## Benefits of Volunteering with the Poor Handmaids of Jesus Christ Volunteer Program

## The primary benefits to PHJC Volunteers are:

- Personal growth
- Gain valuable life experience
- Challenge your own perspectives
- Stretch outside your own comfort zone
- Commitment to simple living
- Enrich your own life
- A wider worldview
- Appreciation for cultural diversity
- Service to others/ Service-learning
- Live in faith-based, intentional community
- Working for social justice
- PHJC based social network
- Room & Board
- Local transportation/mileage
- Monthly stipend
- Spiritual Direction/ Develop prayer and faith life
- Discern future life options, ambitions and goals
- Making a REAL LIFETIME IMPACT
- Intrinsic reward
- Productivity
- Professional and educational enrichment
- Resume/LinkedIn
- Increase job prospects, employability
- Stand out to employers
- Network for future career options
- Learn or strengthen a foreign language
- Develop life-long friendships

The Poor Handmaids of Jesus Christ Volunteer Program offers single, Catholic women unique opportunities in a faith-based context to live out their Baptismal call to share God's presence in the world. Partner with us today!





**PHJC Volunteers** 

Make a difference with heart!



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"I enjoyed the small group prayer times and the owl prow! I know I've become a lot closer to Jesus and this helped me with my discernment." ~ Amy Wegrzyn



"My experience with the program provided me with greater insights, both of the PHJC community and of myself. Through our time together, there was a trust and an opening of the heart - a subtle shift in my receptiveness to the Spirit. I look forward to future opportunities to engage with this program."

~ Claudia Johnson













"This felt like "heaven on earth." As I soaked in all of the nature, it truly felt like I was walking on sacred ground. It reminds me of the Transfiguration...This was a mountain top experience where I came face-to-face with the Divine..." ~ Teresa Cecil