of the camp. Gender specific cabins are provided for lodging. Camp provides bed linens and pillows, but team should bring towels and toiletries. Meals are provided Monday– Friday while camp is in session. Team may need to bring some food in with them (can be purchased on way in from the airport) for weekend meals (if applicable). Cabin will have refrigerator, coffee pot and microwave for snacks. Team will need to rent a vehicle to get from airport to the camp. **Note:** Team will be responsible for conducting professional background checks on all team members over the age of 18. Team leaders will be sent information from the camp director concerning this.

Length of assignment: One week (camp runs Monday-Friday)

Dates: July 13-20, 2023 (camp is July 15-19)

Cost: Travel to New Mexico; some food; vehicle rental (if flying)

RM24-016

Camp Kitchen Team

Tajique, New Mexico

A team of 8-12 volunteers is needed to do a variety of tasks in camp kitchen - including meal preparation, cooking, clean up, and some laundry. This is the Children’s Mission Camp. Meals will be planned and food purchased by camp director. The day begins early and is finished by around 7:00 p.m. Most days include a couple hours to rest, relax,

and/or get to know the camp and campers, in between meals. Volunteers with some cooking skills and able to lift heavy pots and pans are needed. Volunteers must follow dress code of the camp. Gender specific cabins are provided for lodging. Camp provides bed linens and pillows, but team should bring towels and toiletries. Meals are provided Monday– Friday while camp is in session. Team may need to bring some food in with them (can be purchased on way in from the airport) for weekend meals (if applicable). Cabin will have refrigerator, coffee pot and microwave for snacks. Team will need to rent a vehicle to get from airport to the camp. **Note:** Team will be responsible for conducting professional background checks on all team members over the age of 18. Team leaders will be sent information from the camp director concerning this.

Length of assignment: One week (camp runs Monday-Friday)

Dates: July 20-27, 2023 (camp is July 22-26)

Cost: Travel to New Mexico; some food; vehicle rental (if flying)

RM24-022

Camp Cook Team

Cloudcroft, New Mexico

A team of 8-12 volunteers is needed to do a variety of tasks in camp kitchen - including meal preparation, cooking, clean up, and some laundry. Meals will be planned and food purchased by camp director. The day begins early and is usually finished by around 7:00 p.m. Most days include a couple hours to rest, relax, and/or get to know the camp and campers, in between meals. Volunteers with some cooking skills and able to lift heavy pots and pans are needed. Volunteers must follow dress code of the camp. The camp provides hotel-type rooms for the team's lodging. Camp provides bed linens and pillows, but team should bring towels and toiletries. Meals are provided Monday– Friday while camp is in session. Team may need to bring some food in with them (can be purchased on way in from the airport) for weekend meals (if applicable). Team will need to rent a vehicle to get from airport to the camp. (El Paso is about 2 hour drive; Albuquerque about 4 hours) **Note:** Team will be responsible for conducting professional background checks on all team members over the age of 18. Team leaders will be sent information from the camp director concerning this.

Length of assignment: One week (camp runs Monday-Friday)

Dates: June 8-15 , 2024 (camp is June 10-14)

Cost: Travel to New Mexico; some food; vehicle rental (if flying)

RM24-023

Camp Cook Team

Cloudcroft, New Mexico

A team of 8-12 volunteers is needed to do a variety of tasks in camp kitchen - including meal preparation, cooking, clean up, and some laundry. Meals will be planned and food purchased by camp director. The day begins early and is usually finished by around 7:00 p.m. Most days include a couple hours to rest, relax, and/or get to know the camp and campers, in between meals. Volunteers with some cooking skills and able to lift heavy pots and pans are needed. Volunteers must follow dress code of the camp. The camp provides hotel-type rooms for the team's lodging. Camp provides bed linens and pillows, but team should bring towels and toiletries. Meals are provided Monday– Friday while camp is in session. Team may need to bring some food in with them (can be purchased on way in from the airport) for weekend meals (if applicable). Team will need to rent a vehicle to get from airport to the camp. (El Paso is about 2 hour drive; Albuquerque about 4 hours) **Note:** Team will be responsible for conducting professional background checks on all team members over the age of 18. Team leaders will be sent information from the camp director concerning this.

Length of assignment: One week (camp runs Monday-Friday)

Dates: June 15-22 , 2024 (camp is June 17-21)

Cost: Travel to New Mexico; some food; vehicle rental (if flying)

RM24-024

Camp Cook Team

Cloudcroft, New Mexico

A team of 8-12 volunteers is needed to do a variety of tasks in camp kitchen - including meal preparation, cooking, clean up, and some laundry. Meals will be planned and food purchased by camp director. The day begins early and is usually finished by around 7:00 p.m. Most days include a couple hours to rest, relax, and/or get to know the camp and campers, in between meals. Volunteers with some cooking skills and able to lift heavy pots and pans are needed. Volunteers must follow dress code of the camp. The camp provides hotel-type rooms for the team's lodging. Camp provides bed linens and pillows, but team should bring towels and toiletries. Meals are provided Monday– Friday while camp is in session. Team may need to bring some food in with them (can be purchased on way in from the airport) for weekend meals (if applicable). Team will need to rent a vehicle to get from airport to the camp. (El Paso is about 2 hour drive; Albuquerque about 4 hours) **Note:** Team will be responsible for conducting professional background checks on all team members over the age of 18. Team leaders will be sent information from the camp director concerning this.

