



## **UPCaM's 2020 SPRING BREAK MISSION TRIP**

***This March 7-12, 2020 join in an UPCaM-sponsored Mission Trip to Detroit, Michigan!  
We'll be serving at Rippling Hope, in Detroit....leaving Saturday morning,  
returning to Cleveland on Thursday evening just after dinnertime.***

***What will our mission trip be like?*** We'll be staying at the Rippling Hope Center where there is dorm style accommodations, bathrooms with showers and also their workshop. Meals will be provided at the site; however, you will need to bring sleeping stuff, towels, pillows, etc. If you need a sleeping bag and/or camping mattress – we have loaners, please don't buy one, just let Shelley know. We'll be driving to and around Detroit in a rented van – driven by Shelley or an UPCaM volunteer.

***What type of service projects?*** Winter service projects in Detroit look like indoor painting in various neighborhoods, building handrails for homeowners, and Little Libraries -- building, designing and painting several for a few of Rippling Hope's friends in 67 neighborhoods. Along the way we'll learn about Detroit – past, present and future. We'll likely rotate through some different projects morning and afternoon, and on Sunday, March 8, we're inviting to worship with a nearby UCC congregation.

***What will the trip cost?*** Thanks to a grant UPCaM received from a Lutheran Church in Akron the programming costs are covered. Each person participating will need to cover a portion of transportation. We've set this "travel fee" at \$99, due on or before February 21. Each participating will need to cost the following costs: Saturday lunch, Thursday dinner, and an evening meal out in Detroit. Fees can be paid to UPCaM in cash, by check made payable to UPCaM or via Paypal at [upcam.org](http://upcam.org).

*We never want finances to be the reason a student opts out and doesn't participate in UPCaM programs.  
There are scholarships to cover or subsidize this "travel fee." Payment plans are also available.  
Talk with Shelley to learn more about these options if you need them.*

***Who's invited?*** Students from all three of UPCaM's college systems – Tri-C Metro, Cleveland State and Case Western Reserve. We can accommodate up to 13 students so please invite your friends and classmates to enjoy this adventure! Guiding the trip will be Rippling Hope's Direct Rev. Carl, UPCaM's Executive Director Rev. Shelley Nelson-Bridger and friend of UPCaM, Walt Tomford! Walt is a retired doctor, avid UPCaM Grillmaster and member of Peace Lutheran Church in Cleveland Heights.

### **DEADLINES:**

**Please Register by January 31, to Shelley Nelson-Bridger ([san57@case.edu](mailto:san57@case.edu) or [office@upcam.org](mailto:office@upcam.org))**

**Travel Fee & Forms Due on/before February 21, 2020.**

**FOR MORE DETAILS, CHECK OUT: [ripplinghope.org](http://ripplinghope.org) | [upcam.org](http://upcam.org)**