

YOUTH EDITION

Besides sponsoring a house...

Top Ten Ways

My congregation can get involved in the work of Habitat for Humanity of the Chesapeake (HFHC)

- 10 Invite a HFHC **Speaker** (staff member, volunteer, or homeowner) to talk to your youth group or Sunday school class
- 9 Participate in **Building on Faith Weekend**- two days of work and worship to highlight all that Habitat does. Learn about Habitat and participate in service activities (October each year)
- 8 Teach kids to turn their faith into action by incorporating Habitat's mission into your **Sunday School** or using Habitat's **Vacation Bible School** curriculum.
- 7 **Bring snacks or lunch** for a HFHC construction crew and arrange to take a tour of a Habitat construction site!
- 6 Let people know about HFHC and **advocate** by making posters, passing out brochures, writing letters. *Get a Youth Toolkit* and look for ideas so you can share Habitat's work with others!
- 5 Come to our one our weekend programs like **Youth Service Saturday** (ages 5-15) or **Fit to Build** (Ages 16+) or have one of these programs brought to you!
- 4 Bring the youth in your congregation who are 16 and over to **volunteer** on a Habitat construction site as a youth group!
- 3 **Fundraise** by collecting coins, holding a carwash, hosting a dinner, or any other unique idea to raise money. *Get a Youth Toolkit* to get more ideas and use your creativity!
- 2 **Use your hands** to help Habitat. There are a lot of ways youth under 16 can help Habitat by using their hands to make homeowner gifts, to help the construction process, or to serve other volunteers.
- 1 Remember HFHC during your **prayer** time. The volunteers, staff, and homeowners are all in need of your prayers as they work together to change the world.

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