

Wolverine Volunteer Weekend Date To Be Announced

Join us for a weekend of outdoor education and spring repairs at Wolverine Camps. Lodging and meals provided. Great for non-campers! A spring date will be announced.

Zehnder's Splash Village February 19-20, 2012

Join us for a winter retreat at Zehnder's Splash Village. Mention Our Shepherd Lutheran Church for your reduced rate. Also, join us for a famous Frankenmuth Chicken Dinner or buffet dinner on Sunday night at Zehnder's Restaurant! Contact Mark for more info.

Sterling State Park, Monroe, MI June 8-10, 2012

New for 2012! Join us on beautiful Lake Erie in Monroe, MI, birthplace of Gen. Geo. Custer and home of the River Raisin National Battle Field, which will celebrate its bi-centennial in 2012. Visit the Monroe Historical Museum. Also, swim, boat, and fish! Close enough to join us for the day!

Orchard Beach State Park July 13-15, 2012

Join us on the bluffs above Lake Michigan just north of Manistee, MI. Close enough for a day trip to Michigan Dunes, a National Lakeshore, or Glen Arbor in the Leelanau Peninsula! Be sure to make your reservations early for this state park!

Lakeport State Park August 3-5, 2012

A great opportunity for families and young adults to visit Lake Huron at Lakeport State Park which is located just one hour northeast of Birmingham. Close enough to join us for swimming, sunning, and the Saturday potluck/BBQ if you cannot make it for the whole weekend.

Algonac State Park September 28-30, 2012

The last campout of the camping season as we say farewell to summer and welcome autumn. Algonac State Park is close enough for a day trip. Algonac features a shooting range and the opportunity to watch the freighters lazily float by from riverfront campsites.

Congregational Campouts 2012 "You Never Let Go" Deuteronomy 31:6



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2012 Congregational Campout Schedule

Mini Cabins, Tents, Pop-Ups, & RV's!

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<u>Dates</u>	<u>Campground</u>	<u>City</u>	<u>Theme</u>	<u>Request Sites Near</u>
Feb. 19-20, 2012 To Be Announced June 8-10, 2012	Zehnder's Splash Village Wolverine Servant Event Sterling State Park	Frankenmuth Wolverine, MI Monroe, MI	You Never Let Go A Servant's Heart Western Round-up!	Ask for the Our Shepherd Block Lodge or Camp #82-94; 143-154; 185-194; 224-232; 245-250
July 13-15, 2012 Aug. 3-5, 2012 Sept. 28-30, 2012	Orchard Beach State Park Lakeport State Park Algonac State Park	Manistee, MI Lakeport, MI Algonac, MI	Let Freedom Ring! Maritime Madness Trick or Treat! (or best available site)	#28-77; 108-136 #9-35; 143-193 # 13-58

The theme for 2012 is based on Deuteronomy 31:6 "You Never Let Go."

Who: Open to Everyone! Young Adults, Singles, Families, Couples, Seniors!

What: Congregational Campouts!

Highlights include . . .

- . . . Beautiful Lakeside Settings w/ Modern Sites, Electrical Hook-ups, and Showers
- . . . Mini-Cabins Available for non-campers
- . . . Weekend Themes - Prizes for Most Thematic Campsite & Costumes!
- . . . Campfire Devotions
- . . . Saturday Evening BBQ Potlucks
- . . . Sunday Morning Outdoor Worship
- . . . Fishing, Games, Hiking, Canoeing, Fellowship, Music, Star Gazing, Campfires, S'mores

Be sure to watch the *Notes & News*, *Caring Shepherd*, and *Shepherd's Connections* for additional activities, events, and details!