



Fall Alternative Break
Keeping It in the Mitten
October 12-16, 2018

- 1. Children with Special Needs** **The Fowler Center, Mayville**
Assist with activities (sports, horses, crafts, etc) at a weekend long camp for children and youth (ages 6-26);
Friday afternoon– Sunday afternoon (10/12-14)
Names needed by Sept. 17 in order to complete background checks and volunteer interviews
- 2. Learn and Serve with International Peacemaker** **St. Andrews Presbyterian Church, Beulah**
Meet with Pastor Jerome Bizimana Nkumbuyinka who serves with the Presbyterian Church in Rwanda. One topic you will hear about is the continued development in Rwanda after the 1994 genocide. Service projects in the area will include food rescue/recovery and housing projects.
Saturday morning-Sunday afternoon (10/13-14)
- 3. Environmental Stewardship** **Forest Hill Nature Area**
Be helpful where help is most needed. Tasks may include spreading wood chips, clearing south woods path, and walnut removal. 2 days and 4 time slots are available to volunteer.
Saturday 10/13 – 9:00-12:00 and 1:00-4:00
Monday 10/15 – 9:00-12:00 and 12:00-2:00
- 4. Wildlife Rehabilitation** **Howell Nature Center**
Home to Michigan's largest wildlife rehabilitation clinic the nature center receives nearly 4,000 animals each year for treatment. Orphaned, injured or displaced animals are brought to the clinic in hopes to help them Heal. Grow. and Be Wild. Come make a difference for Michigan's Wildlife!
Sunday 10/14 (all day, 8:30-6:30)
- 5. Food Insecurity** **Food Bank of Greater Lansing**
Volunteer in one of their gardens in the morning (10-12) and in the warehouse in the afternoon (1-3).
Monday 10/15 (8:45-4:00)

**Please sign up by Friday October 5 so that
Alternative Breaks can make arrangements for travel and meals
(Fowler Center needs names by Sept. 17)**

Sign up for Fall Alternative Breaks through Helper Helper!

Helper Helper –volunteer management app – search, sign up, record

- Download the app for Iphone or Android or use your computer – app.helperhelper.com
- Login with your Alma email (single sign on for Alma network; no additional password needed)
- Search for Fall Alternative Breaks: sign up, check in/out and track your involvement

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