

WHAT SHOULD I WEAR?
We provide an event t-shirt to all participants. Wear whatever you are comfortable in to be working outside (& possibly painting.)

## CAN I GET PROOF OF MY SERVICE HOURS?

We can provide you with a certificate for your hours and/or send confirmation to students' National Honor Society advisors or other service hour affiliations. The entire event includes 15-16 hours.

#### HOW DO I SIGN UP?

Volunteers can register through the link on our webpage with the Warren County Habitat for Humanity website: https://habitatnwnj.org/programs/hope-

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Adults will be contacted for background check information.

# HAVE MORE QUESTIONS? Please email us at

hopeinthehillsvolunteers@gmail.com

Or call the Habitat Office 908-835-1300 ext. 10



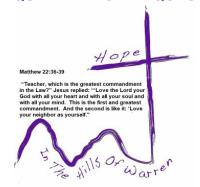
Seeking to put God's love into action, Hope in the Hills of Warren brings youth and adults together to restore homes, community, and hope.

Hope in the Hills of Warren is a community extension of



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## HOPE IN THE HILLS OF WARREN FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS:



## WHO & WHAT IS HOPE IN THE HILLS?

We are a group of volunteers who work throughout the year to organize a weekend event to assist local elderly, disabled, & or low-income homeowners with tasks at their homes. Our main focus is not the work, however, it is the relationships & hope which grow from this event.



WHY DO YOU NEED VOLUNTEERS? We typically receive over 40 applications from homeowners and will need a good number of volunteers to put together adequate teams to be able to complete the tasks.

#### WHO CAN VOLUNTEER?

Volunteers must be 14 or older.

## DO I NEED TO KNOW HOW TO FIX THINGS?

If you are a fixer, that is great! If you are looking to do tasks needing no skills, we have work for you, too!



### WHAT IS THE WORK & HOW DOES THE WORK GET DONE?

Teams of two adults and a few youth members will complete projects for elderly, disabled, and low-income homeowners in Franklin Township, Mansfield Township, Oxford, Washington Borough, and Washington Township. Adult crew leaders transport their crew to each site. On Friday night, you will learn about the tasks at your weekend site. Typical projects include step repair / handrails, minor porch / deck repair, weatherization/caulking, small painting jobs, trimming/gardening, window washing, gutter cleaning, changing smoke detector batteries/lightbulbs.

### DO PEOPLE REALLY DO THIS STUFF?

Yes! Hope in the Hills of Warren has been in service to our community for over 15 years! We are a community extension of Warren County Habitat for Humanity & in 14 years, 450 crews have been sent out to over 270 homes. We provided over 30,750 volunteer work hours – not counting planning and preparations. During this time, we have provided \$64,500 in materials at no cost to homeowners.



WHAT DO I NEED TO BRING? If you have tools you prefer to use, bring them, otherwise we will have what you need. You will also need to bring a lunch with you on Saturday.

WHERE DOES ALL THIS HAPPEN? Our "home base" is St Luke's Lutheran Church, located at 214 Rt 31, Washington, NJ. We start & end each day there & travel to local home sites. WHAT IS THE SCHEDULE?
Annually, 1 weekend in May
Friday – 6:30 PM – 8:30 PM
Dinner and orientation
Saturday – 7:30 AM – 4:30 PM
Light breakfast and Workday
Sunday – 12:30 PM – 5:00 PM Workday

WHAT IF I HAVE A SCHEDULING CONFLICT FOR THE WEEKEND? Please email us at <a href="mailto:hopeinthehillsvolunteers@gmail.com">hopeinthehillsvolunteers@gmail.com</a> and we can note your scheduling needs when we build our crews.

## DO I NEED TO BE A CHURCH MEMBER?

No, while we share God sightings throughout our weekend & have a Bible based theme, all are welcome. We have a strong history of serving together, no matter what our backgrounds.



WHEN DO WE EAT??
Hope in the Hills of Warren provides
Friday dinner, Saturday light breakfast,
snacks, and water. Volunteers are
asked to bring a brown bag lunch on
Saturday.