

HABITAT FOR HUMANITY: LAFAYETTE

Overview: Habitat for Humanity is dedicated to eliminating substandard housing locally and worldwide through constructing, rehabilitating and preserving homes; by advocating for fair and just housing policies; and by providing training and access to resources to help families improve their shelter conditions. Habitat for Humanity was founded on the conviction that every man, woman and child should have a simple, durable place to live in dignity and safety, and that decent shelter in decent communities should be a matter of conscience and action for all.

Day-to-day: The group will be working from 9 am to 4:30 pm at the site on building one or two sites. Activities could include putting up siding, doing woodwork on the house, working on interior building, etc. The group could be split into smaller groups for the week and each group would have a specific task. These tasks include working with power tools and saws. All volunteers are welcome with different skill levels.

The Nitty-Gritty Details: The group will be staying in a previously built Habitat house near the build site.

Lunch will be provided daily and dinner will be provided one night. Breakfast and dinner is the participants' responsibility. Small budget will be given to the group to buy groceries.



SPECIFICATIONS

Location: Lafayette, LA

Price: \$340

Trip Price includes:

- Transportation
- Housing
- Some meals
- Tools/supplies needed for service

Transportation: Participants will travel by a 50 person charter bus and rent vehicles while in Lafayette.

Housing: On-Site Volunteer House.

Meals: Some included

Social Justice Issue: Homelessness, Poverty

Physicality Level: Medium- Volunteering may include woodwork, interior building, working with power tools, etc.

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