

We're Seeking **20-30 Volunteers**
to help us remodel in **1-4 week shifts**
during **Spring & Summer 2024**

P R O J E C T H I G H L I G H T S

- Fully Furnished bedrooms, new shower & kitchen on site
- Full-time cook during Spring work session
- Quiet, safe, friendly neighborhood
- All tools provided
- Full-time Project Manager on site, and sometimes a dog
- Team includes local GC and MEP professionals
- Seattle spring comes early, and summers are **glorious** (think sunny and 75° daily)



Illume is a young, groups-focused mission church in Seattle that began in 2019 to carry on the faithful legacy of two recently closed 1950's WELS churches in north Seattle. Central to Illume's ministry is the belief that spiritual growth and deep faith flourish in intimate, supportive settings where we can worship, learn, and serve as we journey together.

To that end, Illume focuses on the cultivation of small groups that provide this fellowship intentionally and consistently.

This approach is tailored to the diverse and progressive community of Seattle by offering thoughtful, open spaces for people from all walks of life to explore spirituality in a way that is accessible and relevant to them while being informed by our distinctly Lutheran worldview. Over time, Illume's vision is to create a network of interconnected small groups throughout the city, each serving as a beacon of certain hope, spiritual growth, and selfless love, following the lead of our savior Jesus.

To that end, Illume recently purchased and moved into a 100-year-old Methodist church near the University of Washington. Our mission is best supported by a building that is highly multi-functional for group and community use, creating ample opportunities for guests to interact with each other and with the unique hearts that Lutheran theology sculpts. The building was chosen for its potential toward that goal, and great progress has been made already.

But we need some help reaching the finish line.



Tasks

- Painting
- Flooring Installation
- Trim, Casing & Custom Cabinetry
- Staircase & Railing Restoration
- Interior Door Installation
- Drywall & Plaster Patching
- Frame & Plaster Arched Ceiling

Lodging & Meals

- 6 Private Bedrooms on site
 - 2 Queen Beds, 5 Twins
- Brand new Shower on site
- 2 RV Spaces in Parking Lot
- 4-6 Hosted by Illume Members
- Potential Rental House
- Two meals provided each day by our resident Cook



Leaders

Kent Reeder | Pastor

Kent & his family moved to Seattle in 2019 to create Illume as a mission restart, following a successful church plant in Rock Hill, SC.

Ben Dose | Project Manager

Originally from New Ulm MN, Illume member Ben has over a decade of experience in architecture and construction.



Dates & Travel

- Two work phases to choose from:
 - Spring: April 5 - May 24
 - Summer: July 1 - August 31
- Flight/Gas costs covered if you stay one week or more
- Rides to/from airport provided
- Sundays & Mondays off for...

Outings

- Day Hikes at Mt. Rainier or North Cascades National Parks, or countless trails
- Boat Trips on Puget Sound
- Many great destinations in Seattle, including the Space Needle and Pike Place Market, enormous parks, scenic beaches

Yes, But

- Yes, big cities can be dangerous
 - But our church is in a very safe, quiet neighborhood
- Yes, Seattle is cloudy in the spring
 - But spring also comes early; come see why Seattle is called the Emerald City
- Yes, Seattle is in the news a lot
 - But that's all the more reason to bring them the Good News



Contact

to sign up as a volunteer or get your questions answered:

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