

# Mission: Chicago 2019

## Quick Info

**Dates:** Sunday, July 14, 7AM - Sunday, July 21, ~5PM

**Cost: \$450**

- **Early Bird:** \$400 for signing up by May 15
- \$50 deposit to reserve your spot
- Remaining balance due by July 14
  - **Limited scholarships are available. Don't let cost hold you back.**

### What You Get:

- Transportation
- Lodging
- All non-traveling meals (bring spending cash for road stops)
- Extracurricular activities (Museum of Science & Industry, Deep Dish Pizza)
- Trip T-Shirt

### Where We Stay:

- Jesus People USA: <http://jpusa.org>

### Contacts:

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### Quick Schedule:

- Meet at MPCC - Sunday, July 15, at 7AM
- Return to MPCC - Sunday, July 21, approximately 5PM

### Trip Information:

When Jesus was reunited with Peter, He asked Peter three times if he loved Him. Every time Peter said yes Jesus replied, then feed my sheep. For each of us, as we grow in our love for Jesus, we must take His command to care for the people around us. Join studentLife in Chicago this Summer as we ask the question; what does it mean to feed Jesus' sheep? We'll be partnering with Jesus People USA (JPUSA) for the week as we enjoy the community they've built as well as take part in the many ministries they partner with in the community. Over the course of the week students will have the opportunity to serve in the kitchen at a shelter, sort through donations, as well as help to facilitate the operation of a food pantry. We'll also make time for fun! We'll spend some time downtown, we'll have the opportunity to enjoy some great deep dish pizza, and we'll spend an afternoon at the Museum of Science and Industry. Join us for an amazing week of community, fun, and service as we seek to love God and love people!

# The Daily Details for 2019

## **Sunday**

Meet at MPCC at 7AM  
Arrive in Chicago at 2pm  
Settle into houses  
Lincoln Park Zoo  
Evening Programming

## **Monday (Tentative)**

Team Building Exercise  
Intro & Serving at Free Store  
Tour of JPUSA  
Volleyball/Beach Free Time  
Evening Programming

## **Tuesday (Tentative)**

Morning Worship with JPUSA  
Service Projects  
Tour of Wilson Abbey  
Game Night  
Evening Programming

## **Wednesday (Tentative)**

Serving at Food Pantry/Free Store  
Campfire Worship  
Evening Programming

## **Thursday (Tentative)**

Morning Worship with JPUSA  
Service Projects  
Dodgeball  
Evening Programming

## **Friday (Tentative)**

Morning Devos  
Chicago Sightseeing  
Deep Dish Pizza  
Museum of Science & Industry

## **Saturday (Tentative)**

JPUSA Testimonies  
Serving at Food Pantry  
Evening Programming

## **Sunday**

Church  
Leave at 11  
Arrive at MPCC ~5pm

# **The Pack List for 2019**

## **What to Bring:**

- **JPUSA Waiver**
- **One** reasonably sized duffle bag / suitcase
- **One** day bag (i.e. backpack/pull string bag)
- Enough clothes for the week, include casual comfortable clothes & work clothes, we may be painting.
- Comfy Shoes, closed toe shoes for work
- Comfy / appropriate pajamas (no booty shorts, etc.)
- Swim Suit (family deemed appropriate)
- Pillow & Sleeping Bag or Sheets & Blanket
- Bible
- Notebook / journal
- Pen / pencil
- Water bottle
- Sunscreen
- Snacks
- Cards/games or other small group activities
- **Toiletries!!**
  - Towel
  - Washcloth
  - Soap
  - Shampoo
  - Deodorant
  - Toothbrush
  - Toothpaste
- Spending Money (total of \$40-\$200 should be enough depending on your spending habits and what you'd like to do in Chicago)
  - Two fast food stops on the way to and from Chicago
  - Shopping downtown and souvenir money
  - We may go out for meals/snacks depending on time

## **What NOT to Bring:**

- Anything you would be devastated to lose.

## Last Minute Thoughts

1. This year's focus will be on Jesus' command to Peter to feed His sheep. We'll be asking ourselves what he meant and engaging by seeing how we can serve those around us.
2. You will be assigned to a "family" that consists of several students and an adult leader. These families will be your team for the week. You will work together, serve together and pray together.
3. Yes, you can invite a friend if you want.
4. You need some spending money for the week. 2 fast food stops, shopping downtown & at the museum, and you may want some spending cash for excursions, snacks and shopping. Most people could get along just fine with \$20 for the meals, but anything beyond that is up to you.
5. Final Checklist...
  - ☐ Balance covered (\$450)
  - ☐ Pack List
  - ☐ JPUSA Waiver
  - ☐ Calendar set
    - Final payment due July 14
    - Meet Sunday Morning
    - Return Friday ~5 PM

### Where We Stay:

- JPUSA | 920 W. Wilson Ave | Chicago, IL 60640

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