

Newsong Men's Fellowship & Fishing Trip

This trip is not just for those who want to fish.

This will be a great trip for men and boys to fellowship and experience the heart of God by getting closer to Jesus and each other. It is open to all men and boys who want to go on an adventure to the Ocean.

DESTINATION?

Port O'Conner, Texas

Known as one of the best coastal fishing destinations in the United States. Surrounded by bay areas and Ocean passages, Port O'Conner Texas is a fisherman's dream.

Check out the Town's Facebook page:

https://www.facebook.com/pages/category/Sports---Recreation/Port-OConnor-Fishing-News-178575103539/















WHO CAN GO?

Men 18 years of age and up. And boys ages 12 to 17.

Ages 12-17 must be accompanied by a guardian that is 21 years of age or older.



DEPARTURE?

6 AM on Thursday, October 22nd, 2020

RETURN?

Return to Newsong Church in Centerton:

8 pm Monday, October 26th, 2020

NOTICE!

If you must be back by Sunday, October 25th we can return by Midnight on Sunday Night. Please notify Pastor CJ Brummett privately if you would not be able to go if not back before Monday.

COST?

No fee will be collected. You will need to be prepared to pay for your meals, fishing licenses, and any spending money you wish to have on hand. More details below.

Signup DEADLINE: Sign up now! You must sign up no later than **Sunday, October 11**th, **2020 @ 8pm**

LODGING?

We are being hosted by: Pastor Erny McDonough, Fisherman's Chapel in Port O'Conner Texas.

Here is the church info:

https://fishermanschapel.wordpress.com/about/

Facebook:

https://www.facebook.com/FishermansChapel/

WHAT DO I NEED TO BRING?

- 1. BEDDING
 - Twin Bed bunk style bedding in church retreat center.
 - Bring your own twin size bedding and pillow.
- 2. Fishing Gear
 - (see section titled "FISHING")
- 3. Money
 - Transportation and Lodging is free. Bring money for food, fishing license, and it never hurts to have a little extra with you.
 - i. How Much? see the topics on food and fishing

TRAVEL:

We will be traveling in style in a practically new 25 passenger bus. Both the bus and fuel are being provided by Bella Vista Assembly of God Church.

FISHING

Fishing License:

Please purchase your licenses online the week before we depart*

This will save us time in purchasing them there. If you are unable to do so in advance, there will be opportunity to purchase them the first day of fishing.

Please insure you purchase OUT OF STATE LICENSES.

Here is a Link to the Texas Fishing License Site:

https://tpwd.texas.gov/regulations/outdoor-annual/licenses/purchase-requirements

Fishing Gear:

Bring your own pole and tackle. Any pole will work. There is a Walmart Supercenter just 30 minutes away that is well stocked with fishing gear if you choose to purchase gear there. We can arrange a trip to Walmart on the first day of fishing.

Where will we fish?

There are very long Jetties as well as very long Piers that offer opportunities for Reds, Shark, and all kinds of sea life. Large crabs are an easy catch as well, so you might consider a crab license.

Can we go out on boats?

If you would like to go out bay fishing it has been proven by locals to be better results than deep sea fishing in the area. There is a separate fee for this and it must be set up well in advance. Please notify us by October 5th, 2020, if you know you will want to schedule a boat. **IT DOES REQUIRE** that there is a boat full (5 to 6 men). It is \$100.00 per person collected by the boat captain / fishing guide. Deep Sea fishing in \$1,000.00 a boat and can only hold 5 to 6 men as well.

Your chances of a catch are greater in the bay instead of deep sea. Our host Pastor in Port O'Conner highly suggests the Pier and Jetty fishing, but if you want a boat, he suggests bay fishing.



Meal Plan:

Thursday, 10/22/2020

Breakfast: - Pack your own - Bring your own on the bus

Lunch:

on the road: Fast Food

Dinner:

All you can eat shrimp and fish dinner with salad bar: \$25.00 (Plus Tip)

Friday, 10/23/2020

Breakfast:

Local Convenience Store Restaurant

Lunch:

Local Mexican Restaurant

Dinner:

All you can eat shrimp and fish dinner with salad bar: \$25.00 (plus tip)

Saturday, 10/24/2020
Breakfast:
Pastor CJ cooks at retreat center
Lunch:
Local Whataburger or restaurant of group choice
Dinner: Local Restaurant or fish fry if we catch enough.
Sunday, 10/25/2020
Breakfast:
Pastor CJ cooks at retreat center
Lunch:
Local restaurant of group choice
Dinner:
On the road fast food if we are leaving on Sunday -otherwise local restaurant
Monday, 10/26/2020 (if we stay 'Til Monday)
Breakfast:
On the road fast food Lunch:
Lunch:
On the road fast food
Dinner:
On the road fast food
A good estimate for meal costs would be \$180.00 to \$230.00 per person depending on your meal choices and tipping practices.

How can we say thank you to our host Church and Pastor who provided free lodging?

While there we will give an opportunity for all of us to collect a cash "Love Offering" for Pastor Erny McDonough. Please prayerfully consider what the Lord prompts you to give to this Pastor. He has asked for nothing in return but has worked hard to host us.

I look forward to some awesome man time with you all!

For Questions Contact:

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