# Weekend of the Cross 2016

# **Homeowner Application**



What is Weekend of the Cross?

\*\*You MUST own your home to be eligible\*\*

Name of applicant:

Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to owner

#### Address: Weekend of the Cross is an event coordinated through the City: Zip: Monroe District of the United Methodist Church. About 120 Phone number(s): (home) \_\_\_\_\_ (cell) \_\_\_\_\_ teenagers (accompanied by adults) will be working on houses in the Neighborhood: Lincoln Parish area for two days. Would you like for your house to How long have you owned your home? be considered? When is Weekend of the Cross? Names, ages and relationship to owner of all people who live with you:

Name

July 29-30, 2016 9 am to 4 pm

Friday & Saturday

Do I have to be home during those days to be considered for Weekend of the Cross? <u>Yes!</u>

It is very important to the volunteers that they are able to spend time with the homeowner and their family. We ask that you be home at least one of these days.

# What can Weekend of the Cross do for my house?

Because we will only be working two days, the project must not be too large. We will <u>only</u> be able to work on the outside of homes — <u>no interior work</u>. We can paint the exterior, add or repair wheelchair ramps or replace deteriorating porches, general yard work and power washing. We will supply all materials.

Questions? Call 318-251-0750

Annual household income:	Occupation:	
(Annual is how much money you mak	xe in a year.)	

Age

Please list any financial assistance you receive (Social Security, Welfare, etc.):

Please list any disabilities or illnesses you or any members of your household have:

What work does your house need? (You may circle more than one.)

Exterior Painting Wheelchair Ramp Construction/Repair Porch Repair

Power Washing Yard Clean Up

Who told you about this application? (circle one)

My church: \_\_\_\_\_\_

Council on Aging HELP Agency

Other:

Please return this application no later than March 1, 2016 to: TUMC 1000 Woodward Ave. Ruston, LA 71270

You will receive written notification in the mail by June 1, 2016 regarding your acceptance.

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## Homeowner Information

## \*\*Please keep this page\*\*

#### What is Weekend of the Cross?

Weekend of the Cross is an event coordinated through the Monroe District of the United Methodist Church. About 120 teenagers (accompanied by adults) will be working on houses in the Lincoln Parish area for two days. Would you like for your house to be considered? This is the 16th year for Weekend of the Cross in the Lincoln Parish area!! Go to www.wocruston.org to check out our website!

#### When is Weekend of the Cross?

The volunteers will be working on homes Friday and Saturday, July 29-30, 2016 from 9 am to 4 pm

## Do I have to be home during those days to be considered for Weekend of the Cross? Yes!

It is very important to the volunteers that they are able to spend time with the homeowner and their family. We ask that you be home at least one of these days. If you cannot be home both days, please call the church office at 318-251-0750 to let us know.

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### What happens if my home is selected?

Someone from the team will come out to your home, evaluate your request, and take pictures of the project. Your information will then be passed on to one of our Construction Coordinators who will finalize the plans for your project. Your Coordinator will call you before he comes to visit. Following that, we will give pictures of your house to the Team Leader (an adult that will be in charge of the work team). If possible, they will come by to meet you before the weekend. Everyone who comes to your home will identify themselves as a volunteer with Weekend of the Cross. They will not need to come into your house if you don't want them to.

### What if I would like to do something for the team that is working those two days?

Many of our homeowners enjoy spending time with the volunteers. That is all that we ask of you, just a little time. However, sometimes homeowners want to do something special for their teams. Some examples would be to make lemonade, cookies, popsicles, or write them a note. We are just thankful for the blessing of serving Jesus Christ and getting to know you and your family. If you have children or grandchildren, we encourage them to play with the teenagers. Some of our volunteers' best memories are playing and working with a homeowner's grandchildren or children. If possible, we would appreciate you making your bathroom available if a volunteer needs to us it.

#### I have a neighbor that owns their home and needs some help. Where can they find more information?

Tell them to go to www.wocruston.org and print out a Homeowner's Application, or make a copy of yours.

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