



Courageous Conversations October 11, 2023

What are Courageous Conversations?

Courageous Conversations will dive into Duluth's painful history and stories of our communities of the oppressed and marginalized. Participants will tour Downtown & West Duluth to visit multiple service organizations and learn about the individuals they serve. We will learn how to actively listen and reflect on how to hold a courageous conversation authentically. Together, we will reflect upon your contributions to our community that will shape your Leadership Duluth service project.

Locations:

Morning

- Life House: 16 N 1st Ave W, Duluth, MN 55802
- CHUM Food Shelf: 120 N 1st Ave W, Duluth, MN 55802
- CHUM Drop-In Center: Across the road for the CHUM Food Shelf

Lunch

- Damiano Center: 206 W 4th St #214, Duluth, MN 55806

Afternoon

- Clayton Jackson McGhie Memorial: Corner of East First Street and North Second Street East
- Boys & Girls Club (Inside the Heritage Sports Center): 120 N 30th Ave W, Duluth, MN 55806

Parking:

- Technology Village Ramp (For Morning & Lunch) - 14 E 1st St, Duluth, MN 55802
- Heritage Sports Center Lot (For Afternoon) - 120 N 30th Ave W, Duluth, MN 55806

Dress Code:

Our day will be spent outdoors, walking from location to location. Please wear comfortable shoes (**Sneakers**). Dress according to the weather, as we will execute the day regardless of weather conditions.

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- 9:00 a.m. Arrival – Everyone Start at Life House, Inc.
- 9:10 a.m. Welcome & Day Instructions
Jebek Edmunds, Director of Education, Duluth Area Chamber of Commerce
- 9:20 a.m. Organization Tours (Life House, CHUM Food Shelf, CHUM Drop-In Center)
- 10:35 a.m. Damiano Center Tour & Presentation
Seth Currier, Executive Director
- 11:35 a.m. Lunch at Damiano Center
- 12:00 p.m. Clayton Jackson McGhie Memorial Tour
Carl Crawford, Human Rights Officer, City of Duluth
- 12:45 p.m. Drive to Boys & Girls Club
- 1:15 p.m. Boys & Girls Club Tour & Presentation
Todd Johnson, CEO
- 1:45 p.m. MACV Presentation
Paul Pedersen, Senior Case Manager
- 2:15 p.m. Break
- 2:20 p.m. Service Project Discussion & Sign-ups
- 3:00 p.m. Wrap Up & Adjourn





Station Rotation Groups

Group 1: (Life House, CHUM Drop-In Center, CHUM Food Shelf)

Azrin Awal	Lyndsy Lindquist
Chase Carlson	Angie Miller
Kelsey Duffy	Andrew Papke-Larson
Breanna Ellison	Joseph Pike
Rebecca Graves	Kelly Schamberger
Drew Guttormson	Hannah Stevens
Nic Hanson	Matthew Vogt
Heather Hugley	Lindsey Whitlinger

Group 2: (CHUM Drop-In Center, CHUM FOOD Shelf, Life House)

Leah Berg	Kristin Montgomery
Caitlin Crowl	Jen Pennington
Nate Elling	Eric Reisinger
Rebecca Grumdahl	Jesse Smith
Theresa Hannu	Kylie Thompson
Tyler Hautajarvi	Gabriel Walsh
Veronica Knaffla	Nathan Wisheart
Amber Lynn Lowell	Matthew Zimniewicz

Group 3: (CHUM FOOD Shelf, Life House, CHUM Drop-In Center)

Corey Beste	Amber Burns	Wendy Wojtysiak-Erickson
Melanie Davis	Joseph McGinnis	
Melissa Fanning	Chad Nurminen	
James Grandaw	Jason Peterson	
Josh Gunderson	Mackenzie Morgan Reykdal	
Aaron Hansen	Lori Steinbach	
Tiffany Hughes	Maxwell Vergeldt	
Erin Kreeger	Shawna Weaver	

