



MISSION OPPORTUNITY

*Connecting people in coastal British Columbian communities
with God's love.*

This unique mission opportunity is happening in remote communities on Vancouver Island and the central British Columbia coast. Since the *B.C. Mission Boat Society* began in 1999, we have sent short-term mission teams to over 14 First Nations communities. In 2010, our ministry involved over 120 volunteers and led numerous short-term mission trips that took place year round with individuals from all over North America.



The B.C. Mission Boat Society is currently seeking volunteers and teams for the whole year of 2011. We invite you to come experience an unforgettable week on a mission trip where you will have various opportunities like helping with Kid's Club, youth events, house visits, Bible studies, song and fellowship nights, service projects, and more. At the same time, you will have plenty of time to enjoy the splendor God created in the mountains and inlets of the magnificent West Coast. There are two different ways in which you can join us. You can be a crew member and travel on the mission boat visiting a few First Nation and coastal communities, or join a land-based team and spend an entire week in a specific First Nation community.

Land-Based Mission Trip

- Land Teams travel by vehicles, boats, and/or float planes for a 4 to 7 day mission trip into a First Nation community.
- Land teams live in accommodations in the communities.
- Teams are formed of 4-12 people. There is no minimum or maximum age, but good health and agility are required. Younger participants will need to travel with parents/guardians
- Teams receive 1 on 1 help in planning and team travel logistics.
- \$250 group administration fee. Teams are also responsible for their own travel, food, and materials for their mission trip.

Boat-Based Mission Trip

- Crew sign on for a one week mission trip. Each team is created of 4-6 crew, a crew leader and boat captain. Crew members live and travel aboard a 46 ft boat.
- In 2011, the Boat will be running weekly, Saturday to Saturday. Dates still to come
- Minimum age is 16, while there is no maximum age, good health and agility are required.
- The suggested donation is \$800/person, which includes all boat provisions, food, accommodation, mission materials and administration fees.
- Crews are responsible for their own travel arrangements and getting to Parksville, BC on the east side of Vancouver Island.

Consider supporting this ministry with prayer, resources and sponsorship.

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The B.C. Mission Boat Society is a Listed Service Organization of Lutheran Church-Canada, a member of CLAIM (Canadian Lutheran Association In Missions), and registered with ABLAZE. It has also been highlighted as a Servant Event location with Lutheran Hour Ministries. The society has charitable organization status in Canada and USA.