



JOURNEY ... Where to? A Refugee Camp Simulation Experience

Adult Volunteers Needed!

St. Susanna Parish is offering its parishioners an opportunity to learn about the refugee experience through a unique simulation of life in a refugee camp. This active, hands-on educational opportunity will allow participants to glimpse some of the obstacles faced by our refugee brothers and sisters fleeing from places like Bhutan, Burundi, Eritrea, Syria, and the Democratic Republic of the Congo.

**We are looking for adults willing to come and help us as volunteers.
Will you join us?**

- You will be assigned a role to play in the Refugee Camp during the simulation. The roles include tasks like border patrol, registering refugee families, and distributing food and water. Detailed instructions will be shared via email prior to the simulation.
- Following the camp simulation, there will be debriefing sessions to address participants' responses to the simulation. These sessions will be led by mental health professionals and will feature a resettled refugee sharing his/her story. Volunteers are cordially invited to join the debriefing, which includes a box lunch; however, if personal schedules conflict, volunteers may leave once the camp is cleared at approximately 11:00 am.

Volunteering is an excellent opportunity to learn about the refugee experience and understand how a simulation works. You need no special knowledge or skills ... just a willingness to enter into your role with enthusiasm!

St. Susanna Parish
616 Reading Rd, Mason
Saturday, October 19, 2019
Volunteer Check-in @ 7:45 am; Simulation runs from 9:00 am – Noon

**If you are interested in volunteering, please go to
<https://stsusanna.org/ourglobalfamily>**

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