

## **Additional information shared at the Sunday, June 28<sup>th</sup> Meeting**

NOTE: ELC Youth should plan to pick up their t-shirts on Sunday, July 12<sup>th</sup> after the 10am service. All other youth and their fearless leaders should make arrangements with me to pick them up on Sunday the 12<sup>th</sup> or Monday the 13<sup>th</sup>. If the last shipment comes in before Friday the 10<sup>th</sup>, I'll let you know.

Tuesday, July 14<sup>th</sup>, you need to arrive to the ELC parking lot so that goodbyes have been said and luggage has been loaded by 6am! You should be wearing your Thrivent black/gray/red t-shirt. If you do not have one of these, contact me immediately.

Pack as if you're heading to the airport – your backpack can be taken on the bus along with a pillow, your luggage will stow underneath the bus and not be accessible until we check in at our hotel in Detroit.

### Packing list:

- Tie dyed shirt, orange Rise-Up shirt, purple Synod shirt, teal Rise-Up shirt, RED Badgers/Viking shirt that says WISCONSIN on it.
- A pair of shoes you'll wear and a spare pair – both should be well worn in (not new) – that cover your heel and your toes. Crocs that have a flip down heel are not acceptable, but Crocs that have a permanently placed heel are acceptable. Tennis shoes is preferable. You may bring flip flop type shoes for use IN the hotel and around the pool.
- Shorts for each day plus a pair of pants (jeans or sweats) that you can put on if you get chilly. It is completely acceptable for you to pack one pair plus some Febreeze to freshen them up!
- A sweatshirt or two
- Rain gear – we'll be walking a lot – rain or shine! No umbrellas.
- Dirty clothes bag.
- Any medications you need.
- A backpack with comfortable straps
- A writing utensil and notebook or journal
- \$ for meals, purchases from Old Lutheran, offerings/donations
- Appropriate sleepwear
- Bathing suit (remember the covenant's dress code)
- Sunscreen, sunglasses, (hat optional), bug spray
- A refillable water bottle
- A positive attitude of gratitude and service
- Wifi enabled device with headphones
- Camera (yes your phone is an acceptable choice for taking photos)

Every day you should bring your water bottle, Bible and backpack. Here's some hints for other days.

- Tuesday – bring snacks for the bus ride and money for lunch along the way as well as for dinner at Pegasus that evening.
- Wednesday – bring money for lunch, snacks for the bus (we'll have "our" bus to chauffeur us around on Wednesday), money to donate at The Heidelberg Project if desired, shopping \$
- Thursday – work gloves, money for dinner if you're from ELC
- Friday – money for lunch
- Saturday – money for lunch, money for dinner if you're not from ELC. Be sure your cell phone is charging tonight for the trip home on Sunday.
- Sunday everything gets packed, but bring \$ for offering at church and dinner on the road.