**A MISSION TRIP:**

**CHURCH WORLD SERVICE DISASTER CENTER & HEIFER INTERNATIONAL IN LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS**



**Members of the Illinois Conference UCC and Illinois-Wisconsin Region DOC are invited to be part of a "hands on" mission experience at the Church World Service Disaster Center in Little Rock, Arkansas, November 4 – 11, 2017. We'll take with us Disaster Cleanup Buckets, school kits, health kits and items for assembly of kits collected by local churches at Fall Association meetings and at drop off points in the DOC Region. Also included will be additional "hands on" experiences at agencies related to the UCC & DOC churches in Little Rock such as a community crisis center, food bank/pantries and Habitat, etc.**

**A sixth load of completed buckets (100), empty buckets (about 400) and miscellaneous items for assembling buckets, school kits and health kits were delivered last fall to the Church World Service Center by a team of fourteen persons from Illinois churches. While in Little Rock they spent three days assembling buckets, school kits and health kits and an environmental project. They also visited nearby Heifer Ranch, Heifer International Headquarters and sorted food at the Arkansas Food Bank.**

**DETAILS: Plans are to leave by bus at 8:00 am from St. John UCC, Lincoln, on Saturday, November 4th and return on Saturday, November 11h. Work projects and mission experiences, side trips and fun will fill Sunday through Friday. Housing will be in The Lodge at Ferncliff Camp which will provide meals Sunday through Friday. The CWS Center is housed at Ferncliff. Meals while travelling will be the responsibility of each person.**

**The cost for travel, housing and meals is $390.**

**For more information please contact:**

**Dave Kniker at 309-853-7814 or dfkniker@gmail.com**

**Please encourage your local church to collect disaster, health & school kit items beginning now – and take the collected items to your Fall Association meeting or designated drop off points in the Disciples Region.**

**Information on clean-up, school, & health kits is found at: www.cwsglobal.org**

# Church World Service Disaster Center Mission Trip

## Saturday, November 4 - Saturday, November 11, 2017

**Organized by the Western Association Disaster Response Team –**
**For members/friends of Illinois-Wisconsin Region, (Disciples) and Illinois Conference, UCC**

## $390.00 – includes housing, meals & travel

## Registration Form

## Use a separate form for each individual

**Name** _____

**Street Address** _____

**City/State/Zip** _____

**Local Church/City** _____

**Contact Phone** _____ **E-Mail** _____

**Each participant will be asked to bring work and casual clothes, necessary information for medical/accident coverage, personal items, bedding & pillow.**
**Any balance of fees paid by participants after all expenses are paid will be given as a contribution to Church World Service Disaster Ministries.**
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**Signature** _____

**Deposit - $50.00 – Balance to be paid by October 15, 2017. Deposit refunded for cancellation by October 15th. Expenses for the trip will be paid from participant fees.**
**Send registration form to: Rev. David F. Kniker, 121 McKinley Ave., Kewanee, Il 61443-2823**
**Include deposit check payable to: Illinois Conference, UCC OR pay online at: www.ilucc.org**
**Click on "Donate Now", select "General Contribution" and "Other". Enter payment amount, specify "Little Rock Mission" and click "Submit". Print two copies of your receipt and send one with the registration form. Final payment can be made by check payable to: Illinois Conference, UCC OR online as noted above. Send final check or copy of receipt to: Rev. David F. Kniker, 121 McKinley Ave., Kewanee, IL 61443-2823 by October 15th.**

**Confirmation will be sent upon receipt of registration. Other information will be sent by e-mail as plans develop.**