

ASP 2023

ASP ADULT LEADER COVENANT

As an adult leader, it is my hope that the ASP experience will give our youth and me an opportunity to broaden our view of the world through experiencing it rather than observing it and to grow in our understanding of what it is to serve in the name of Christ. I covenant to:

1. Be a visible role model for our Church and youth by attending worship as regularly as possible.
2. Be sensitive to other's needs, fears, and apprehensions as I help build a supportive "community" of adult leaders.
3. Help prepare our youth in their understanding of the Appalachia culture and in acquiring the necessary construction skills by participating with them in study and construction practice sessions.
4. Participate with youth in fundraising activities.
5. Be responsible for the safety and general wellbeing of our youth during their week in Appalachia.
6. Be supportive of center staff in building community and implementing programs, rules and regulations.
7. Assist youth in processing the meaning of their ASP experience as it related to their lives in Champaign-Urbana.
8. Continue to inform and educate our congregation to the mission of ASP so that they might be a part of the experience through their prayers, spirit of concern, and support of the senior high youth's fundraising efforts.
9. Support and encourage our youth in their construction efforts, keeping focus on the fact that this is a youth mission experience and our adult concept of perfection and urgency will need to be modified at times and placed in the context of realistic expectations.

Date _____ Signature _____

Return to Mieke Blackwell along with your \$100 fee to cover your background check, ASP t-shirt and a portion of your ASP registration fee. We will also need a photocopy of your Driver's License and we may be contacting you by email about a background check.

T-Shirt Size _____