



The old McGill Factory is located in downtown Marengo at 131 E. Prairie Street, one block from the intersection of routes 20 & 23. This aging downtown has suffered decline and needs help. Come be our answer to prayer.

June 16 - 20, 2014

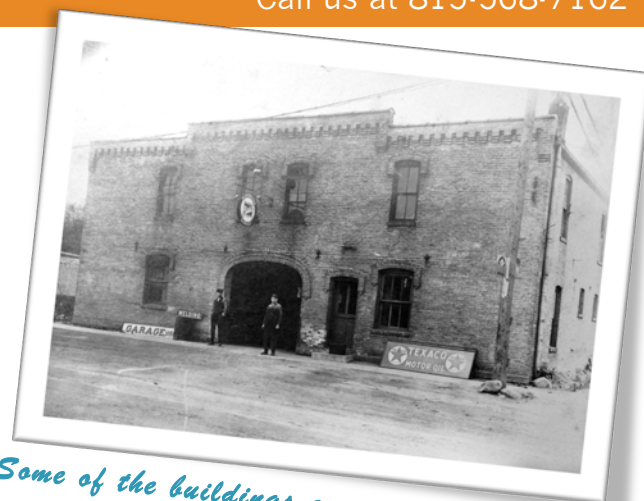
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Call us at 815-568-7162

Take a “Stay” Mission Trip

Help to repair and build a new Christian family and community center!

When the McGill Factory was slated to close in 2014, the Marengo United Methodist Church sought to purchase the parking lot. The owner of the company, however, insisted that the factory went with the parking. So, in February 2014 the church bought the 100+ year old factory. What to do with a 50,000 sq ft, broken down factory? Give it over to Christ to repair, reshape and rebuild. This is what Christ does in our lives and communities, and that is what you are invited to do this summer. Repair, reshape and rebuild a building, community and lives! It will be a week to remember.



Some of the buildings are over 100 years old.

Jr. & Sr.

This Mission Trip is open to youth who are currently in either Junior or Senior High School. Senior High youth will be eligible to be team Foremen or Forewomen. Adults will work with teams as resource personnel.

Schedule inside!

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Tools you need to Bring

EACH YOUTH SHOULD BRING:

- ☐ Safety goggles
- ☐ Work gloves
- ☐ N-95 disposable mask
- ☐ Bucket & Scrub Brush
- ☐ Small, medium & large paintbrushes
- ☐ Paint roller
- ☐ Paint roller cover
- ☐ Paint tray
- ☐ Paint scraper and/or wire brush
- ☐ Screwdriver
- ☐ Hammer
- ☐ Water Spray bottle

EACH ADULT SHOULD BRING:

- ☐ Safety goggles
- ☐ Work gloves
- ☐ N-95 disposable mask
- ☐ Bucket and Scrub Brush
- ☐ Small, medium, & large paintbrushes
- ☐ Paint roller extension handle
- ☐ Utility Knife and Chisel
- ☐ Caulking gun
- ☐ Nail bar



Bring Your Friends!

You are encouraged to invite your friends to participate. It might take a little effort, but eventually they will let go and have a great time.

While you don't have to come every day to be a part of this "Stay" mission trip; we would encourage you to explain to your coaches, employers, friends and family that you have made a commitment to spend this week serving God and the Marengo community. They will understand.

Questions? Call 815-568-7162.



We supply plenty of cold drinks!

Pack & Bring your Lunch

You are responsible for packing and transporting your lunch for the day. Snacks will be provided along with plenty of cold beverages, but you will need to bring your lunch with you and turn it over upon your arrival. Don't forget to mark your bag or container. We will refrigerate your lunch until noon.

Dinner on Friday is provided.



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ITEMS WE WILL NEED AS A GROUP:

- ☐ Boxes of rags
- ☐ Drop cloths
- ☐ Small containers for paint
- ☐ Paint bucket hooks
- ☐ 16-ft or longer extension ladders
- ☐ 8-ft stepladders

Schedule:

Monday: Evening Worship & Orientation

5:30 to 6:30 Check-in (Bring equip.)

6:30 to 7:30 Worship & Information

7:30 to 8:00 Team Building

Tuesday to Friday: Daily Schedule

9 to 9:30 am Gathering

9:30 to Noon Work

Noon to 1 pm Lunch and Devotions

1 to 3 pm Work and Clean Up

Dinner & Celebration

We will join for a dinner celebration, worship service and tour of our accomplishments on Friday evening, June 20th @ 6:00 p.m. The dinner will be free and open to members of your family.

Invite them to see what you have repaired and built over the week. Just let us know how many people you will be bringing with you.

June 20, Friday Night Lock-In
If there is sufficient interest, we will be holding a Friday to Saturday Lock-In.

Why this is such a great opportunity.

There are a number of great reasons to come to this mission trip.

- It does not involve traveling long distances.
- Sleep in your own bed.
- You can miss a day and still come on the Mission trip.
- It is a great first experience with Mission work.
- Mission trips are expensive. This is a very affordable experience.
- Also, it is not just the work. We also include devotion and worship time.

Get started by filling out a form or signing up online at Marengo-UMC.org.



Theme: Build & Repair

Jesus is always on the job. He never stops building and repairing us. He is hard at work transforming peoples' lives, including our own. But he also wants us to work as part of a crew. During this week of service, we will be focusing in our daily devotions and lessons on the way Jesus repairs and builds lives. Youth will reflect on how Jesus transforms the lives of people in the Bible and how he is repairing and building lives today. The youth will be challenged to join Christ by working to rebuild this old factory. They will also reflect upon how God is at work in their own lives.



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