



MOBILEPACK

"...for I was hungry and you gave me food..." Matthew 25:31-40

FIRST MOUNT ZION WILL PACK 200,000 meals for starving children

Set-up on Friday, October 7, 2016 at 5:00pm

On Saturday, October 8, 2016 to pack 200,000 meals

And at 4:30pm for the Clean-up shift

ON-LINE REGISTRATION OPENS MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 19th at 5pm!

Servants Needed: Fri., Oct. 7 (setup 5-7 pm) & Sat., Oct. 8 (packing 9 am – 4:30 pm)/ (cleanup 4:30-6:30 pm).

Who: **First Mount Zion Members ONLY.** Members with minor children who have not yet joined, but would like to participate, may do so as a family. Children must be at least 5 years of age to participate and a parent or legal guardian **MUST** be on site packing with them.

Shifts: There will be a total of 5 shifts broken down as follows:

- * **Setup shift:** Friday, October 7; 5-7 pm (20 slots)
– *set up shift servants must be high school age or older & able to lift up to 40lbs*
- * **Food Packing Shift 1:** Saturday, October 8; 9-11 am (266 slots)
- * **Food Packing Shift 2:** Saturday, October 8; 11:30 am – 1:30 pm (266 slots)
- * **Food Packing Shift 3:** Saturday, October 8; 2:30-4:30 pm (266 slots)
- * **Cleanup shift:** Saturday, October 8; 4:30-6:30 pm (20 slots)
– *clean up shift servants must be high school age or older & able to lift up to 40 lbs.*

NOTE: *Packing slots are standing positions. If you have physical limitations, please inform the site coordinators upon your arrival so that you can be assigned a seated position (i.e., sealing or labeling the bags). Also, NO JEWELRY. Exceptions: studs from recently pierced ears & wedding bands/rings. Those with stones must be covered with latex gloves provided onsite. Individuals using this as a school/organization service project must have their forms with them for signature. No signatures will be given after the event has ended. This event is not eligible for court ordered community service hours. SERVANTS MUST ARRIVE 15 MINUTES PRIOR TO SHIFT.*

How to Register:

1. Click on URL link below or copy it into your browser:
<http://volunteer.fmssc.org/Register/mobilepack/event.aspx?event=1610-153MI#.V9mNZtJTHr4>
2. Click on "become a volunteer."
3. Go to the bottom of the page and Click on a "reserve" button for your desired time slot.
4. If you are a **first time user you must establish an account** if returning then enter your e-mail and

password from your last Mobilepack. If you have forgotten your password please follow the prompts to recall or reset your password.

5. Follow the rest of the instructions as indicated, being sure to accept the terms as indicated.

NOTE: You will see a “group type” drop down box to register as a group. **USE THIS OPTION TO REGISTER YOUR FAMILY OR FMZ GROUP/MINISTRY.** *If you take on the responsibility of registering as a group, then you must have all the contact information for each person in your group, man that group’s registration page, ensuring that your people get all the updates; facilitating the canceling and rescheduling of people in your group who may have last minute schedule changes, conflicts, etc. IF ALL THE CONTACT INFO IS NOT COMPLETE FOR EACH SLOT IN YOUR GROUP, THEN THE OPEN SLOTS WILL BE DROPPED FROM YOUR GROUP.* It is only fair that as many people as possible have an opportunity to participate and we do not want ministry groups holding slots without the specific names of those who have agreed to participate.

How to Cancel a Reservation:

1. Use the URL given above
2. Click “log in” and enter your username and password
3. Go under **What would you like to do**, and click on “manage my reservation”
4. A list of names under your reservation will come up. Click “manage” on the spot you need to delete
5. Then select “cancel”

Reminders:

- ONLY FMZ MEMBERS CAN PARTICIPATE.
- If someone is attempting to register as a “GROUP” they must have all of the contact information for all individuals in their group or their slots will be dropped.
- **You cannot go to the Feed My Starving Children website and expect to get to our registration page. We are considered a “private event,” which is why the link is being provided to you.**
- You can find these instruction on our website. Go to www.FMZBC.com and click on the Feed My Starving Children’s slide.

HISTORY ON FEED MY STARVING CHILDREN

Founding: 1987 - Challenged by needs he’d seen on missions in Honduras, in 1982 Minnesota businessman Richard Proudfit heard God say, *“If you’ve seen my starving children, feed them.”* In early 1987 he incorporated Feed My Starving Children to develop an original meal formula. **First Shipments: 1994** - The first major shipment of meals went to a Rwanda pediatric hospital via Operation Blessing; to Haiti via Mercy Ships; to Belarus; and to Paraguay. Since 1994, FMSC has distributed food to nearly 70 countries through hundreds of embedded partners. More than 99.96% of meals have arrived safely. **First MobilePack Events: 2004** - Youth Encounter (YE) asked FMSC to bring a service experience to 300 students gathering in Kansas City. It was successful, and YE asked for more events. MobilePack was born. By 2012 FMSC was conducting 6 MobilePack events a week—172 events a year in 35 states—and producing nearly a third of FMSC’s meals. This year, 2016 will be FMZBC’s 4th year participating in the Mobilepack event which will result in more than 600,000 meals packed.

FMZBC Event Coordinators: Rev. Tracey Dawkins Holley; tholley@firstmountzionbc.org; and Renee Woolfolk; rwoolfolk@firstmountzionbc.org. If you need registration assistance, please contact us at (703) 670-0184. God bless you in advance for your service to the children of the world!



Serving to Glorify God: 1 Peter 4:11