



At the Water's Edge

**Junior High Servant Event
July 21 - 26, 2019**

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church
Virginia Beach, VA

At the Water's Edge is a week-long servant event for Youth who have just **completed the 6th, 7th, or 8th grade**, and their adult advisors. We spend the week together experiencing the Christian life through worship, fellowship, fun and service. And of course, being in Virginia Beach, we also spend some time *at the water's edge*.

Join Us This Summer!

At the Water's Edge is the perfect opportunity to grow together in faith and to deepen your relationships with other Lutheran youth from across the Virginia Synod.



What Types of Things Do We Do?

We **Walk** and **Talk** with people who are engaged in working with people experiencing homelessness and poverty so that we might better understand what it's like to be homeless and how people get trapped in situations they never dreamed could happen to them. And then we **Serve** those who are in need through local agencies like People In Need Ministries, and ForKids!

We **Learn** about how individuals, churches and communities can work together to fight hunger, while actually helping to feed people through our regional Food Bank. We participate in interactive simulations to better understand the inequalities that are present in our world. Sometimes we also assist in a local **thrift store**, or help out in other ways. We also **Worship** and **Pray, Play** and **Sing, Laugh** and **Grow** closer to one another and to Christ through our experiences together. Oh, and did we mention the beach?

Where Do We Stay?

We are hosted by **Good Shepherd Lutheran** Church in Virginia Beach. We “camp out” each evening on their Fellowship Hall floor, preparing meals together as a community in the church kitchen. We shower daily at the Princess Anne Recreation Center in Virginia Beach.

How to Register For An Awesome Week

The **all-inclusive** cost for the week is only \$110.00 per person (includes meals, tools and supplies, any evening activities, and a T-shirt). Participants first sign up online. You may either pay then or choose to pay your registration fee to your home congregation and have them bring a single check. A complete packing list and permission slip, along with more information will be mailed out as we get closer to the event.



See below for registration instructions. Each church group is responsible for providing their own transportation and enough adult leaders to care for their group during the week. For any questions concerning the JHSE or registration, please contact Pastor Cathy Mims at (757) 625-1953 or at: cmims@flcnorfolk.com.

Registration Instructions

1. Go to the following link: <https://tithe.ly/event-registration/#/632658>
2. Choose your payment option. **ADULT LEADERS** - Your registration is covered (you pay \$0). Thank you!
3. Complete your Registration
4. A Permission Slip / Medical Release Form along with a detailed packing list and event Expectations will be emailed to you upon registration.
5. Complete the Permission Slip / Medical Release and return to your adult leader with any payment. Ask your pastor/adult leader for details.
6. Register early - space is limited!

When Does the Event Begin & End?

Check-in begins Sunday night July 21 @ 6:00 pm

Departure is Friday, July 26 @ 9:30 am