Length of assignment: One week (camp runs Monday-Friday)

Dates: July 8-14 , 2024 (camp is July 10-13)

Cost: Travel to New Mexico; some food; vehicle rental (if flying)

CAMP MAINTENANCE

- RM24-017** **Camp Maintenance/Construction (Spring)** Tajique, New Mexico
Teams of 6-12 volunteers are needed to do a variety of construction and maintenance projects at youth camp, including preparation for camp season. Requestor can give team leader a list of projects that need to be accomplished, and work up a plan that fits team member's skills. Projects may include brush removal from around camp structures, drywall repair and painting, roof repairs on camp structures, , and more. Special projects for 2023 may also include dining hall remodeling, sidewalk replacement, flooring/siding projects for the camp tabernacle, and some drainage projects. Camp will provide all materials costs. Gender specific cabins are provided for lodging. Camp provides bed linens and pillows, but team should bring towels and toiletries. Food will be provided. Team can use camp kitchen for their food preparation. Team will need to rent a vehicle to get from airport to the camp.
Length of assignment: One week
Dates: March 9-16, 2024
 March 16-23, 2024
 March 23-30, 2024
Cost: Travel to New Mexico; vehicle rental (if flying)
- RM24-018** **Camp Maintenance/Construction (Fall)** Tajique, New Mexico
Teams of 6-12 volunteers are needed to do a variety of construction and maintenance projects at youth camp, including winterization of the camp. Requestor can give team leader a list of projects that need to be accomplished, and work up a plan that fits team member's skills. Projects could include brush removal from around camp, roof repairs on camp structures, , and more. Camp will provide all materials costs. Gender specific cabins are provided for lodging. Camp provides bed linens and pillows, but team should bring towels and toiletries. Food will be provided. Team can use camp kitchen for food preparation. Team will need to rent a vehicle to get from airport to the camp.
Length of assignment: One week
Dates: October 26-November 2, 2024
 November 2-9, 2024
Cost: Travel to New Mexico; vehicle rental (if flying)
- RM24-025** **Camp Maintenance/Construction (Spring)** Cloudcroft, New Mexico
Teams of 6-12 volunteers are needed to do a variety of construction and maintenance projects at youth camp, including preparation for camp season. Requestor can give team leader a list of projects that need to be accomplished, and work up a plan that fits team member's skills. Projects may include brush removal from around camp structures, drywall repair and painting, roof repairs on camp structures, , and more. Camp will provide all materials costs. The camp provides hotel-type rooms for the team's lodging. Camp provides bed linens and pillows, but team should bring towels and toiletries. Meals are provided Monday– Friday while camp is in session. Team may need to bring some food in with them (can be purchased on way in from the airport) for weekend meals (if applicable). Team will need to rent a vehicle to get from airport to the camp. (El Paso is about 2 hour drive; Albuquerque about 4 hours)
Length of assignment: One week
Dates: March-May 2024
Cost: Travel to New Mexico; vehicle rental (if flying)
- RM24-026** **Camp Maintenance/Construction (Fall)** Cloudcroft, New Mexico
Teams of 6-12 volunteers are needed to do a variety of construction and maintenance projects at youth camp, including winterization of the camp. Requestor can give team leader a list of projects that need to be accomplished, and work up a plan that fits team member's skills. Projects could include brush removal from around camp, roof repairs on camp structures, , and more. Camp will provide all materials costs. The camp provides hotel-type rooms for the team's lodging. Camp provides bed linens and pillows, but team should bring towels and toiletries. Meals are provided Monday– Friday while camp is in session. Team may need to bring some food in with them (can be purchased on way in from the airport) for weekend meals (if applicable). Team will need to rent a vehicle to get from airport to the camp. (El Paso is about 2 hour drive; Albuquerque about 4 hours)
Length of assignment: One week
Dates: August or September 2024

Cost: Travel to New Mexico; vehicle rental (if flying)

CONSTRUCTION / LANDSCAPING

RM24-021

Landscaping at Children's Home

Estancia, New Mexico

A team is needed to help with landscaping around a new facility building that looks quite "institutional". The desire is to make the outside look more inviting and "homey" to children who have been neglected and possibly abused. Will need those with skill and experience. Would be great if one team member can operate a tractor. All equipment and materials will be provided by Children's Home (donations welcomed!). If team flies, they can be picked up at the airport, and a van provided for their use for the week. Team lodging is available at a church building on-site, which has bathrooms, showers, and a kitchen that the team can use to prepare their meals.

Length of assignment: One Week

Dates: Spring or Summer 2024 (Requestor will schedule)

Cost: Travel to New Mexico; team meals