

Yes, I want to be part of the 2019 Volunteers In Mission Team

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: (Home) _____

Phone: (Cell) _____

E-mail: _____

T-shirt size: _____

I will be part of : (Check all that apply)

Team 1 October 13—18

Team 2 October 20—25

I will be staying in:

The dorm

An RV

A Motel

If driving, do you have room to take
others? How many _____

Please put comments regarding any special needs on a
separate piece of paper.

Please detach and mail to:

Diane Jackson
1986 Brush Creek Road
Santa Rosa, CA 95404



Q & A:

What do we estimate it will cost?

Most of us will be driving our own vehicles, and car-pooling is always a possibility.

Team cost per person includes \$50 one time fee (shirts, team supplies, etc.); then food is \$50 per week and dorm housing is \$100 a week per person; RV parking with full hook-ups is \$215 a week per RV. There are several motels in the \$80 per night range.

**The final day for sign-ups
and a deposit of \$75
per person is
Due by September 10.**

**It may be paid earlier by
sending to Diane Jackson.**



For a personal contact, call or e-mail:

Diane Jackson

707-539-9311

Djack8895@prodigy.net

Volunteers In Mission
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Santa Rosa, CA 95405

Church Web Site:

fumcsantarosa.org

E-mail: office@fumcsantarosa.org

Go to the fumcsantarosa.org web site and write "VIM" in the search box. See photos of our past disaster response team trips. Mississippi, Nevada, Iowa, Texas, Indiana, New Jersey, Colorado & California. Each has been a recipient of our labors and we have been recipients of their love and gratitude.



 Disaster Recovery Ministry
Volunteers In Mission
First United Methodist Church
Santa Rosa, California

Fire Rebuilding in Redding



Our annual week-long VIM trips will travel to Redding this year. We are coordinating teams for two dates:

Sunday, Oct. 13 to Friday, Oct. 18
and/or

Sunday, Oct. 20 to Friday, Oct. 25

Our efforts can be a major part of rebuilding family lives by putting them back in a safe, sanitary and secure home where they belong.

**Coordinating volunteers from
various denominations who are
willing to work as Gods'
hands and feet in the world.**

The Carr Fire

The Carr Fire burned 229,651 acres (359 square miles) in Shasta and Trinity Counties starting on July 23, 2018. At least 1,604 structures were destroyed, including 1,077 homes, while damaging 277 others. Eight people died in the fire, including 3 firefighters.

The fire jumped the Sacramento River, making its way into the city of Redding. Over 38,000 people were initially evacuated from the encroaching flames.

The fire started when a flat tire on a vehicle caused the wheel's rim to scrape on the asphalt, creating sparks that set off the fire.



We will be working for the Hope City Response Network



Hope Crisis Response Network
Founder Kevin Cox



Q & A

Where will we stay?

We may stay in unused dorm rooms at Simpson Bible College, unless you choose to rent a motel room or bring an RV.

Where will we eat?

A local church may be used for cooking and meetings.

Who can come?: Anyone over 16 years of age, plus youth 12 and up may work if accompanied by a parent. If you know the difference between a hammer and a potato peeler, we have work for you. You do not need to be a skilled tradesman. Although there are some tasks in any construction project that may be strenuous or require a specialized skill, the majority can be accomplished by anyone. Chores will be broken down into manageable tasks and we can show you what you need to know. We work as a team, utilizing all the various skills and gifts we bring. We hope you will join us for this exciting "hands-on" ministry!

The need is great and you can make a difference!

Where do you fit in?

**Prayer,
Payer,
Player?**

Perhaps all three!

Do I need to be a Methodist? No, we aren't all Methodists, but you should be a person of faith, willing to work for the glory of God and able to subscribe to the slogan "*It's not about me!*"

What kind of work will we do?

Our specific tasks will not be assigned until we arrive, as we will most likely continue whatever the preceding team was doing. We are willing to perform almost anything,, including framing, roofing, hanging sheetrock, installing flooring, mudding, painting, carpentry, and some minor plumbing and electrical work.

What tools do I need to bring?

Everyone needs to bring their personal hand tools. Be sure to mark them as they all look the same! If you have larger tools and power equipment you are encouraged to bring them as well.

Is it all work and no play?

A lot of work, a little play, but the feeling that you take with you from helping others is better than you might believe! We will arrange something special during the weekend between teams.

(More Q&A on the reverse)