

Check in: 8:00 am - 9:00 am
(Prayer at 8:30 am. All riders must start by 9:00 am)

Start/End: Westview Chr. Ref. Church
2929 Leonard St. NW

Rest Stops: Mile 9 for 15 mile route
Mile 20 & 40 for other routes

Support: Mobile repair service anywhere along the routes.

Cost: Tax-deductible donation
\$50/adult and \$30/<18

Pledges: All riders are encouraged to get additional donations for VIS.

Awards: For the most donations by a church/organization & family.

For your \$50 donation you receive:

- A well marked ride on low-traffic roads
- A chance to meet other VIS supporters
- Mobile repair service along the routes
- Rest stops with cookies, fruit, water & sports drinks and entertainment!
- A cool T-shirt

And most importantly:

- The knowledge that your donation will help the churches of Kent County to be Christ's servants in their community

Special thanks to **Alger Schwinn** for providing mobile repair service support.

Registration and payment is required by August 7, 2009.



Cycle to Serve

2009

Bike Ride

Saturday, August 15th

15, 30 and 60 mile Routes



Event Information:
(616) 459-7500 info@visgr.org

Website:
www.visgr.org



“VIS enables churches to be Christ's servants in their communities.”

Please mail completed entry form with payment by **August 7** to:

Volunteers In Service
1940 Eastern Ave. SE
Grand Rapids MI 49507.

Make checks payable to Volunteers in Service or pay via credit card at www.visgr.org.

Pledge forms available at www.visgr.org.

Registration packet pickup:

- Friday, Aug. 14th from 3pm-7pm at VIS offices located at 1940 Eastern (just north of Burton/Eastern intersection).
- Saturday, Aug. 15th between 8am & 9am at Westview CRC
- Registration packets include: route map, wrist band (required for rest stop & support services), and **FREE** T-shirt.

Volunteers In Service

Since 1986, VIS has seen its ministry grow to a large network of churches in the Grand Rapids area. VIS connects people who need caring support with people in the Christian community equipped to provide faith-motivated care for their neighbors. Supportive relationships are built through friendship, special projects, and mentoring. The VIS ministry focuses on three key elements:

Connecting: Volunteers In Service acts as a clearinghouse for the community to connect individual needs with caring volunteers within the church community.

Equipping: Churches and their members want to be engaged in meaningful ministry with the community. The challenge is knowing how to go about this task.

Caring: Changed lives are the best way to measure the impact of Volunteers In Service. When individuals with needs are connected to equipped church members, they experience significant hope, love, and support.

CYCLE TO SERVE ENTRY FORM

August 15, 2009

One form per rider – please print legibly

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

E-mail: _____
(Required to confirm registration)

Emergency contact: _____

Emergency phone: _____

Age: ____ Sex: ____M ____F

I will ride: 60 30 15
(Please circle route choice)

Registration Fee: \$ _____
Adult - \$50 or <18 - \$30

Additional donation: \$ _____

TOTAL DUE: \$ _____

T-shirt size: (please circle)

L-Youth S-Adult M-Adult
L-Adult XL-Adult XXL-Adult

WAIVER, HOLD HARMLESS & COVENANT NOT TO SUE

In signing this entry and release form for myself or the named entrant, if he/she is under 18, (hereafter collectively referred to as "I"), I hereby agree that I know the risks associated with bicycling events and I willingly accept them. I am covered by my own medical insurance and accept full responsibility for all medical expenses I may incur as a result of my participation in this event. I will permit emergency treatment in the event of injury or illness. To my knowledge, I have no physical or mental conditions that would endanger myself or others by my participation in this event. I have properly maintained my bicycle and related equipment so as to ensure my safety and that of other participants. I agree to wear an ANSI/Snell approved bicycle helmet that may protect against serious head injuries and I assume all liability for the selection of my helmet. I agree to follow safe bicycle practices while participating in this event.

I agree not to sue Volunteers In Service and its employees, officers, and volunteers, and all other event sponsors, whether individuals or organizations (collectively referred to as "Released Parties"). I also agree to hold harmless, and release from all liability for myself and my heirs, the Released Parties of all blame or liability for any injuries, death, losses, damages or inconveniences that I suffer while traveling to, from, and while participating in this event. It is my responsibility to know the Michigan Vehicle Code and other special rules pertaining to this event as set forth in the event materials. I agree that the above representations are contractually binding and not mere recitals. This contract may not be modified orally and a waiver of any provisions contained herein shall not be construed as a modification of any other provisions herein. I HAVE READ THIS CONTRACT, UNDERSTAND IT AND AGREE TO BE BOUND BY ITS TERMS.

Signature of Participant:

Date: _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian:

Date: _____